



Huntingdon Valley Library Newsletter - Sept. 11, 2016

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Open Sundays from 1 to 5 during school year.

NOTICE - Auxiliary Parking Lot Update.

Parking in spaces X1 to X15 in the gravel auxiliary lot is reserved for Students from Lower Moreland High School. All other spaces are available for Library and Community Room visitors.

This Week's Library Events (and [Photos](#)):

- Check out a book from our **9/11 memorial display**
- **Sit N Knit** - Mon., Sept. 12 at 4 pm. Beginners and experienced knitters, 4:00 to 5:30 PM. Come sit, talk, and knit with the Library's group. All ages welcome.
- **Super Sitter Babysitting Course** - Tue., Sept. 13 at 6:30 pm. Class is full at this time.
- **Friends NYC Bus Trip: 2nd Bus** - Tue., Sept. 13 - Final day to add your name to the LIST at the Friends Station. A final decision will be made Sept. 14 if enough seats have been reserved for a 2nd bus.
- **Library Yoga** - Wed., Sept. 14 at 10:30 am in Community Room with Theresa Landolfi. \$7 per session, drop in.
- **Library Socrates Cafe** - Wed., Sept. 14 at 10:30 am. Join us with facilitator Robert Rubin, former Library Board President and seasoned discussion leader, for our new



Library Hours

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

**Sunday Hours resume
September 11.**

Friends

Fundraisers



Mah Jongg -

Monday 11:30 to
3:30 pm.

*Supports our
Movie Collection.*

Canasta -

Tuesday 11:30 &
Wednesday at
12:00 pm

*Supports our
Audiobook
collection*

\$2 | Fundraiser

2nd Floor
Community Room

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www.hvlibrary.org

Socrates Cafe program. Bob wants to help us give philosophy back to the people with discussions about truth, justice and moderation. September, the question is:



Supreme Court Decision-Making: What Should Be the Guiding Principal? [Find out more and register.](#)

- **Friends Book Club Meeting** - Thurs., Sept. 15 at 12:30 pm. Join the Friends for a discussion of *Dead Wake* by Erik Larson. You do not need to be a member of the friends to attend. All are welcome.
- **Library LEGO Club** - Thurs., Sept. 15 at 4:15 pm. Explore, Create, Have fun with LEGOs. Open to grades K-2. Registration is required. Only 2 spaces available until class is full. [Sign up today!](#)
- **Old York Road Genealogical Society Program** - Thurs., Sept. 15 at 7 pm. Old York Road Genealogical Society President Betty Smith will be presenting 4 sessions on finding your relatives. Tonight's session will be "Tracking Your Ancestors Through Census Records".
- **Friday Movie** - Fri., Sept. 9 at 11:00 am. **High-Rise.** Life for the residents of a tower block begins to run out of control. Star Tom Hiddleston, Jeremy Irons, Sienna Miller. R (for violence, disturbing images, strong sexual content/graphic nudity, language and some drug use) Runtime 112 minutes.



- **Curious George's Birthday Party** - Sat., Sept. 17 at 10:30 am. Curious George turns 75 this year. Come to the library to celebrate **Curiosity Day** with us.

Curious George's 75th Birthday Party!



Saturday, September 17
10:30 am in the Children's Department
Open to children of all ages
Registration is requested.

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[Visit our Calendar of Events](#) or [September Calendar](#)

Upcoming FUNdraiser...

Dewey Decimal Dance Party

Saturday, November 5 at 6 pm at the Library



Featuring Lower Moreland's own DJ Doc "C" Chuck Whitacre and a concert by **Yesterdays Memories**. Join us for a night of music, dancing and fun in support of the Library...at the Library! The library will be open for business to attendees for

tours, lounging and reading breaks between dance sessions.

Tickets are \$30 per person. Dancing to the **Oldies but Goodies** of the 50's and 60's starts at 6 pm, with the live music performance at 8 pm. The Friends will have concessions for sale, too! [Read More](#)

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Tickets

1 ticket \$30.00 USD

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News and Notes



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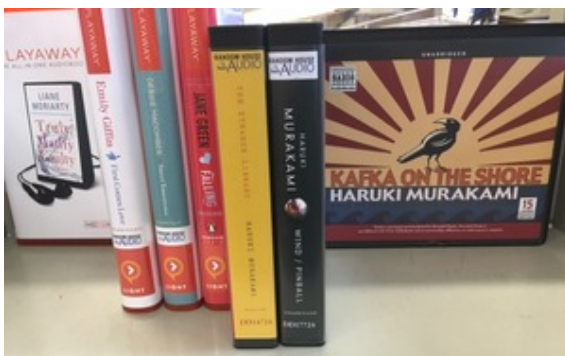
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Director's Corner:

We have had some changes recently to the **Board of Trustees**, in August we were sad to accept the resignation of **David Silver**, who you may remember as the outstanding MC for our recent author brunches. In honor of his years of service to the Community and Library, we have added three [Books on CD](#) to the collection from his favorite author, Haruki Murakami, including *The Strange Library*, *Kafka on the Shore* and a combined novel of *Wind/Pinball*.



The Trustees welcomed a new member, **Mitchell Fink**, to the Board at last night's meeting. Mr. Fink is a Certified Public Accountant and brings

over 10 years of experience on non-profit boards to us, along with interests in travel, dining, and sports.

In other Board business, we will soon share a request for volunteers to join a new ad hoc committee tasked with developing a fundraising plan for the Library. We also approved a draft budget for 2017 to present to the Board of Commissioners, reviewed a new Code of Conduct policy proposal, and heard about important changes to the PA Child Protective Services Law. Minutes from the August meeting are available [on the Web](#).

For September's **Library Card Sign Up Month** we will **EXCHANGE** any old Huntingdon Valley Library card for a new card for **FREE** during the month. Have you lost your card? You can get a **replacement for free** this month. [Learn more](#).



Save the Dates:

- **SeniorExpo** with Representative Murt on Friday, Sept. 23 at 10 am in the Red Lion Gym.

- **Sunday, Oct. 23** at 2 pm in the Community Room. **Birds, Butterflies, Bees and -- Toads?!** Yes, toads! Each toad you invite into your garden will eat its own weight in insect pests every evening. (Toads work the night shift; eating problem pests while you sleep.) **Mike McGrath**, host of the Public Radio show "**You Bet Your Garden**" will reveal easy ways to get these priceless predators to prey on your problems. He'll also explain how to attract beneficial and beautiful birds, bees and butterflies in this fast-paced workshop designed to help you bring Nature's finest pollinators and pest-eaters to your property.

Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

Birds, Butterflies, Bees and — Toads?!

with Mike McGrath
Sunday, Oct. 23
2 pm | Community Room



\$10 in advance
\$15 at the door

Sign up at the Friends Station

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A joint fundraiser of the Library and Friends.

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● Tickets will be \$10 in advance and \$15 at the door.

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- Details and ticket sale information Now Available at the Friends Station.
- [Learn More on the Web site.](#)



Get Involved

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

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

Regular Meeting is Thursday, October 13 at 7:30 pm.

Visit the [Donate page](#) to Support Your Library.

[Donate](#)



Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library

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Friends Photo Album (via Flickr):



Used Book Sale Sponsored by the Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library in the Friends Book Room (pictured above)

- Tues., Sept. 20 7 pm - 9 pm

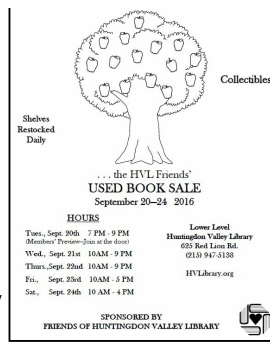
IT'S TIME TO PICK SOME BOOKS AT...

(Members' Preview -

Join at the door for \$10)

- Wed., Sept 21 10 am - 9 pm
- Thur., Sept 22 10 am - 9 pm
- Fri., Sept 23 10 am - 5 pm
- Sat., Sept 24 10 am - 4 pm

Proceeds support the Friends who support Library programs, technology, collections and the Summer Reading Program.



It's that time of year again - grab your friends and spend a day in the Big Apple!

New York City Bus Trip

- Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2016
- **Sign up today for the Second Bus Wait List! We have 16 signed up so far - add your name to the list! Final Decision on Tue., Sept. 13.**
- Start out at the TKTS Booths in Time Square
- Lunch on your own
- Return at 5:15 pm
- **Only \$40**, payable to the Friends of HVL

Join the
Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library
New York City Bus Trip

Enjoy a wonderful day in New York with time to explore this fabulous city.

Wednesday, September 28, 2016

Destination
Times Square. TKTS Booths

- 🍴 Lunch on your own
- 🕒 Evening Depart NYC at 5:15 p.m.

Depart: **From Philmont Country Club at 8:00 a.m.**

Cost: \$40.00 payable to The Friends of HVL
Checks Only

Deadline: Register at the Friends Station by September 16

Bus Line: Academy Coach

Return: To Philmont Country Club by 7:30 or 8:00 p.m.

More info: Call the Library at 215-947-5138



- A second bus will be confirmed if enough people pre-register.
- Payment and forms will need to be completed by **Sept. 14**.
- First Bus Departs from Philmont Country Club at 8 am, expected return between 7:30-8 pm. A second bus would depart from the Auxiliary lot of the Huntingdon Valley Library.

Election Day Bake Sale on Tuesday, Nov. 8

The Friends Need YOU!

Don your Baker's Hat and share your baking favorites for our Election Day Bake Sale. More information will be available at upcoming member meetings: Oct. 6 and Nov. 3.

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.

- **October 20:**
- *The Secret Chord* by Geraldine Brooks
- **November 17:**
- *Everything I Never Told You* by Celeste Ng
- **January 19:**
- *The Nightingale* by Kristin Hannah
- **February 16:**
- *Dr. Muttter's Marvels: A True Tale of Intrigue and*
- *Innovation at the Dawn of Modern Medicine* by Christie O'Keefe



Innovation at the Dawn of Modern Medicine by Cristin O'Keete

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● **March 16:**

The Rent Collector by Camron Wright

● **April 20:**

Flight of Dreams by Ariel Lawhon

More information about upcoming Friends events is available at the [Friends Page](#), including the [2016 Newsletter!](#)



The Friends also provide [museum passes](#) as a **membership benefit.**

- [Glencairn Museum](#)
- [University of Pennsylvania Museum of Archaeology and Anthropology](#)
- [Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts](#)
- [Academy of Natural Sciences](#)
- [Morris Arboretum](#)
- [Simeone Automotive Museum](#)
- [Bucks County Children's Museum - NEW](#)
- [Moravian Tile Works - NEW](#)
- **National Constitution Center - coming soon!**



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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