



Huntingdon Valley Library



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Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter August 11, 2019

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Library Hours

Mon.-Th. 10 am to 9 pm
Friday 10 am to 5 pm
Saturday 10 am to 5 pm
Sunday **Closed**

Summer Hours: We will be closed on Sundays until September 8.

[Calendar of Events](#)

Saturday, August 10

- **Family Fort Fun** - 2 pm. Bring your own blankets and pillows to help us create forts in our Children's Area. Once the blanket fort has been constructed, Miss Vanessa will share a book with the group. Then, feel free to hang out and relax in the fort.

Sunday, August 11

- Summer Hours: **Closed** on Sundays until September 8.

Monday, August 12

- [Summer Reading Photos](#)
- **Preschool Storytime** - 10:30 am with Miss Beth. Stories, songs and a craft for 3, 4, & 5 year olds.
- **Super Sitter Babysitting Course** - 1 pm. Class is full, but waitlist is open for a fall class.
- **Knitting Club** - 3:30 pm in the Friends Learning Lab.
- **Afternoon Yoga Class** - 4:30 pm. \$7 Drop in.
- **Adult Book Club** - 6:30 pm. Join us for a friendly discussion of *China Rich Girlfriend* by Kevin Kwan.

Friends

Fundraisers

Annual membership \$15. Perk: Museum passes!

Fall Book Sale - Sept. 10

Oct 23 NYC Bus Trip - Tickets Available for \$45.

Details at the Friends' Station. Catch a show, visit a museum, and let someone else drive!

Reminder: Parking is available in the Lower and Auxiliary lots.

[Get Involved](#)

Visit our Website

Learn more online at:
www.hvlibrarv.org

Tuesday, August 13

- **Chair Yogacise with Nadene** - 10:15 am. Drop-in, \$7.
- **Toddler Storytime** - 10:30 am with Miss Vanessa. Stories and music for 1 & 2 year olds.
- **Chess Club** - 1 pm. Class is full.
- **Robot Wranglers** - 6 pm. Join us as we learn to Code our Dash and Dot robots, Cue, Sphero, Ozobots, and Makey Makeys. Grades 6-8. [Spots open - Register today!](#)
- **SUMMER READING DEADLINE - Turn in your total hours read to claim your 10 bonus tickets.**

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Wednesday, August 14

- **Library Yoga** - 10:30 am. With Theresa, drop in, \$7.
- **Game Knights for Teens** - 7 pm with Beth. Grades 6-12.
- **Summer Reading Closing Party** - 7 pm.

Join us for our Summer Reading Closing Party! Enjoy a celebration of space with crafts, activities, and games. Come in costume as an astronaut or your favorite character from books, TV shows, or movies about space to take your picture among the stars. Children's Summer Reading raffle basket winners will be announced.



Thank You to Vanessa, Beth, and our Amazing Staff and Volunteers for a GREAT Summer and to the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library for supporting all the fun!

Thursday, August 15

- **Tai Chi** - 11 am with Michael. Drop-in, \$7. Come and experience the gentle, healing movements of the ancient Chinese art of Tai Chi Qigong. These easy movements help to promote energy, good health and well being.
- **Fans of Foreign Films** - 4 pm **Welcome to the Sticks (2008)** A manager of the postal service in southern France pretends he is disabled to get a transfer to the luxe Cote d'Azur. When his ruse is discovered, he is instead transferred to an undesirable town in Northern France considered "the sticks." Referred to as "the most successful movie ever released in France," it is a comedy about misconceptions, love and true friendship –and an enjoyable lesson in avoiding assumptions about others. (106 minutes)

Friday, August 16

- **Friday Movies** - 11 am. ***Gloria Bell*** (Julianne Moore) is a 50-something woman who has been divorced for nearly 10 years. She has two grown kids and works an office job at an insurance company. She spends her days working and checking in with her children. At night, she likes to go out dancing and meeting people. At home, a stray cat keeps sneaking its way into her apartment, and her upstairs neighbor is constantly screaming. Rating: R (sexuality, nudity, language and some drug use) Runtime: 102 min. [See all the August Movies.](#)

Note: Super Sitters Babysitting Course is full for August, but the [wait list will remain open](#) to determine the need for another course in the fall.

[Calendar of Events](#) | [August Calendar \(revised\)](#)

News and Notes



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Director's Corner

Storm Update:

The recent storms brought lightning VERY close to the Library. While our computers were spared, our phone system was NOT. We were without phone service for a day and a half. Thankfully, we are now limping along on a single phone line.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Take
the **Survey**

How are we doing? Let us know your thoughts, ideas, and opinions on a Customer Satisfaction Survey. Thank you to everyone who has already shared their input with us! We have 98 responses to date and I'd love to see 100!

- [Adults](#)
- [Parents](#)

- [Parents](#)
- [Teens 6th to 12th grade](#)
- [Children K-5th grade](#)

Get Involved

Board Contact Information: [Board of Trustees](#)

Minutes are available online: [Minutes Archive](#)

Next Regular Meeting of the Board is on
Thursday, September 12 at 7:30 pm. Open to all.

[NOTICE: Board Vacancy - come join us!](#)

Visit the [Donate page](#).

**Donate
today!**

Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

www.hvlibrary.org/friends

August Cookbook Sale! The Friends are having a special sale on cookbooks in August - look for the bookcart by the circulation desk.
 Great deal: **2 for \$1.**



The 2019 Newsletter is out and it looks GREAT!
[Read all about their plans for the new year!](#) (.pdf)

Annual membership fee: \$15.



Family Museum Passes:



Do you enjoy spending the day at a museum?

Check out a museum pass - a benefit of membership to the Friends!

[Details and the full list of active passes.](#) New passes for 2019: **Eastern State Penitentiary** and **Grounds for Sculpture**

Review of the *Museum Pass Policies*:

- Friends with an active 2019 membership may check out passes over the phone. This is a great membership perk!
- Passes circulate for 3 days and the overdue fine is \$5 per day. Plan your trip accordingly - these are VERY popular.
- Passes must be returned at the circulation desk and not put into the drop box, where they can be easily lost or damaged. A fee of \$5 may be charged if the passes are left in the drop box.
- Members may borrow the pass to a given museum three (3) times per year.

Friends of HV Library Museum Passes

📅 February 4, 2019 👤 Sharon 📁 Active Adults, Friends, showcase 🗑 Edit Post



Family Museum Passes Do you enjoy spending the day at a museum? For 2019, the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library have made passes available for active members to these great local museums: Grounds for Sculpture – New for 2019 – “ A constantly evolving collection of superb contemporary outdoor sculptures. 42 magnificently landscaped acres in which to stroll. Rotating exhibitions [...]

[» Read more](#)

Upcoming Meetings:

- **September 5 BINGO!**

Fundraisers and Events:

- **September Book Sale!**
 - Members Night
Tuesday, Sept. 10
 - Book Sale Sept. 11, 14

o Sale Sept. 11-14

● **Book Bundles**

- o \$1 bundles of books
- o Book shelves by the front entrance are restocked weekly!

- **NYC Bus Trip on Oct. 23** - There are seats are left - visit the Friends' Station to find out more and register today! Cost is \$45. Picked up at Library, dropped off at TKTS in New York City!



Book Club: Members of the book discussion group do not have to be members of the Friends. We meet the third Thursday of each month at 12:30. eBook editions available through [OverDrive](#) to Huntingdon Valley borrowers.

- [Upcoming Book Club titles now available.](#)



Friends Fundraiser Corner

Stop by today to sign up for an upcoming Friends of the Library Fundraiser. Proceeds support the Library's Wish List.

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