



Hanson Public Library Newsletter July/August 2016

A Message from the Director

The Hanson Public Library is participating in the 2016 statewide summer reading program: ON YOUR MARK, GET SET, READ! This program is sponsored by the Hanson Public Library, the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, the Friends of the Hanson Library, the Hanson Public Library Foundation, Inc., and the Hanson Cultural Council.

Registration for the following programs begins on Friday, June 24th. You may register [online through our Calendar of Events](#), by calling 781-293-2151, or by emailing info@hansonlibrary.org. Please note that programs that have a limited capacity will give preference to Hanson residents first.

The Library's summer hours, effective July 9th to August 31st are:

Monday & Friday - 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday - 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Wednesday & Saturday - 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

The Library will be closed July 2nd & 4th and September 3rd & 5th.

If you enjoy this newsletter and would like to receive future editions to stay in touch with what's happening at your library, please visit our website at www.hansonlibrary.org and enter your email address under "Join Our Email List".

Summer Reading 2016

Weekly Kids Programs

Starting Friday, June 24th, you can register for any of the following events online through our [Calendar of Events](#), by calling 781-293-2151, or by emailing info@hansonlibrary.org.

BFG BOOK CLUB

TUESDAYS

GRADES 3-6

3:00-4:00 PM

A weekly reading program inspired by the new Disney movie BFG and Roald Dahl's novel BFG. This class will consist of reading & creative literacy activities geared toward grades 3-6.



ROAD TO RIO

TUESDAYS

AGES 9 & UP

6:00-7:30 PM

In celebration of the Summer Olympics we are hosting a weekly program geared toward all things sports! Kids read & then take part in our Road to Rio activities each week!

7/12: Flag Football

7/19: Soccer Games

7/26: Olympic Games

8/2: Kickball Tourney

8/9: Closing Ceremony

Games, party & reading certificates for participants.



KIDS DRAWING CLASSES

TUESDAYS

AGES 7 & UP

4:00-5:00 PM

\$5 PER CLASS FOR MATERIALS

Kids come have fun and learn how to draw! Instructor Allison Andrews will give step-by-step instructions on how to draw your favorite sports team or activity.

7/12: Drawing Boston Team Logos

7/19: Fruit and Veggie Face Drawings

7/26: Drawing People in Motion

8/2: How to Draw Minecraft Characters



KIDS PAINTING CLASSES

TUESDAYS

AGES 7 & UP

5:00-6:30 PM

\$10 PER CLASS FOR MATERIALS

Celebrate summer activity and get creative with paint! Kids will leave each class with a sport and wellness themed creation.

7/12: Painting Boston Team Logos

7/19: Paint to the Rhythm

7/26: Paint a Canvas

8/2: Summer Olympics Paintings



JACK THE LEGO GUY

THURSDAYS

GRADES K & UP

5:00-6:00 PM

Jack "The Lego Maniac" McCarthy, a life long lover of legos, will present this fun program for grades K & up.

Dates are 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4.



FAIRY TALE STEM

THURSDAYS

GRADES 3-5

3:00-4:00 PM

Participants will read a fairy tale and create various STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) projects. Dates are 7/14, 7/21, 8/4, 8/18.



READ TO RAVEN

FRIDAYS

GRADES K & UP

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

In this informal weekly reading program, Raven, a therapy dog, encourages children to read aloud. Dates are 7/15 (10:00 am), 7/22, 7/29, 8/12, 8/19.



WEEKLY STORYTIMES

WEDNESDAYS & SATURDAYS

9:30 am - First Readers - Ages 0-3

10:00 am - Craft & Story - Ages 3-6



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Robotics & Video Game Programs

Starting Friday, June 24th, you can register for any of the following events online through our [Calendar of Events](#), by calling 781-293-2151, or by emailing info@hansonlibrary.org.

RI COMPUTER MUSEUM

KODU GAME LAB

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18

4:00-6:00 PM

AGES 9 & UP

Create your own 3D video game! It's free to download to PC computers, and you can make games for the Xbox too. If you like playing Minecraft, you'll love Kodu Game Lab!



EASTON CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

SCIENCE ON THE GO: DOODLEBOTS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

4:00 PM

GRADES 1 & UP

Droid-bots are simple automated doodling machines built from a handful of items, including a motor and battery.



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Magic & Comedy Programs

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THE SILLY LAUGHING MUSICAL FUN POETRY SHOW

THURSDAY, JULY 14

6:30-7:30 PM

The Silly Laughing Musical Fun Poetry Show is a family fun interactive show presented by award-winning author Jeff Nathan. Literacy-centered fun for the whole family: It's a concert! It's a comedy show! It's a RIOT!



JUNGLE JIM READING OLYMPICS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5

10:00 AM

AGES 3-10

15 volunteer athletes from the audience will compete in archery, basketball, fencing and even Scottish caber toss! Magic, balloon artistry, comedy & storytelling!



ED POPIELARCZYK FAMILY COMEDY MAGIC SHOW

FRIDAY, JULY 22

10:00 AM

A fun magic show for the whole family, with audience participation.



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Special Events

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BOSTON BRUINS MASCOT BLADES & ICE GIRLS VISIT

THURSDAY, JULY 21

10:00 AM

ALL AGES WELCOME

Storytime with Blades, hockey mask craft, trivia, prizes and a Bruins Cake! Join us for this grant awarded visit!



GLUE & GO

FRIDAY, JULY 15

11:00 AM

AGES 5 & UP

Come learn how to create prize winning costumes out of household items with author Holly Cleeland. Three costumes to be given away at the end of the performance.



SUMMER READING FINALE!

CAROUSEL FAMILY FUN CENTER

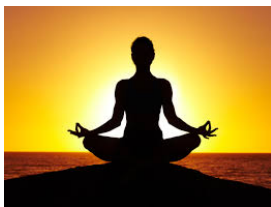
SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

10:00 AM

All Summer Reading Participants are invited to mark the end of a successful summer of reading!



Summer Yoga Classes for Adults



The Hanson Public Library Foundation is sponsoring two six-week medleys of Yoga classes introducing the benefits of Yoga for flexibility and releasing emotional and physical stress. Classes will be led by Certified Yoga Instructor LeeAnn Trigler. All Yogi levels welcome to attend!

Classes will be held at the Library Community Room on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 pm on the following Thursdays: July 14, July 21, July 28, August 4, August 11, August 25.

And on Friday afternoons from 1:00 to 2:00 pm on the following Fridays: July 15, July 22, July 29, August 5, August 12, August 19.

Cost is \$5 per class. Checks should be made out to Hanson Public Library Foundation. Register for individual or all classes [online through our Calender of Events](#), by calling 781-293-2151 or by emailing info@hansonlibrary.org.

Trivia Night - 2016 - Fifth Annual

Camp Kiwanee Lodge (Rt 58, Hanson)

Tuesday, July 26, 2016

6:30 pm - Doors Open

7:30 pm - Questions Begin

A fun, competitive experience that brings friends together to tackle brain-tickling questions!

Cash prize of \$300 awarded to winning team.

Cash bar - Raffles - Complimentary popcorn & water - Bring your own snacks and thinking caps!

Cost: \$150 per table (up to 8 people); individual registration \$20 per person (will be seated at a table with other people). Early registration - Before Monday, July 11th: \$125 per table. Limited table space available. Sign up now & don't miss the fun!



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Trivia

[Entry forms](#) may be dropped off or mailed to the Hanson Public Library, 132 Maquan Street, Hanson, MA 02341. Please make checks payable to: **Hanson Public Library Foundation, Inc.** Email questions to hpl.foundation@gmail.com or call 781-293-2151.

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Book-to-Movie Discussion

Each month a selection is made, participants read the book at home and watch the movie either at home or at the library on the last Tuesday of the month at 1:00 pm. The discussion is held on the last Thursday of the month.

Light refreshments will be served at the discussion. Books and movies are available for checkout through the SAILS Library Network.

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July

Selection: *Room* by Emma Donoghue

Movie Showing: Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at 1:00 pm

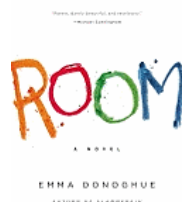
Book Discussion: Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 6:30 pm

August

Selection: *I Am Malala* by Malala Yousafzai

Movie Showing: Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 1:00 pm

Book Discussion: Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 6:30 pm



Room

By [Donoghue, Emma](#)

2010-09 - Little Brown and Company

9780316098335 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

ALA Notable Books (2011), Alex Awards (2011), Baileys Women's Prize for Fiction (2011), Governor General's Literary Awards (2010), Green Mountain Book Award (2013), Indies Choice Book Awards (2011), Kentucky Bluegrass Award (2012), Man Booker Prize (2010), Orange Broadband Prize (2011), Pennsylvania Young Reader's Choice Award (2013), Women's Fiction AKA Orange Prize (2011), Young Adult Canadian Book Award (2011)

Told entirely in the language of the energetic, pragmatic five-year-old Jack, "Room" is a celebration of resilience and the limitless bond between parent and child, a brilliantly executed novel about what it means to journey from one world to another. [...More](#)



Room

By [Abrahamson, Lenny](#)

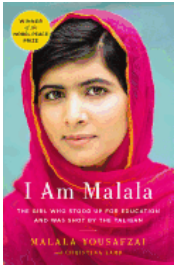
2016-03 - Lions Gate Home Entertainment

0031398234616 [Check Our Catalog](#)

Awards:

Golden Globe Awards (2016)

After a life stuck in a tiny, windowless room (which his mother simply refers to as "Room"), the young boy Jack and his mother, Ma, decide to break out and discover the real world. This will prove more difficult than either one of them has ever suspected, leaving them dealing with completely new surroundings in a much larger and more complicated sphere than they've ever experienced before. Join [...More](#)



I Am Malala: The Girl Who Stood Up for Education and Was Shot by the Taliban

By [Yousafzai, Malala](#)

With [Lamb, Christina](#)

2013-10 - Little Brown and Company

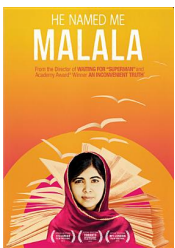
9780316322409 [Check Our Catalog](#)

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Awards:

Black-Eyed Susan Award (2016), Nautilus Award (2014), Virginia Readers Choice Award (2016)

I AM MALALA is the remarkable tale of a family uprooted by global terrorism, of the fight for girls' education, of a father who, himself a school owner, championed and encouraged his daughter to write and attend school, and of brave parents who have a fierce love for their daughter in a society that prizes sons. [...More](#)



He Named Me Malala

By [Guggenheim, Davis](#)

2015-12 - Twentieth Century-Fox

0024543225003 [Check Our Catalog](#)

HE NAMED ME MALALA is an intimate portrait of Malala Yousafzai, who was wounded when Taliban gunmen opened fire on her and her friends' school bus in Pakistan's Swat Valley. The then 15-year-old teenager, who had been targeted for speaking out on behalf of girls' education in her region of Swat Valley in Pakistan, was shot in the head, sparking international media outrage. An educational activist [...More](#)

Museum Passes



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Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum
Massachusetts ParksPass
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Plimoth Plantation
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Take a look at some of the [new book and movie releases](#) that recently arrived and discover even more items that are in your library through [Enterprise](#), our online catalog. You can also view your library account and request materials from any library in the SAILS Library Network.

Ancestry Library Edition



This online genealogy resource is available from any of the library's public computers. Search census data, vital records, directories, and more. Both U.S. and international data is included. **In-library use only, no remote access available.**

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