

Library

The mission of the Huntington Woods Public Library is to serve our member communities life-long learning needs by providing access to informational, cultural, educational and leisure resources.

LIBRARY LOVERS MONTH *"How do I Love the Library? Let me count the ways..."*

We will be celebrating Library Lovers Month in February. Come to the library, purchase a heart and support the library! Patrons can purchase a blank heart for \$1 and write a message about why they love the Huntington Woods Library. The personal message hearts will be posted throughout the library. All proceeds from the heart purchases benefit the Friends of the Huntington Woods Library to help support the programs and activities that are enjoyed by all at the library.

HOLIDAY SHOPPING

The library has a wide variety of gifts for your shopping needs. Book bags, bibs for children and Huntington Woods Pewabic Tiles are for sale. All of the proceeds benefit the library.



LIBRARY CARD

Most likely you've heard the catch phrase: "What's the smartest card in your wallet?" Here at the library we think the answer is "my library card!" It's like a credit card - but for all the materials and

resources you can access through your library. This smart card gives you access to a variety of public library resources, including statewide databases. Your library card may truly be the most valued and used card in your wallet!

Please bring your library card with you when you visit the library. It is needed to place holds, use the Internet, and or course, circulate library materials. Also we greatly appreciate if you would provide your email address - for quicker notification of items on hold, as they become available. Should you have a late item, you will also be notified of the item.

BOOK SALE DONATIONS

The library accepts donations of paperback and hardcover books throughout the year for the The Friends of the Library book sales. Tax receipts are issued upon request. Please bring donations in boxes or sturdy bags.

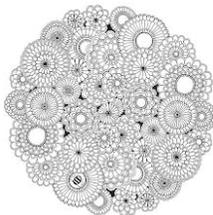
EMAGINE THEATRE **\$8 MOVIE DAYS**

On Wed., Nov. 21; Mon., Dec. 3 and Wed., Dec. 19 present your HWPL card to redeem one movie ticket and a small popcorn. Good at all Southeast Michigan Emagine Theatres.



ADULT COLORING CLUB **Mondays, Dec 10, Jan 14, Feb 11,** **1:00 - 3:00 pm**

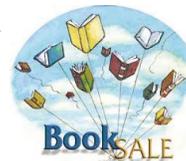
Relax and explore your creative side at our Adult Coloring Club on Monday, December 10, January 14, February 11 and March 11, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm. Coloring pages, colored pencils and markers provided. Snacks provided too!



BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP
Fourth Monday of every Month, 7:30 pm
Our ever-popular book discussion group rotates between fiction and non-fiction titles. Members of the group take turns serving as facilitators. Winter dates are as follows: November 26; December 17; January 28 and February 25. Please

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY **USED BOOK SALES** *Saturday, December 1*

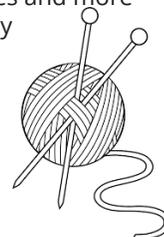
The Friends of the Huntington Woods Library is hosting a used book sale on Saturday, December 1, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. The public is invited to browse thousands of books and media in great condition. Items for sale include paperbacks, hard covers, DVDs, music CDs, audiobooks, children's books and gift-quality items. Items are presented by category to make it easy for shoppers to browse. All proceeds from the sale benefit the Library's programs and services. Most of the items are \$1! Each December year-end sale, ALL items are 1/2 off!



call the library for book titles and more information about this lively book discussion group.

"BE A STITCH" **Wednesdays, 7:00 pm** **Nov. 28, Dec. 26, Jan. 30,** **and Feb. 27**

Join the library staff as we enjoy the wonderful hobbies of KNITTING and CROCHETING. We are part of the knitting and crocheting movement as library patrons of all ages, especially young adults, moms and daughters, seniors, friends, etc. gather in an organized group and get their "creative knit" on.



WOODS GALLERY **"RESONATE"**

a group exhibit featuring Candace Law, Kim Ensch, Rosemary Lee, Melissa Rian and Ruth Warnock
EXHIBIT DATES: NOV. 1 - DEC. 31
This exhibit features encaustic mixed media paintings; an ancient medium that incorporates beeswax and pigment, and is traditionally painted onto a rigid, absorbent surface such as a wood panel.

Visit the gallery Facebook page or WoodsGallery.org for current gallery information and to submit exhibition requests.



TOILETRIES DRIVE **Needed by December 14**

The Young Adults group is creating hygiene kits to donate to students at the Highland Park Renaissance Academy.



NEEDED:

face towels, soap/body wash, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, socks, shampoo, conditioner, dental floss, hand sanitizer and feminine hygiene products. Please leave items in the donation box in the Young Adult Section by Dec. 14.

ADULT PROGRAMMING

TWELFTH NIGHT SINGERS, December 12, 7:00 pm

The Twelfth Night Singers will be returning to Huntington Woods for an amazing evening of Renaissance and holiday music. The program is open to all ages. It will be a delightful evening and an opportunity to hear how beautiful the human voice can be without an accompaniment.



LAUREL BERNSTEIN-MACHLAY, January 16, 7:00 pm

January sometimes brings with it planning for the new year, which often includes travelling. Join author Laurel Bernstein-Machlay as she takes us on her journey of discovery in the city of her birth—Detroit. Ms. Machlay will be discussing both her own personal journey and that of her (our) recovering city.

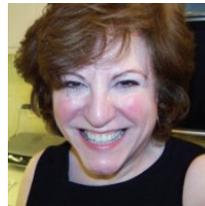
THOMAS DANIELS AND THOMAS MARCH, February 13, 7:00 pm

February is National Black History month. In honor of the month and what it stands for join two local authors whose joint venture is entitled Black and White Like you and Me. The authors—Thomas Daniels, and Thomas March were two young men growing up in Detroit in the same neighborhood. Join them as they discuss their early lives in the city's various neighborhoods.

All of the above programs are free of charge and are sponsored by the Friends of the Library. While they are free, registration is recommended. Please register by going to the Library's website and clicking on the events tab.

ART WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS!

The Art Workshop fun continues with more great workshops with Huntington Woods native and local handcraft artist and teacher, Jane Alkon. Sign up for these popular programs and enjoy an afternoon of creativity and conversation. You are guaranteed to create a professional-looking, fabulous art piece you will be proud to call your own!



The workshops meet in the Knox Room of the Huntington Woods Library. They are open to adult residents in Huntington Woods and Pleasant Ridge. All workshops are free of charge and include all of the supplies necessary to complete the projects. These workshops fill quickly and are limited to 15 participants (unless noted).

FELTED WOOL TABLE MAT

Sat., November 10, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Have fun on a chilly November day creating a Felted Wool Table Mat! Naturally heat and moisture resistant, in this fun workshop, create your own design using your choice of pre-cut multi-color, multi-sized pure wool circles. When finished, you will have an awesome table "pad" that looks modern and edgy and is completely functional and beautiful!

ETCHED GLASS BOWL

Sat., December 15, 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

Beautiful, functional art continues to be the theme as you learn the technique of glass etching. This fun workshop shows you how to turn an ordinary glass bowl into a piece of art. Using adhesive designs, transform your bowl from plain to fabulous in minutes! When finished, your bowl will be permanently etched and reflect your own artistic vision.

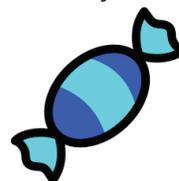
SPECIAL DROP-IN ART WORKSHOP

Thurs., December 27, 11:30 am - 2:30 pm

Join the fun in this Special Drop-In Art Workshop with Jane Alkon. We will "use up" leftover supplies from prior classes. This is a fun opportunity to create a project you may have missed or would like to repeat - you pick the project! Quantities are limited and only one project per person.

This is a DROP-IN class. Come anytime between 11:30 am - 1:00 pm. Most projects will take 1.5 hours to complete. Registration is limited to 20 participants.

If you're overwhelmed with holiday goodies at home, feel free to bring a snack to make our "Drop-In Art Day" even more festive!



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LIBRARY HOURS

Mon - Thurs 10:00 am to 9:00 pm
Friday Closed
Saturday 10:00 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday 1:00 to 5:00 pm

HOLIDAY HOURS CLOSED

Closed at 6:00 pm on Wed., Nov. 21 - 26; Dec. 21 - 25, 31 and January 1.

LIBRARY STAFF

Director - Anne Hage
Clerks - Karen Dubrinsky, Kate Finn, Matt McCall
Gallery Coordinator - Sue Smith
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LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD

Laura Archambault; Judy Goldsmith; Robert Holley; Renee Nadiv; Steven Pollock; Stacey Stutcher; Mikey Keating-Smith

Library board meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:30 pm
The public is welcome.

MODERN ART WITH A MODERN TWIST!

Sat., January 12, 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

In this fun workshop, try your hand at creating something bold, graphic and modern. Using amazing, colorful duct tape and the inspiration of graphic abstract artist Larry Zox, create your own modern art piece on artist's canvas. When completed, your fantastic colorful graphic will be suitable for hanging.

WOOD TEA LIGHT CANDLEHOLDER

Sat., January 26, 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

Nothing is cozier in the winter than some flickering candles creating a calm and homey environment. In this terrific workshop, you will create a beautiful candleholder to use with tea lights. Using natural woods and your decorative

eye, your candleholder will be a wonderful accent to your beautiful home and something you can enjoy for years and years.

DECOUPAGE FRENCH FLOWER BUCKET

Sat., February 23, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm
In this exciting workshop, turn a classic French flower bucket vase into a gorgeous piece of functional decorated art! Using your selection of archival papers, decoupage this vintage style into your wonderful lush modern vase. Guaranteed to be that fabulous piece to showcase beautiful flowers over and over throughout the year.

FILM DISCUSSION SERIES

The Huntington Woods Library is hosting a film program. Each of these films exemplifies aspects of what is best about filmmaking and a "night at the movies" in our current moment. In our discussions of the films as texts we will together analyze the technical and thematic components and merits of individual scenes and the films as a whole.

To participate, screen the film in advance of the discussion (copies are available at the Huntington Woods Library) and then join us at 6:30 pm on the 4th Wednesday of each month. Join Dr. Tara Hayes, the Book Club Professor, for thought-provoking discussions.



MUSICALS AND THE MS.-ES:

November 28 Moulin Rouge
Director Baz Luhrmann (2001)

February 27 The Hurt Locker
Director Kathryn Bigelow. (2010)

March 27 The Piano
Director Jane Campion. (1994)

April 24 Daughters of the Dust
Director Julie Dash. (1991)

May 22 Citizenfour
Director Laura Poitras. (2014)

June 26 The Kids Are All Right
Director Lisa Cholodenko. (2010)

"We have found that a library is not an end in itself, but a means to many ends."
Charles E. Rush, 1939

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

All programs generously sponsored by the Friends of the Huntington Woods Library. Pre-registration strongly encouraged.

STORYTIME WITH MS JOYCE

NOVEMBER 26 – FEBRUARY 14

No storytime December 24 - January 4

Story Time at the Huntington Woods Library is open to children who live in Huntington Woods and Pleasant Ridge. As space is limited, registration is required; those who are registered but miss three or more classes may be dropped from the roster so that others on the waitlist may fill the spot. Please visit our website: www.HuntingtonWoodsLib.org to reserve your spot today!



BABES AND BOOKS STORY TIME: MONDAYS AT 11:00 AM

A 20-30 minute story time for children ages 0 - 12 mos and their caregivers including language exploration through books, music, finger plays and movement.

TINY TOTS STORY TIME: TUESDAYS AT 11:00 AM

During this 30 minute story time, children ages 13 - 24 mos and their caregivers will expand their horizons with books, music, flannel stories and more!

LITTLE READERS STORY TIME: WEDNESDAYS AT 11:00 AM

Children 2 and 3 yrs and their caregivers investigate the world around them through books, music, flannel stories, activities and crafts during this 30 minute story time.

PRE-SCHOOL READERS CLUB: WEDNESDAYS AT 1:00 PM

Children 4 and 5 yrs and not yet in Kindergarten will explore print concepts and pre-reading skills through stories, music and crafts. This is a 45 minute story time without caregivers.

PAJAMA CLUB STORY TIME: THURSDAYS AT 6:30 PM

Families with young children of all ages will enjoy sharing books, music and early literacy activities of all kinds together. Bring the whole family and wear your pajamas if you like!



DRAG QUEEN STORYTIME

Drag Queen Storytime is just what it sounds like—drag queens reading stories to children. DQS captures the imagination and play of the gender fluidity of childhood and gives kids glamorous, positive and unabashedly queer role models. In spaces like this, kids are able to see people who defy rigid gender restrictions and imagine a world where people can present as they wish, where dress up is real.

Thursday, December 13, 6:30 pm – Holiday Stories

Saturday, January 26, 3:00 pm – I Like Me Just the Way I Am!

Saturday, February 16, 3:00 pm - Pinkalicious and Peterrific Party

Story Time focuses on introducing children to the wonderful and exciting world of literacy. Each story time includes activities from all six aspects of early literacy: Narrative Skills, Phonological Awareness, Letter Knowledge, Print Awareness, Vocabulary, and Print Motivation. In order for all children to enjoy story time and get the most benefit from it, we ask that you arrive on time, silence your cell phone and save conversations for later. Creating life-long learners is our goal; read early, read often!

SUPER SATURDAYS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

- **Holiday Storytime, 11:00 am** *Best for grade 2 and under*
We'll read some Hanukkah and Christmas stories and travel around to stations celebrating these two fun holidays!
- **Dungeons & Dragons, 1:00 pm** *Grade 3 and up welcome*
Whether you've never played or you're an experienced player, come join us! We'll be getting those new to the game started and arranging some parties to play.
- **Hygiene Kit Drive, 3:00 pm**

Attn TEENS! We're creating hygiene kits to donate to students at the Highland Park Renaissance Academy. We need: face towels, soap/body wash, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, socks, shampoo, conditioner, dental floss, hand sanitizer, and feminine hygiene products. We'll be assembling the kits on December 15. Leave items in the donation box in the Young Adult section or bring them with you on December 15.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

- **Hawaiian Luau, 11:00 am** *Best for grade 2 and under*
Escape the cold and explore the best snacks, crafts and activities the Pacific Islands have to offer. Island wear encouraged!
- **D&D Meet Up, 1:00 pm** *Grade 3rd and up welcome*
Bring a group you'd like to play with or join up with an existing party. We'll have a few people on hand who can help you get started if you're new to the game.
- **I Like Me Just the Way I Am! 3:00 pm** *All ages welcome.*
Storytime with Miss Raven.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16

- **Saturday Storytime, 11:00 am** *Best for grade 2 and under*
Nothing special, just a Saturday morning storytime,
- **D&D Meet Up, 1:00 pm** *Grade 3rd and up welcome*
Bring a group you'd like to play with or join up with an existing party. We'll have a few people on hand who can help you get started if you're new to the game.
- **Miss Raven's Pinkaliscious & Peterrific Party, 3:00 pm**
All ages welcome!
Do you love Pinkaliscious and Peteriffic? Get all dressed up and join us for stories and crafts!

TWEEN AND TEEN PARENTING SERIES

This is a collaborative effort between the Huntington Woods Library, the Tri-Community Coalition and the Oak Park and Huntington Woods Public Safety Departments:

BULLYING*	Wed., Nov. 28, 7:00 pm
TWEENS, TEENS & SOCIAL MEDIA	Thurs., Dec. 13, 7:00 pm
MENTAL HEALTH – STRESS, ANXIETY, DEPRESSION & SUICIDE AWARENESS	Thurs., Jan. 17, 7:00 pm
CONSENT*	Wed., Feb. 13, 7:00 pm

*For kids and parents.

These sessions are expected to fill quickly; reserve your seat through the Huntington Woods Library events calendar, huntingtonwoodslib.org. Text @hk9698 to 81010 to receive information via text message.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDY NIGHTS: JANUARY 21 – 24

The library will remain open until 11:00 pm for students during finals week. We'll provide snacks and drinks, and our wi-fi is always on.



POTTER'S ARMY

**Mondays,
4:00 – 5:00 pm**

Grade 3 and up.

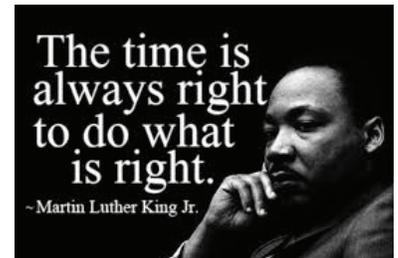
Runs: Nov. 26 - Feb. 11
(No class: 12/24, 12/31, and 1/21)

Join us for Potter's Army, a weekly club for people who love HP as much as we do! Join us in the Restricted Section of the library for trivia, activities, crafts and more centered on the magical world of wizarding. Capes, wands and Hogwarts apparel definitely encouraged! Snack served between 3:30 - 4:00 pm.



FREE DOBBY!

From now until December 17, we're collecting NEW SOCKS, HATS and GLOVES to donate to those in need. Dobby will be collecting them in the Library lobby.



STORYTELLERS PRESENT A TRIBUTE TO DR. KING

Mon., January 21, 3:00 pm

This program is appropriate for all ages. Join us for a program recognizing the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. that combines interactive stories, beautiful music and full audience participation.

MID-WINTER BREAK FUN

HARRY POTTER & THE SORCERER'S STONE

Mon., February 18, 1:00 pm

Join us for an afternoon at the movies; we're showing Popcorn and Potter crafts provided!

BEGINNER NEEDLEPOINT Tues., February 19, 1:00 pm

Best for grades 1 and up, boys AND girls encouraged! Learn to design a pattern on plastic canvas, then fill it in using yarn and a plastic needle.

