



George H. & Ella M.
**Rodgers Memorial
Library**

January 2016 Newsletter



Library Hours Update

Thursday, December 31 - Closing at 5:00pm
Friday, January 1, 2016 - Closed

Starting Sunday, January 10:
Sundays - OPEN, 1-5PM

Red Cross Blood Drive

Wednesday, December 30, 1-6PM

Did you know that one blood donation can save up to three lives? Be a hero, give blood.

The Red Cross will be holding a blood drive at the library this month. Go to redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-REDCROSS (723-2767) to register for an appointment.

We are looking for people who would like to bring some finger food during the drive to feed the donors. If you want to make something, drop it off on the day of the drive and help reward the donors for their valuable gift.

There will be a Kid's Movie Marathon in the Children's Programming Room during the blood drive. Sign your children in to watch movies with a staff member while you give blood.



Teen Art Club

Monday, January 11, 6:30-8PM

Monday, January 25, 6:30-8PM

Art club is for anyone in grades 6-12 who wants to meet and share their artistic talents, learn new skills, and practice. All skill levels are welcome!



Art Exhibit: Olivia Burtzell

On display through January

The featured artist for January is photographer Olivia Burtzell. You can check out her work all month in the Library Community Room.

Meet the artist at a reception on Thursday, January 7 from 6:30-8:30 PM.



Genealogy Club

Friday, January 8, 1:30PM

Happy New Year! We will ring in 2016 with a roundtable discussion about plans for programs.

In addition, we will discuss the recent decision by Ancestry to stop selling Family Tree Maker as of December 31, 2015, and to only guarantee continued support to current owners through January 1, 2017. We will discuss what all of this means to our genealogy research.

Everyone is welcome!



Make a 2016 Vision Board

Tuesday, January 12, 6:30PM

It's that time of year again: time to approach the New Year in a different way!

Join Diane MacKinnon, Master Life Coach, at a hands-on session to create a Vision Board to help you manifest your best destiny in 2016. A vision board is a collage using images and/or words to express the people, places, events and things that we wish for our lives. When created from a place of peace, a vision board will help you clarify the deepest desires of your heart. Spend a couple of hours relaxing your logical, thinking mind and playing with images and colors. You will come away with a map to your best life. All supplies provided, but if you have a few magazines you don't mind cutting up, bring them along.



Pre-registration is encouraged. [Register online](#) or call (603) 886-6030.

Card Stock Model Making Presentation and Exhibit

Friday, January 29, 3:30PM

Card stock modeler Dick Zoerb will talk about how he builds airplanes, lighthouses, medieval buildings, ships and more from this interesting material. He will display at least 30 models that he has built, including a 52" Titanic, a working carousel, the Taj Mahal, and an assortment of planes and lighthouses. He will offer a model for a drawing to those in attendance.



Coloring for Adults

Monday, January 11, All Day

Why should kids have all the fun? In honor of Coloring Day in the Children's Room, we will also have coloring pages and supplies available for adults and teens to join in. Come by and enjoy this easy, creative and relaxing hobby.



Free Tax Help

Starting February 1

Volunteers from the AARP will be at the library Mondays and Saturdays from February 1 - April 11 to help seniors and low to moderate taxpayers of all ages with their federal tax returns. (Tax assistance volunteers cannot help prepare Schedule C over \$10,000 in expenses, Schedule E, complicated/lengthy Schedule D forms without proper paperwork, or other specialized forms. Taxpayers with complex tax needs are advised to seek paid tax help.)



Appointment registration will begin in January. Availability of registration (online, phone and in person) will be announced after the new year.

Service Updates

Weekly New Items Newsletter

Interested in seeing what items have been added to our collection every week?

Subscribe to the Rodgers Memorial Library Wowbrary Newsletter and receive a weekly email with a listing of just arrived materials. (*Note: The weekly newsletter is not the same as this newsletter, so it does require signing up to receive it!*)

No Fines - Up to 5 Items Out!

We are currently piloting a different kind of borrowing model: have up to 5 items out at a time, fine free. If the idea of accruing fines is stressful, or you just don't always have time to get back to the library right away, this might be the right plan for you. Speak to any librarian for full details of how this model works.

Winter and Spring Sundays

Starting January 10th and through the month of April, we will once again be opening on Sunday afternoons. Stop by and warm up with a book.

Second Hand Prose

Sunday, January 10, 11AM - 3PM

Hills Memorial Library

*Note that Second Hand Prose at Night will NOT be held in January or February.
Thursday openings will resume in March.*

'Early Bird' admittance at 10AM Sunday granted to paid members of the Friends. You may become a member at the sale for as little as \$10. Please enter via the ramp at the rear of the building. DONATIONS of DVDs, CDs, and gently used books are NEEDED and may be brought to Second Hand Prose or to the Library during regular hours.

The Friends of the Hudson Library will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, January 19 at 7PM in the Rodgers Library Community Room. All are welcome.

Additional January Events

Gaming Day

Sat 1/9, 12-4PM

Free Film

Mission Impossible: Rogue Nation

Thu 1/14, 2PM

Thu 1/14, 6:30PM

Book Discussion

City of Light

Tue 1/19, 1:30PM

Family Film

Minions

Sat 1/16, 1PM

Beading Group

Sat 1/23, 11AM-3PM

Drop In Stitchers

Fridays, 9:30-11:30AM

Computer Workshops

Windows 10 Overview

Mon 1/4, 1:30PM

Tue 1/5, 7PM

Beginning Excel

Mon 1/11, 1:30PM

Tue 1/12, 7PM

Intermediate Excel

Mon 1/18, 1:30PM

Tue 1/19, 7PM