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www.hvlibrary.org
Click on the Friends tab



Please park in the Lower level lot when attending a Library meeting or program. When parking in the rear auxiliary lot, ***park ONLY in spaces marked 16 to 30.***

Library Hours

Due to the Pandemic, please check the Library website for current Library hours.

Huntingdon Valley Library on the Web: www.hvlibrary.org

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Friends' News

Annual Newsletter OF THE Friends OF Huntingdon Valley Library

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Who are The Friends?

The Friends are a non-profit volunteer group who know that libraries are essential to the educational and cultural spirit of the community. The Friends of Huntingdon Valley Library work to *focus interest in the library and to add the extras that tax dollars do not cover - the resources for additional programming, updated equipment, and support for summer reading programs for all ages.* This moves the library from Good to GREAT!

WE WELCOME *interested community members* to our meetings on the first Thursday of the month at 12:30PM, (Sept-June) via Zoom. Visit the website and click on the "Friends" link to find out about our post-meeting programs. Open to the public.

FEBRUARY 4- Lisa Parker Adams from Cairwood

MARCH 4: Meet Prize Winning Poet and Author
Harriet Levin Millman

APRIL 1: 2019 I Did It! Fun Hiking Through the Alps:

A Summer Adventure

Future programs to be announced.



We think of the library as the cornerstone of our community, and work to provide opportunities for all to engage in the joy of life-long learning.

Your ideas for programs and improvements to the library are important for the library's growth. If you cannot come to the afternoon meetings ***you can still become a partner in support of the library by becoming a Friend with your tax-deductible donation of a minimum of \$15.*** Our membership year runs January thru December.



The Friends of
Huntingdon Valley Library

During 2020, the Friends have donated funds to purchase the following items for the library:

- New Laptop for presentations and events
- T-Mobile Hotspots
- Downloadable eBooks and eAudiobooks
- Hoopla database
- Museum Passes
- Juvenile and Young Adult Reading materials
- Vacation Reads
- Large Print Books
- DVDs
- Audiobooks
- Summer Learning Program for all ages

The Friends Work to Make a Difference!

Visit the Library website at www.hvlibrary.org and click on the **Friends** link

greetings

A Note from our Library Director,
Pam Dull

2020, what a year! When the library had to close in March, the Friends immediately sprang into action allocating more funds for virtual content. That flexibility has allowed us to increase the amount of items in our Libby/Overdrive and Hoopla databases.

As the pandemic continues, the Friends Executive Board brainstorms new ways to raise funds to support our mission.

Thank you for your dedication and enthusiasm for the library. Stay safe. I hope to see you at the library!

THANKS TO OUR FUNDRAISING PARTNERS

Fundraising Partners are companies or businesses who will donate a financial gift to our library when you do business with them. **TD Bank** will make an annual contribution to the Friends based on members' activity on eligible accounts. **Visit TD Customer Service** to have your account included in the program.

Our Affinity Code is AG890.

If your company has a **Matching Gifts Program** that supports libraries, you can increase your gift to the Friends, a 501(c)(3) organization. Matching Gift Programs are charitable giving programs set up by corporations in which they match the donation made by an employee to an eligible non-profit organization.

Be sure to patronize the following businesses that have been so generous in their support of the Friends of HVL:

Designs by Karen, The Courtyard, Huntingdon Valley
Special thanks to Designs by Karen for The Fashion Show and her generous donation to The Friends

Amazon Smile
TD Bank
Glaxo Smith Kline
Glencairn Museum
E-Z Storage of Huntingdon Valley

SPECIAL VIRTUAL EVENTS



Virtual Tea Time

First Tuesday of the Month, 6:30 pm



Evening Book Club

Second Monday of the Month, 7:00 pm

Visit our online calendar at www.hvlibrary.org, for more information about Children's and Teen craft kits, Storytime, Trivia Nights, and more.

The Friends raised funds for the Library in 2020 through:

- Annual membership dues
- Amazon Smile
- Canasta and Mahjongg
- Voices of the Valley
- Used Book and Bundle Book events at which donations were accepted
- Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Fundraiser event

Check the Friends Link on the Library website for future used book events

We thank the
Sarah & Toby Wolfberg
Endowment Fund
of the *Philadelphia Foundation*
for a generous grant for the purchase
of children's library books

The Friends' Executive Board Members

Jane Bostock	Marilyn Rubin
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DID YOU KNOW
THAT AS
A MEMBER OF THE
FRIENDS OF HV LIBRARY,
YOU AND YOUR FAMILY HAVE
FREE ACCESS
TO THE FOLLOWING AREA
MUSEUMS?



University of PA Museum of
Archeology and Anthropology

Glencairn Museum
(Courtesy of Glencairn)

Academy of Natural Sciences

Simeone Auto Museum

Bucks County Children's Museum

National Constitution Center

Museum of the American Revolution

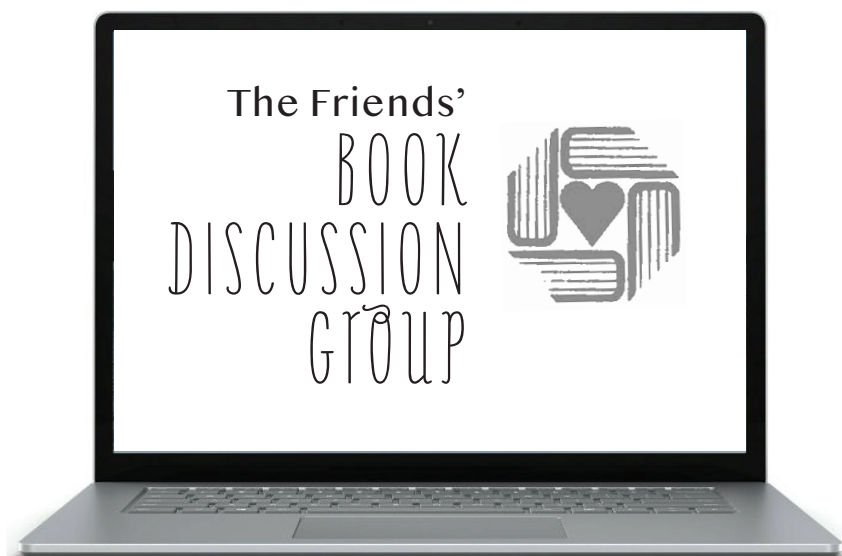
Eastern State Penitentiary

Elmwood Park Zoo



HOW TO BORROW

Family Museum passes are available to library patrons who are members of the Friends of HV Library. Please check with the Circulation Desk for updated information on borrowing and **contact the museum of your choice to confirm that it is open at this time.**



If you are passionate about reading, join us for a lively discussion via Zoom!

3RD THURSDAY OF ALTERNATE MONTHS AT 12:30PM

Our next meeting will be in

FEBRUARY

Hopefully in the near future we can meet in person!

Contact the Library or the Friends via email to receive the Zoom link.

Future book selections will be announced at each meeting.



Please donate: Fiction, Non-Fiction, DVDs, CDs, AudioBooks, Children's Books.

NO TEXTBOOKS, PLEASE! ALSO PLEASE, NO DIRTY, SMELLY, MOLDY BOOKS!

Bring your books that are in GOOD condition to the drop off center on the lower level

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY due to the pandemic. Email hvlibraryfriends@gmail.com.

Donations are accepted during the year, EXCEPT immediately before or after a sale.

Your book donations and purchases are our most profitable fundraisers!

