



HACKLEY
Public Library

Everything Imaginable.

HACKLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY NEWSLETTER • SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2020 • VOL 37

COMMUNITY INK

ALL AGES PROGRAMS



SEPTEMBER 12 • SAT. 2:00

*Ruxy Muzik with Dave Rucks -
Virtual Music Performance*

Ranging from classic rock to R&B, to blues, to pop, to contemporary rock and also cool jazz, seasoned musician Dave Rucks brings a high energy performance. This entertainer has performed around the world with national acts and will be available to watch virtually through the HPL Facebook Page or Youtube Channel.



SEPTEMBER 19 • SAT. 2:00

Drawing Mythological Creatures

Sharpen those pencils, dust off your erasers, gather some scrap paper, and log into this special Zoom program with illustrator Corinne Roberts. In this hour-long lesson, we'll learn how to draw different kinds of mythological creatures.

Registration with a valid email address is required. Visit our website or call 231-722-8011 to sign up today!



OCTOBER 27 • TUES. 6:00

Lake Monsters of the Great Lakes

Join Shetan Noir as she talks about lake monsters and other odd creatures of the Great Lakes. Visit our website or call 231-722-8011 to sign up for this exciting event!

What's currently available at the Library?

Information is continuously being updated, please ask HPL staff, visit hackleylibrary.org, or HPL's Facebook page for the latest updates.

RETURNING ITEMS

Items can be returned inside the Library during open hours, or outside to the Book Drop. All items with due dates during the closure will be back-dated, and no overdue late fines will be accrued.

ACCESS TO PUBLIC COMPUTERS

Public computer usage will be by appointment only. Appointments can be made by calling (231) 722-8009 during open hours or by stopping by the Library.

BROWSING

Browsing is now available in certain areas of the library, including the Fiction section, Large Print section, Audiobooks section, and the Youth Services bookstacks.

CHECKING OUT ITEMS, CURBSIDE PICKUP AVAILABLE

Patrons are able to browse certain sections, or can request items in person to checkout at the Library.

Patrons can place holds on items online, or inside the Library, and pick them up inside the Library or via curbside pickup.

HOW TO CHECK OUT ITEMS?

1. Patrons are able to browse certain sections of the Library.
2. It is our pleasure to retrieve the items that are available in the Library upon request.
3. For patrons who wish to place a hold on an item (whether in person or online), they will be notified when a hold is ready for pickup. Item(s) can be picked up inside at the service desk, or through curbside pickup.
 - a. Inside pickup does NOT require an appointment.
 - b. Curbside pickup does require an appointment; a time must be requested at least one hour prior to the intended pickup time.
4. If curbside pickup is requested, a patron will be given an order number for the requested time. Order number must be provided to pick up order.
5. Please limit curbside pickup to one order per vehicle/family, per day.

YOUTH SERVICES DEPT - LIMITED SERVICES HPL's YS department is open for holds pick-up, in-person item requests, browsing the YS bookstacks, and checkouts.

HPL'S NON-FICTIONS BOOKSTACKS REMAIN CLOSED AT THIS TIME.

HPL'S YOUTH SERVICES COMPUTERS, AND ACTIVITY AREAS REMAIN CLOSED AT THIS TIME.

CURRENT OPEN HOURS: 10 AM - 2 PM, MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY

HACKLEYLIBRARY.ORG | FACEBOOK.COM/HACKLEYPL/ | ASKUS@HACKLEYLIBRARY.ORG | 231-722-8000

HAVE QUESTIONS? VISIT: HACKLEYLIBRARY.ORG or EMAIL: ASKUS@HACKLEYLIBRARY.ORG

YOUTH SERVICES/TEEN PROGRAMS



FACEBOOK LIVE and IN PERSON STORY TIMES

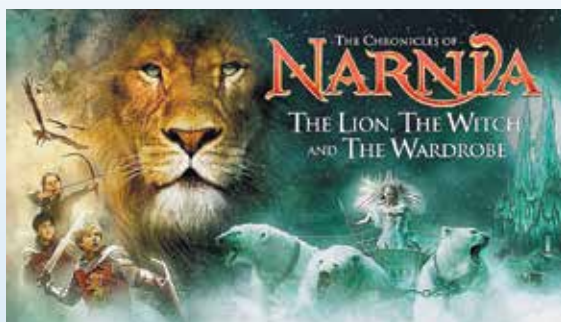
TODDLER Story Time 10:30 AM
SEPT 3, 10, 17, 24
OCT 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

PRESCHOOL Story Time 10:30 AM
SEPT 4, 11, 18, 25
OCT 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

We are excited to welcome a very limited audience to our story times in September and October! Our space is limited to two families at each story time. **Registration is required by calling 231-722-8014.** Everyone present, including children 2 and older, must wear a face mask covering their noses and mouths.

f Don't worry if you can't be here in person! We stream all story times on Facebook Live and post the recordings. Not sure which day to attend/watch? Our Toddler Story Time is intended for children who enjoy shorter stories and more movement activities. Our Preschool Story Time is designed for children who prefer to follow along with longer stories.

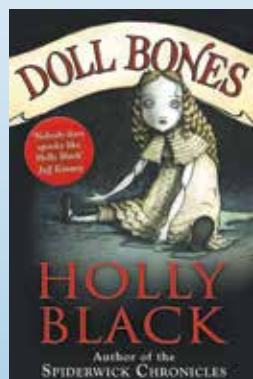
**On Thursday and Friday mornings, the Youth Services Department will be closed for browsing between 10:00 am and 11:00 am. Holds pick up will still be available.*



SEPTEMBER CHAPTER BOOK READ • 3:00 PM, WEEKDAYS ON FACEBOOK

*The Lion, the Witch, and
the Wardrobe* by
C.S. Lewis.
f We couldn't resist

diving into this classic fantasy tale. Anyone up for finding Narnia in their closets?



OCTOBER CHAPTER BOOK READ 3:00 PM, WEEKDAYS ON FACEBOOK

f *Doll Bones* by Holly Black. Leaves are falling. The air is getting cooler. Night comes sooner and sooner. Who isn't in the mood for a gentle ghost story?



HACKLEY CRAFTS

Instructional videos will be posted to Facebook.

SEPT. 10, THURS. 3:00

Take and Make Craft for Kids -- Jingle Sticks



Tap into your musical side with these cheerful, colorful instruments. Pick up a craft kit the week of Sept 7 and follow along with our instructional video Thursday, Sept 10 at 3:00 pm.

SEPT. 24, THURS. 3:00

Take and Make Craft for Teens -- Knitting Nancy



Flex your creative muscles and learn a new knitting technique. A knitting nancy or spool knitting isn't new -- it's just not as well-known as its traditional cousin with needles. We'll provide the supplies, but you'll need to provide an empty toilet paper roll. (Surely you have one from quarantine?) Pick up a craft kit the week of Sept 21 and follow along with our instructional video Thursday, Sept 24 at 3:00 pm.

OCT. 15, THURS. 3:00

*Take and Make Craft for Kids
Tissue Paper Pumpkins*

Crumple up some tissue paper and decorate a happy little pumpkin! Pick up a craft kit the week of Oct 12 and follow along with our instructional video Thursday, Oct 15 at 3:00 pm.



OCT. 29, THURS. 3:00

*Take and Make Craft for Teens
Beaded Pumpkins*

Create a festive decoration for your room this fall! Pick up a craft kit the week of Oct 26 and follow along with our instructional video Thursday, Oct 29 at 3:00 pm.

Your safety is our utmost priority!

To ensure that Hackley Public Library is a safe environment for Library patrons, HPL will be following suggested guidelines.

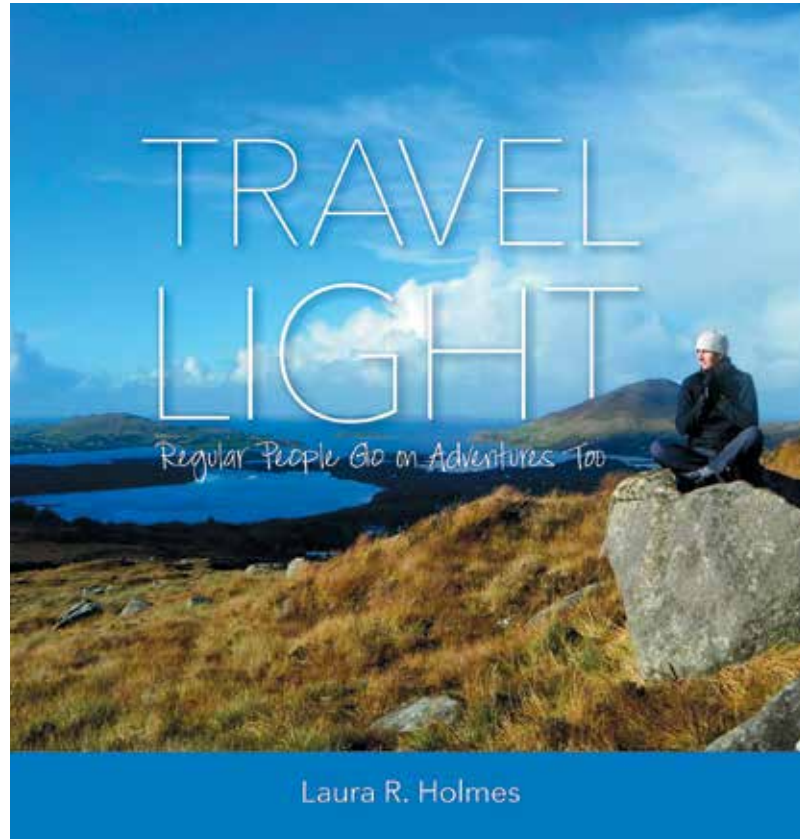


FACE MASK REQUIRED



KEEP YOUR HANDS CLEAN

- Visitors are required to wear a face mask/covering at all times while being in the Library.
- All visitors to the Library are required to practice social distancing by maintaining at least six feet apart from library staff and patrons.
- Visitors are strongly encouraged to wash their hands and/or utilize hand sanitizer.
- Visitors are asked to avoid touching their eyes, nose and mouth.
- Conversations between library visitors that are not specific to the library services are prohibited in the building and at least 30 feet from the entrance.
- Conversations with staff are to be kept short and related to the specific reasons that the Library is open.
- Visits to the Library are to be for a specific purpose like picking up materials or using a public computer.
- Access to restrooms is for library visitors utilizing specific library services only.
- Smoking of any kind is prohibited anywhere on Library property.



TRAVEL LIGHT

Virtual Presentation
6:00 pm, September 22

Active/Adventure travel, group travel, tips and more... from Travel Light Author Laura R. Holmes. The COVID crisis has dramatically changed our approach to travel so we'll discuss the trend to vacation locally or regionally, updates from the airline industry and more. Laura will discuss adventuring in her home state of Michigan, other US states and abroad. Registration with a valid email address is required. Visit our website or call 231-722-8011 to sign up today!

'Left to Write'

Creative Writing Group

SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

2:00 PM, WEDNESDAYS ON FACEBOOK

Did you know?

Hackley Public Library has a creative writing group called *Left to Write!* For the time being, we're bringing *Left to Write* to you online, with prompts over Facebook. Anyone can participate by using the prompt to inspire your writing! Once the library is hosting programs inside the library, we will have a special meeting to read over what you've written at home. Prompts will be posted to Facebook every Wednesday at 2:00 pm.



BOOK DISCUSSIONS
(IN PERSON/ONLINE)
MONDAYS-1:00 PM

SEPTEMBER 14 • OCTOBER 12

Join us for these outdoor book discussions on the lawn between Hackley Public Library and Muskegon Museum of Art (weather permitting). If you can't make it to the library, don't worry, the discussion will be available to live stream through Zoom. Registration with a valid email address is required for virtual participation. Visit our website or call 231-722-8011 to sign up today!



BOOKS TO BE DISCUSSED:

September 14th
THE GONE DEAD
by Chanelle Benz

BOOK WILL BE ANNOUNCED SEPT. 18TH

October 12th
BOOK TO BE ANNOUNCED SEPT. 18
Check our Facebook page or the HPL website for updates.



Hackley Crafts

To secure a free craft kit, registration with a valid email address is required, and is limited to 20 people. Visit our website or call 231-722-8011 to sign up today! Registrants will receive an email confirmation with instructions for picking up craft kits.

SEPT. 21, MON. 6:00
DIY Map Coasters



Follow along with Mallory as she virtually teaches how to make Map Coasters on the

HPL Facebook page.

OCT. 5, MON. 6:00
Shirt Sleeve Pumpkins



Follow along with Mallory as she virtually teaches how to make shirt sleeve pumpkins on the HPL Facebook page.

WRITE FOR FRIGHT!

ADULT SHORT STORY CONTEST

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: OCTOBER 24

Let us hear your spookiest short stories. The submission deadline is October 24. The winning story will be announced and read on the HPL's Facebook Page on October 30th. Stories should be 2500 words or fewer. Only one story per applicant. Submissions can be sent to askus@hackleylibrary.org, with 'Write for Fright' and your name in the subject line. Call 231-722-8000 with questions! Free to participate. Ages 16+.



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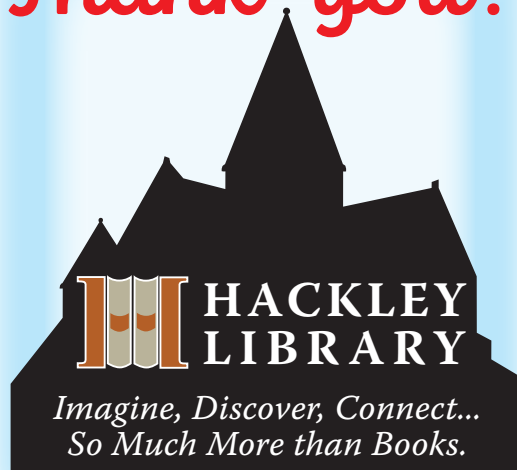
**Hours are subject to change*
MONDAY - SATURDAY
10:00 am-2:00 pm



Director's Note:

Thank you for supporting reading and lifelong learning in our community by voting "Yes" to renew the Hackley Public Library millage for ten more years!

Thank-you!



I want to sincerely thank the many volunteers who offered their ideas and assistance in getting the word out about the Library's millage request. While we were confident in the message and endearing qualities of the Library, we relied on a network of dedicated individuals who made all of the difference.

I also express gratitude to the staff of the Library who continue to maintain a high level of service

through uncertainty and constant change. The staff has been doing a commendable job keeping the public and themselves safe from becoming infected with the Coronavirus while providing a wide range

of services, including the addition of service points like a greeter station and engaging virtual programming.

What can patrons of the Library expect soon? We will continue to examine ways to increase access to library materials, provide in-person programming, and make the Library safe for visitors.

I am profoundly thankful and blessed to be working in this community that has remained committed to overcoming the challenges we face during this pandemic. Please share your thoughts, ideas, and concerns with me. I am excited to hear from you!



Joe Zappacosta, Director, Hackley Public Library



MUSKEGON CIVIC Theatre
EDUCATION
Saturday Theatre Classes
Footlights Fun Camp
Holiday and Spring Productions

The Penguin Project of Muskegon Civic Theatre
Giving kids with disabilities a chance to SHINE!

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