



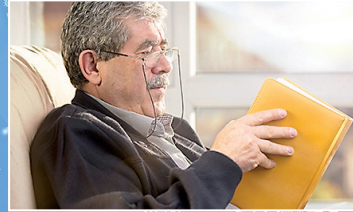
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ADULT PROGRAMS

SNOW IS FALLING, BOOKS ARE CALLING - HPL'S SECOND ANNUAL ADULT WINTER READING PROGRAM



From January 4th through February 26th participate in our winter reading

program. Register at the Circulation Desk and pick up a Bingo card. Readers who finish a row, column, or diagonal by the end of February will get a mug, readers who finish the entire card will be entered in a drawing for a gift certificate to Barnes and Noble.

JAN. 4 • MON. 6:00

Hackley Handicrafts: Stamped Towels

Join Nancy Hartman to make stamped towels. Supplies provided or bring a non-terry cloth towel.

JAN. 5 • TUES. 6:00

How the Pere Marquette Railway Impacted West Michigan

Join Tom Buettner to learn more about the Pere Marquette Railway and its impact on our area.



JAN. 11 • MON. 6:00

Book Discussion: Sophie's Choice



The Silversides Museum's Holocaust film and book discussion group features *Sophie's Choice* this month. Discuss the book at the library

Jan. 11 and view the film at the Museum at 1:00 pm or 6:00 Jan. 13.

JAN. 12 • TUES. 6:00

Las Vegas Travel Guide

Thinking of going to Las Vegas? Before you do, hear from Lou Gifford on what to see and what to do.



JAN. 13 • WED. 3:00

Overdrive @ Tech Wednesday

Bring your laptop or tablet and we'll explain how to get free, downloadable ebooks and e-audio books.

JAN. 15 • FRI. 1:00

Investor Ed: Estate Planning

Please call Jennifer at 231-777-3102 or email farrah.starr@edwardjones.com by Friday, January 8 to reserve a seat at this workshop.

JAN. 16 • SAT. 2:00

Sewing Clinic-Part 1

Ozetta Aaron will teach a low-sew home decor class. Make a pillow, table runner, pillow case, or placemats. Participants should have

a basic knowledge of sewing. Sign up ahead - the class limited to 10. Sewing machines provided. Part 2 on Jan. 30.



JAN. 20 • WED. 12:00

Keep It Safe: Finances for Lunch Bring your lunch and learn how to "Keep it Safe," sponsored by PNC Bank.

JAN. 25 • MON. 6:00

Listening Room: Hawks and Owls

Hawks and Owls String Band has been delighting audiences around West Michigan since 1997. They specialize in original and time-savored traditional folk songs.



Hawks & Owls string band

JAN. 26 • TUES. 6:00

Murder and Mayhem in Grand Rapids

While the River City is known for its history of furniture making, it also has a sinister side. Author Tobin T. Buhk delves into the colorful characters of Grand Rapids' past and the heinous crimes they committed.

SATURDAY COMPUTER CLASSES

Patient and popular instructor De'ondra Pentecost continues teaching free introductory computer classes on

SATURDAYS

10:30AM - 12:00 PM

Registration is required so that there are enough computers for everybody. Call HPL at 231-722-7276 to sign up.

JAN. 2: *Basic Computing*

JAN. 16: *Intro to the Internet*

JAN. 23: *Intro to Email*

JAN. 30: *Intro to Word*

FEB. 6: *Excel*

FEB. 20: *Publisher*

FEB. 27: *Powerpoint*

Classes are brought to you through the generosity of the Friends of Hackley Library and the House Family Foundation.

JAN. 27 • WED. 3:00

Evernote @ Tech Wednesday

Bring your laptop or tablet and we'll explain this free app and website that allows you to take notes and keep them synced between devices.

JAN. 30 • SAT. 2:00

Sewing Clinic-Part 2

Ozetta Aaron will be back to continue this low-sew home decor class. Sign up ahead - the class limited to 10. Sewing machines provided. Part 1 on Jan. 16. Make a pillow, table runner, pillow case, or placemats.

JAN 6, 13, 20, 27

WEDNESDAYS, 1:30 - 2:30 PM



Trouble with your Tablet?

Having trouble with your tablet?

Bring it to HPL on Wednesdays at 1:30 to get tech help. Walk ins welcome.



FEB. 1 • MON. 6:00

Hackley Handicrafts: Valentine Book Art

Using a discarded book, Nancy Hartman will take you through the steps to make a truly unique work of Valentine art.

FEB. 2 • TUES. 6:00

Victory in Praise Choir and the Church of the Living God Choir

Two great choirs - one awesome concert back by popular request! Brandon Davis leads the Victory in Praise Choir community choir. The Church of the Living God Choir is well known as a wonderful church choir in the greater Muskegon area.

FEB. 6 • SAT. 2:00

Black History Trivia Contest

So you think you know your Black History? Show what you know! Form a team and win great prizes! Hosted by a surprise celebrity from 103.7 THE BEAT, who makes it fun. Call Hackley Library by Feb. 5 to register your team (up to 4 per team). Feeling shy? Cheer on your friends and family!



FEB. 8 • MON. 6:00

Book Discussion: Exodus

This month the Silversides Museum's Holocaust film and book discussion group features Exodus by Leon Uris.

Discuss the book at the library Feb. 8 and view the film at the Museum on Feb.10 (Part 1) and Feb. 17 (Part 2), at 1:00 pm and 6:00.

FEB. 9 • TUES. 6:00

Sewing Clinic-Quilts

Local seamstress Ozetta Aaron presents an introduction to quilting. Participants should have a basic knowledge of sewing. Sign up ahead - class limited to 10. Sewing machines provided.

FEB. 10 • WED. 3:00

Feedly @ Tech Wednesday

Bring your laptop or tablet and follow along while we explain Feedly-a blog reading service.

FEB. 12 • FRI. 1:00

Investor Ed.

Topic TBA, please visit hackleylibrary.org for more information. Call Jennifer at 231-777-3102 or email farrah.starr@edwardjones.com by Feb. 5 to reserve a seat.

FEB. 17 • WED 12:00

Bank on It: Finances for Lunch

Bring your lunch and learn how you can "Bank on it." Sponsored by PNC Bank.

FEB. 20 • SAT. 2:00

Sweet Soul Food Dessert Contest

Get out your recipes and find your best soul food dessert. Compete for the best in the city! Bring enough for a taste for everybody attending. Sign up by February 12th. Our judge is from Baker College Culinary Institute of Michigan.



ADULT PROGRAMS

JANUARY-FEBRUARY

YOUTH PROGRAMS

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FEB. 22 • MON 6:00

Open Mic Poetry Reading:

Black History/Black Experience

Read your own work or your favorite African American poetry. Clayton Hardiman will emcee.



FEB. 23 • TUES 6:00

Quilts

Bring your own or quilt or an heirloom and tell its story. Tables will be available for displaying the quilts

FEB. 24 • WED. 3:00

Drop box @ Tech Wednesday

Dropbox is a cloud based service for storing and sharing files. Bring your laptop or tablet and follow along while we explain.

FEB. 29 • MON. 6:00

In the Tradition Jazz

“In The Tradition” Jazz plays the African story, laying on a refined yet authentic expression of African-American classical music.



YOUTH PROGRAMS

JAN. 9 • SAT. 2:00

Minecraft

Can you survive in the Minecraft world? Create your own 3D world using your digital building skills. Seating is limited. Registration is

required. Call 231-722-7276 ext. 230 to register beginning January 2.

JAN. 9 • SAT. 3:30

Watercolor with Lori Eslick

Learn to paint with watercolors with artist Lori Eslick.



JAN. 11 • MON. 6:30

Storytime Toybox

Hear a story! Do a craft! Sing a Song! Play with toys! Learning is fun at Hackley Public Library. Call to register: 231-722-7276 ext. 230.



JAN. 16 • SAT. 2:00

Lego Family Fun Day

Build something great with Legos. Enter our family fun competition for prizes and display your structure.



JAN. 23 • SAT. 2:00

Tee shirt Wearables

Create cool necklaces, bracelets and other accessories with old t-shirts, the ultimate fun and cute recyclable. Bring in a couple of old tees and we'll show you how to turn them into something new.



JAN. 25 • MON. 6:30

Storytime Toybox

Come play at HPL! Listen to a story or two and have a full “Ready to read” experience with Ms. Cassandra.



JAN. 30 • MON. 2:00

Origami with M.J.R. Wrappers

Join HPL for paper folding fun. Jeff, Michael and Rory will teach us some fun, new origami shapes.



FEB. 1 • MON. 6:30

Storytime Toybox

Stop, Look, Listen and Feel with stories, crafts, playtime and a snack at HPL.



FEB. 6 • SAT. 3:30

Valentine Watercolor Cards with Lori Eslick

Send love to your favorite people with a watercolor art piece inspired by talented artist Lori Eslick.



FEB. 8 • MON. 6:30

Storytime Toybox

Play can be powerful. Add a story, crafts and fingerplays and your toddler is getting ready to read. Join HPL for playing with a purpose.

FEB. 13 • SAT. 2:00

Minecraft

Build your world and survive the terrain along with 19 other players. Minecraft is the new survivor game of the times. Registration is required starting February 1. Call 231-722-7276 ext. 230.




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FEB. 20 • SAT. 2:00

Junior Soul food Dessert Contest

Know your grandmother's secret velvet cake recipe? Use it to win prizes. Join HPL in celebrating Black History month by entering our multi-age Soul food Dessert contest. Categories will be open for young age groups as well as adults.

FEB. 22 • MON. 6:30

Storytime Toybox

Picture Books! Finger plays! Songs! And more! Join Ms. Cassandra for

storytime fun and enhance your little one's school readiness.

FEB. 27 • SAT. 2:00

Black History Calendar Contest and Trivia Game

Draw calendar art celebrating Black History with the help of Muskegon HS art students who will give you tips on how to create the art piece of your dreams.

The contest is for students in grades 1-2, 3-4, 5-7 and 7-12. Winning designs in each age group will be

printed in a calendar and sent to participating schools, with a special grand prize winner for the most impressive and unique entry. Join in a Black History trivia game going on while you draw, and win silly prizes.

Can't come on the 27th? Get a form at the Library and enter any time all month. Make sure to use a black pen, marker or pencil – no colors allowed!

Join in our trivia game that will be going on during our art program for silly prizes.



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