

Teens

TAB Open House 8/24, 7:30 – 8:30pm

Summer Reading Club

6/24-8/31. Read & log books weekly; enter to win a prize. Your reading log is your ticket to the Ice Cream Social, Tues. 8/29 @ 2pm

Youth Karaoke/Open Mic 7/27, 7-8:30pm.

Ages 8-18, families & friends. Show off your talents for 5-10 minutes. But keep it family friendly! Sign up in advance by calling the library.

Guest Speaker 7/5, 7pm

Dr. Rich Puerzer presents on management and STEM in baseball. Anecdotes & equations!

Book Friends (High School Students)

Fridays, 7/7, 7/14, 7/21 & 7/28 12-1pm. High Schoolers: apply to read with a 1st-2nd grader.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Register with mwhittington@lmsac.org or 732-632-8526; Metuchen students get preference.

Sunburst Photo Scrapbooking July 6 @ 2pm

Bring a 4x6 photo for a 12x12" Sunburst layout. Coordinate colors, cut perfect pieces, personalize a page. By Clare Puerzer.

Chocolate Dipping Class 7/7, 2-3:30pm

Learn to dip various items from Helen Bayer.

3 Day Art Workshop With Ed Wetzel

7/18-20, 2-4pm Drawing & perspective.

Build a Better World Workshop 8/10, 2-4pm

"Solving Problems Together". Led by Catherine LaMoreaux, NJ-certified teacher.

READING BOOK CLUBS

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High School Club 7/6 & 7/20, 7:30-8:30pm.

Students will discuss Me and Orson Welles.

Middles School Club 7/13, 7:30-8:30pm.

Students will discuss American Born Chinese.



FRIENDS OF THE METUCHEN LIBRARY

WHO WE ARE: An all-volunteer 501(c)(3) charitable nonprofit organization.

WHAT WE DO: Expand programming and acquisitions at the Metuchen Public Library through fundraising, volunteer hours, and **your membership dues and gifts.**

WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN:

Your hands, hearts, and dollars will make the programs in this brochure possible!

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More Teens

Maya Vadell, Harpist 8/12 @ 2pm

Songwriting & Music Video 8/17 7-8:30pm.

Brainstorming, collaboration, editing, word play and more... Class run by Alice Leon.

Raconteur Radio's 'Casablanca' 7/29 @ 2pm

Radio Play version of a great Hollywood movie: intrigue & unrequited love.

Book Talk 8/21 @ 7pm.

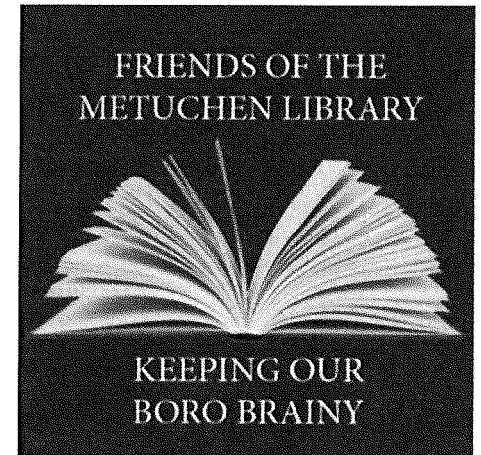
Robert Kaplow on writing and filming his award-winning book, Me and Orson Welles.

Free Screening of Me and Orson Welles

8/28, 7:30pm. Rated PG-13, App. running time 2 hours. Children under age 13 must be accompanied by an adult.

July—August Library Programs

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In the Gallery: Sandy Mezinis Solo Show

Sandy Mezinis was recently inducted into the American Watercolor Society. Come see why!

Maker Space

Open Summer Maker Space Hours

Tuesdays 4:30 - 6:00 pm: 7/11, 7/25, 8/8 & 8/22
Thursdays 4:30 - 7:00 pm: 7/6, 7/20, 8/3, 8/17 & 8/31
Programs require online registration starting 2 weeks before each date @ <http://www.metuchenlibrary.org/calendar/>.

Metuchen Makery Mini Workshops:

Junior Robotics (Grades 3-5) Tues. 5-6:00pm: 7/18 & 8/15
LittleBits (Grades 3-5) Tues. 5-6:00pm: 8/1 & 8/29
3D Printing (Grades 3+) Thu. 5-7:00 pm: 7/13 & 8/10
Robotics with EV3 (Grades 6+) Thu. 5-7:00 pm: 7/27 & 8/24

Library Lab (Kids ages 5 and up)

Conduct a fun science experiment! Wed. 3:30pm - 7/26

Coder Dojo Club (Ages 7-17)

Saturday 7/15, 2-4:00pm
Bring your own laptop for hands-on experience. Register at <http://coderdojometuchen.com/registration>

Adult

Edna Newby International Film Festival

Each movie shown at 2:00pm & 7:30pm:
7/10 Man Called Ove (Sweden) 7/17 Our Little Sister (Japan)
7/24 Lion (Australia) 7/31 Julieta (Spain)
8/7 Eagle Huntress (England) 8/14 Dheepan (France)

Adult Summer Reading

7/3-8/18; Weekly prizes & Ice Cream Social 8/29, 2pm

Yoga Classes (Fridays 10:30-11:30)

7/7, 7/14, 7/21, 7/28, 8/4, 8/11, 8/18 & 8/25

Job Seeker Support Group (Wed. 10:00 -11:30)

7/5, 7/12, 7/19, 7/26; August TBD

One-on-One Tech Help* (Sat. 10:30-12:30)

30-45 minutes per slot; 7/8, 7/22, 8/5, & 8/19

Library Resources Demo Sessions* (7-8:00 pm)

How to Access Consumer Reports Online: 7/18

Rosetta Stone Library Solution: ~~8/22~~ 8/29

* Registration required, Metuchen residents only. Stop by circulation desk or call (732) 632-8526 to register.

Children

YOUR FAVORITE PROGRAMS CONTINUE THIS SUMMER! Check the Events Calendar for dates.

Little Listeners, Storytime with Craft Ages 3-5 on Tuesday mornings, and **Mostly Mother Goose (MMG)** Ages 1-3 with caregivers on Wednesday afternoons.

Stories @ the Metuchen Pool We take the the program to the pool on Tuesday afternoons.

Afternoon Adventures Ages 3+, Thu. pm Crafts, movies, puzzles, games! Kids may need a partner.

Book Friends Grades 1 & 2 practice reading & listening with a trained teen partner! A craft will follow. Friday noons, parents must fill out an application. There is a 15 child limit.

SUMMERTIME SPECIALS Check the Events Calendar for dates.

Metuchen H.S. Footlighters Drama club will act out a story! Saturday, 7/22 @ 10:30am

Color A Smile (All Ages, Wednesdays 2-4pm) 7/12 & 8/9 Your masterpieces will give a smile to seniors, troops overseas & people in hospitals or nursing homes. (Come anytime for a sheet to color!)

Music on the Green (All Ages, Monday am) Mr. John plays & sings on the library side lawn. Bring a blanket or beach towel to sit on. In case of rain or heat, this program will be moved inside.

Chess Classes (Grades 2-5) Learn the basics & play matches. Limit 12: Register in advance. Tues. pm

READING CLUBS AND GROUPS: Check the Events Calendar for dates.

Build a Better World (Age 2—Grade 5) Sign up begins on 6/21. Games begin on 7/3

Discussion Groups “Book Buddies” for K-2, and Book Buzz for grades 3-5. Registration required am OR pm, not both! Thursday am and Wednesday pm.

End of Summer Ice Cream Social Tues. 8/29 @ 2pm - Your reading log is your ticket in!

SPECIAL EVENTS Please register for these programs.

Wacky Wednesday Nights (Family, 7:00pm) 7/19 - Family Stages Presents Puss in Boots; 8/2 - Explore India Presents Roopa Hathi; 8/16 - Sciencetellers Presents Pirates: Lost at Sea

The Magic of Recycling (Grades K-5) Thursday July 13 @ 2pm - With the Middlesex County Div. of Waste Management. Registration begins on June 29 at <https://recyclingmagic713.eventbrite.com>.

Retirement and Medicare Planning

Saturday, 8/5 from 2:00—3:30pm Details to follow—hold the date!

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