

## NEWS FROM THE DIRECTOR...

When most people think about their local public library, or any library for that matter, they tend to think only of books. Of equal importance, however, are the many services offered by libraries to their communities.

In August the Harrison Township Public Library expanded its hours from 22 to 40 per week. That's more time not only to stop by and select a book or a movie, but also to use library computers for work or personal business, or to visit with others in your community. Also in August, the Library launched its Overdrive downloadable ebook and audiobook service, allowing our customers to take advantage of Library services on their electronics devices, twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week. In September the Library reintroduced free programs and classes for Adults on a diverse range of topics. October's free, expert-led, adult class will focus on self-defense.

This October the Library will begin offering a whole new slate of programs for children. "Mother Goose on the Loose" will introduce the smallest among us, ages birth to two years, to the joys of reading and stories. "ABC's of Reading" continues to lay the foundation of literacy for ages three to five years with entertaining finger plays, songs, rhymes, and stories. "Rockin' Readers" is aimed at library customers ages five to eleven and mixes things up with a different theme or genre every week. The first "Rockin' Readers" event on October 10 celebrates a galaxy far, far away with "Star Wars Reads Day". Lastly is "Tales with Tails." Is your young one self-conscious about reading? Then why not have them practice with a furry friend? "Tales with Tails" allows children time to quietly read to an affable, certified service dog who will never judge them.

Here at the Harrison Township Public Library we're pleased to offer these services to our friends and neighbors of all ages. If you have yet to visit us, or perhaps if it has been a while, please consider stopping by...there's a lot happening at your local library!

Dan Hutchins, Director



<u>Meet our new</u> Youth Services Librarian





Julie Dries, our new youth services librarian, has been a teacher and librarian in the L'Anse Creuse Public Schools for twenty years, and is also a K-12 reading specialist. She served as a mentor to the HTPL volunteers when the library was just getting established, and is excited to be back on the staff! She looks forward to getting the new children's programs up and running, and encourages families to stop by and see what the library has to offer.





## **EDIBLE LANDSCAPING**

Wednesday, October 28th 7:00 P.M.

Presentation by: Sue Keehn, Master Gardener

Register by phone, by email, or in person at the library.



Estate Planning Basics Wednesday, October 21st 10:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

## **Speaker: Nickolas Daniels**

This is a FREE presentation

Register by phone, by email, or in person at the library.



Self Defense Segment

Wednesday, October 21st 7:00 P.M.

**Instructor: Lee Shaykhet** 

FREE presentation, register by phone, email or in person at the





HTPL is a member of the Suburban Library Cooperative, a local group of libraries with a pool of downloadable media. Our members with a card in good standing may download eBooks and audiobooks using Apple, Android, Amazon, and Barnes & Noble devices in addition to most computers and many portable digital media players. For more information check out our website at www.htplib.org

# Children's Fall Programs

October 10-December 19, 2015



# Mother Goose on the Loose

Presented by Julie Dries

Youth Services Librarian

Mondays, 9:30-10:00, except November 16th & 23rd.

Designed for children from birth to 2 years old.

Little ones and their caregivers are invited to join us for our weekly Monday lap sit program. MGOL is a research-based, award-winning program to help babies and toddlers develop early literacy skills using stories, music, nursery rhymes and more.

For more information, please check out our website: www.htplib.org.



# Reading ABCs

Presented by Julie Dries Youth Services Librarian

Tuesdays, 10:30-11:00, except November 24<sup>th</sup>.

Designed for preschool-aged children, 3-5 years old.

Our story time themes each week on Tuesdays will revolve around a featured letter of the alphabet and will include a variety of entertaining finger plays, songs, rhymes, movement and stories.

For more information, please check out our website: www.htplib.org.



# Rockin' Readers

Presented by Julie Dries
Youth Services Librarian

Saturdays, 11:30–12:00, except November 14th & 28th.

Designed for elementary-aged children, 5-11 years old.

Saturday sessions will highlight a different high-interest theme or genre each week, with stories and activities to match.

For more information, please check out our website: www.htplib.org.



# <u>Tales</u> with Tails

Tuesdays and the third Saturday of each month. Please check <u>www.htplib.org</u> for dates and times.

Appropriate for children in elementary and middle school.

Children may sign-up for a 15-minute session to read to a certified therapy dog. This program encourages fluency practice by providing a furry friend to listen in a judgement-free zone.

Registration is required for this program. Please stop by the library, email: <a href="mailto:librarian@htplib.org">librarian@htplib.org</a> or call (586) 329-1261 to reserve a time.

# Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library

#### HELP US BUILD A GREAT LIBRARY

The Friends of the Harrison Township Public Library is a non-profit all volunteer organization, and always looking for new members. Just your yearly dues would give us revenue for projects, programs and improvements. Simply making baked goods, helping with event set up or clean up and coming to our meetings would be great! We are also looking for people who can do grant writing or have organizational skills. All friendly faces are welcome.



## Attention: Snow Birds

The Friends of Harrison
Township Library will be
hosting a special "Snow Bird"
book sale.

Date: October 24th

Time: 12:00pm-3:00pm

Where: HTPL

Price: Buy 2 get 1 FREE

Come in and stock up on your favorite authors before winter comes.

Upcoming Events ~~Cookie Walk~~ December 5th 12:00p.m.-3:00p.m.

## Support Your Library Every Time You Shop at Kroger

Link Your Kroger Plus Savings Card to the Kroger Community Rewards Program visit <u>www.krogercom</u> <u>munityrewards.com</u>

# **Mark your**

## calendar!

Our next

"Friends"

meeting will be

Monday, October 26th at 7:00 pm.

in the library.







# Coming in October 2015

#### **Books for Adults**

After You – Jojo Moyes

All the Stars in the Heavens – Adriana Trigiani

The Ancient Giants Who Ruled America – Richard Dewhurst

Big Magic – Elizabeth Gilbert

Calling Me Home – Julie Kibler

The Cannabis Kitchen Cookbook – Robyn Griggs Lawrence

Closer to the Heart – Mercedes Lackey

Come Rain or Come Shine - Jan Karon

The Compass of Pleasure – David J. Linden

The Dark Net – Jamie Bartlett

Dashing Through the Snow – Debbie Macomber

Data and Goliath - Bruce Schneier

Drones for Dummies - Mark Lafay

The Fall of Princes – Robert Goolrick

Fast Girl – Suzy Favor Hamilton

Foreign Affairs – Stuart Woods

Girl Waits with Gun - Amy Stewart

The Haunted House Diaries – William J. Hall

The Heart Goes Last – Margaret Atwood

How to be Invisible – J.J. Luna

The Hummingbird – Stephen P. Kieman

I Am Haunted – Zak Bagans

The Insider Threat – Brad Taylor

Killing Reagan – Bill O'Reilly

A Knight of the Seven Kingdoms – George R.R. Martin

Last Bus to Wisdom – Ivan Doig

The Last Summer at Chelsea Beach – Pam

Jenoff

The Life and Death of Sophie Stard – Anna North

The Murder House – James Patterson

My Brilliant Friend – Elena Ferrante

Mycroft Holmes - Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

Once in a Great City – David Maraniss

Paula Deen Cuts the Fat – Paula Deen

Pretty Girls - Karen Slaughter

Purity – Jonathan Franzen

Resilience – Jessie Close

The Revenant – Michael Punke

Rogue Lawyer – John Grisham

Rooms – Lauren Oliver

Rosemary - Kate Clifford Larson

See Me – Nicholas Sparks

Shadow Play – Iris Johansen

The Survivor – Vince Flynn

Then Come Marriage - Roberta Kaplan

Trumbo – Bruce Cook

Two Years Eight Months and Twenty-Eight Nights – Salman Rushdie

The Ultimate Betrayal – Kimberla Lawson Roby

The Widow's Guide to Sex and Dating – Carole Radziwill

Yes, My Accent is Real – Kunal Nayyar

#### Easy, Juvenile, and YA Books

Adventures in Cartooning: Gryphons Aren't So Great (Juv) -- James Sturm

Amy & Roger's Epic Detour (YA) -- Morgan Matson

Blackthorn Key (Juv) -- Kevin Sands

Cross My Heart, Hope to Die (YA) – Sara

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Shepard

Dumplin' (YA) -- Julie Murphy

Francine Poulet Meets the Ghost Raccoon (Juv) -- Katie DiCamillo

Frank Einstein and the BrainTurbo (Juv) --John Scieszka

Friends of a Feather (Juv) -- Lauren Myracle

Fun Book of Scary Stuff (Easy) -- Emily Jenkins

Graduation Day (YA) -- Joelle Charbonneau

Hide and Seek (YA) – Sara Shepard

If You Ever Want to Bring an Alligator to School, Don't! (Easy) -- Elise Parsley

Imaginary Fred (Easy) -- Eoin Colfer

Independent Study: The Testing, Book 2 (YA) - Joelle Charbonneau

Legacy of Kings (Blood of Gods and Royals) (YA) – Eleanor Herman

Leroy Ninker Saddles Up (Juv) -- Katie DiCamillo

Library of Souls (YA) -- Ransom Riggs

Nerdy Birdy (Easy) -- Aaron Reynolds

Robo-Sauce (Easy) -- Adam Rubin

Scaredy-Cat Splat! (Easy) – Rob Scotton

Seven Minutes in Heaven (YA) – Sara Shepard

Six of Crows (YA) Leigh Bardugo

Sleeper and the Spindle (YA) – Neil Gaiman, Chris Riddell

Star Wars: The Princess, the Scoundrel, and the Farm Boy (Juv) -- Alexandra Bracken

Star Wars: Beware the Power of the Dark Side

(Juv) -- Tom Angleberger

Star Wars: So You Want to be a Jedi (Juv) --Adam Gidwitz

Story of Diva and Flea (Easy) -- Mo Willams

Thing About Jellyfish (Juv) -- Ali Benjamin

We Forgot Brock! (Easy) -- Carter Goodrich

What We Saw (YA) -- Aaron Hartzler

You Look Yummy (Easy) -- Tatsuya Miyanishi

You're Here for a Reason (Easy) -- Nancy Tillman

Zodiac Legacy: Convergence (Juv) -- Stan Lee

Zodiac Legacy: The Dragon's Return (Juv) --

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After You – Jojo Moyes

Dashing Through the Snow – Debbie Macomber

The Murder House – James Patterson

Naked Greed - Stuart Woods

Rogue Lawyer – John Grisham

See Me – Nicholas Sparks

The Survivor – Vince Flynn

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A Knight of the Seven Kingdoms – George R.R. Martin

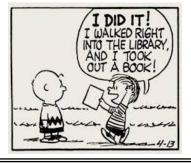
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#### <u>DVDs</u>

Alien Outpost

Aloha

Beyond the Mask

Big Game

Bravetown

Dawn Patrol

Freedom

Furious 7

Good Kill

Hot Pursuit

Infected

Insurgent

Into the Grizzly Maze

Lila and Eve

Masters of Sex: Season 2

Outlander: Season 1, Volume 2

Pitch Perfect 2

Police Story

Runner

Skin Trade

Strangerland

Unfriended

Vendetta

The Walking Dead: Season 5

# September 2015

#### Books for Adults

10-Day Green Smoothie Cleanse – J.J. Smith Between the World and Me – Ta-nehisi Coates Brown-Eyed Girl – Lisa Kleypas Career of Evil – Robert Galbraith



Contract to Kill – Andrew Peterson
Dance of Bones – J.A. Jance
Deadly Election – Lindsey Davis
Devoted in Death – J.D. Robb

 $Digital\ Gold-Nathaniel\ Popper$ 

Dishing the Dirt – M.C. Beaton

Dollbaby – Laura Lane McNeal

Driving Heat – Richard Castle

Eeny Meeny – M.J. Arlidge

The End Game – Catherine Coulter

Face the Fire – Nora Roberts

Future Crimes – Marc Goodman

The Girl in the Spider's Web – David

Lagercrantz

The Governor's Wife – Michael Harvey Heaven and Earth – Nora Roberts

The Hormone Reset Diet – Sara Gottfried.

M.D.

In a Dark, Dark Wood - Ruth Ware

In the Heart of the Sea – Nathaniel Philbrick

Is This Thing On? – Abby Stokes

It IS About Islam – Glenn Beck

The Last Time I Saw Her – Karen Robards

The Last Town – Blake Crouch

Make Me – Lee Child

The Nature of the Beast – Louise Penny

Patriot – Ted Bell

The Prime Minister's Secret Agent – Susan

Elia MacNeal

Robert B. Parker's The Devil Wins – Reed

Farrel Coleman

The Scam – Janet Evanovich

Screen-Smart Parenting – Jodi Gold, M.D.

The Solomon Curse - Clive Cussler

Starlight on Willow Lake - Susan Wiggs

The Taming of the Queen – Philippa Gregory

The Top Ten Things Dead People Want to Tell

You – Mike Dooley

Trigger Mortis - Anthony Horowitz

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Undercover – Danielle Steel
Wayward – Blake Crouch
Wind/Pinball – Haruki Murakami
Windows 10 for Dummies – Andy Rathbone
X – Sue Grafton
You Are a Badass – Jen Sincero

#### Easy, Juvenile, and YA Books

American Girls: Taking Off (Juv.) – Valerie Tripp

American Girls: The One and Only (Juv.) – Valerie Tripp

Another Day (YA) – David Levithan
Bug in a Vacuum (Easy) – Melanie Watt
Captain Underpants and the Sensational Saga
of Sir Stinks-a-lot (Juv.) – Dav Pilkey
Daniel X: Lights Out (YA) – James Patterson
Fright Club (Easy) – Ethan Long
The Good Girls (YA) – Sara Shepard

I Survived the Joplin Tornado, 2011 (Juv.)— Lauren Tarshis Lair of Dreams (YA) — Libba Bray

The Little Shop of Monsters (Easy) – R.L. Stine

The Mark of the Dragonfly (Juv.) – Jaleigh Johnson

Max the Brave (Easy) – Ed Vere McToad Mows Tiny Island (Easy) – Tom Angleberger

Mosquitoland (YA) – David Arnold National Geographic Kids Almanac (Juv.) – National Geographic

The Night Gardener (YA) – Jonathan Auxier Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes (YA) – Jonathan Auxier

Prince Fly Guy (Easy) – Tedd Arnold Rad American Women A-Z (Juv.) – Kate Schatz

Reunited (YA) – Hilary Weisman Graham Side Effects May Vary (YA) – Julie Murphy Sunny Side Up (Juv.) – Jennifer Holm
The Sleepwalker Tonic (YA) – Jason Segel
Until Friday Night (YA) – Abbi Glines
Waiting (Easy) – Kevin Henkes
Who is Derek Jeter (Juv.) – Gail Herman
Who is Jeff Kinney (Juv.) – Patrick Kinney

#### Large Type

At the Water's Edge – Sara Gruen
Dance of Bones – J.A. Jance
The Girl in the Spider's Web – David
Lagercrantz

The Heart Goes Last – Margaret Atwood Make Me – Lee Child

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The Dinner – Herman Koch
The End Game – Catherine Coulter
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#### DVDs

Absolution

Any Day

Atlas Shrugged: Part III Ask Me Anything Barely Lethal



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Child 44

Do You Believe?

Ex Machina

Get Hard

The Gunman

The Lazarus Effect

Maggie

My Old Lady

Paul Blart: Mall Cop 2

Rob the Mob

Salvation

Slow West

Survivor

Unfinished Business

The Water Diviner

Welcome to Me

Westworld (Yul Brynner)

Woman in Black 2



# August 2015

#### Books for Adults

Alert – James Patterson

All You Need is Less – Madeleine Somerville

Among the Ten Thousand Things – Julia

Pierpont

Armada – Ernest Cline

Badlands – C.J. Box

The Best of Enemies – Jen

Lancaster

Black Mass—Dick Lehr

The Bone Orchard – Paul Doiron

Bull Mountain - Brian Panowich

The Cartel – Don Winslow

Circling the Sun – Paula McLain

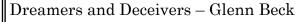
The Complete Idiot's Guide to Geocaching –

Geocaching.com

Devil's Bridge – Linda Fairstein

The Divine Art of Dying – Karen Speerstra

Down the Rabbit Hole – Holly Madison



Far from the Madding Crowd – Thomas Hardy

Freakonomics – Steven Levitt

Friction - Sandra Brown

A Full Life – Jimmy Carter

The Girls of August—Anne Rivers

Golden Son – Pierce Brown

Happily Ali After – Ali Wentworth

The House We Grew Up In – Lisa Jewell

In the Kingdom of Ice – Hampton Sides

Infinite Home – Kathleen Alcott

Invasion of Privacy - Christopher Reich

Isis – Michael Weiss

Last Words – Michael Koryta

The Marriage of Opposites – Alice Hoffman

Miracles and Massacres – Glenn Beck

The Mountain Story - Lori Lansens

The Murderer's Daughter – Jonathan

Kellerman

The Naked Eye – Iris Johansen

A Necessary End – Holly Brown

One Way or Another – Elizabeth Adler

The Oregon Trail – Rinker Buck

A Paris Affair – Tatiana de Rosnay

Pretty Baby – Mary Kubica

The Rise of Isis – Jay Sekulow

Safe at Last – Maya Banks

Sick in the Head – Judd Apatow

Silent Creed – Alex Kava

Silver Linings – Debbie Macomber

Speaking in Bones – Kathy Reichs

The Speech Writer – Barton Swaim

The Triangle – Kevin Deutsch

We Never Asked for Wings – Vanessa

Diffenbaugh

Who Do You Love – Jennifer Weiner

Who Let the Dog Out? - David Rosenfelt

#### Easy, Juvenile, and YA Books

Big Hero 6 (Juv.) – Irene Trimble

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The Boy's Body Book (Juv.) – Kelli Dunham R.N.

Chasing Secrets (Juv.) – Gennifer Choldenko The Curious World of Calpurnia Tate (Juv.) – Jacqueline Kelly

The Day the Crayons Came Home (Easy) – Drew Daywalt

Entomology & Palynology (Juv.) – Maryalice Walker

Field Trip (Juv.) – Gary Paulsen

Forensics (Juv.) - Carla Mooney

Fuzzy Mud (Juv.) - Louis Sachar

Goodbye Stranger (Juv.) – Rebecca Stead

The Heart of Betrayal (YA) – Mary E. Pearson

 $Home: A\ Novelization\ (Juv.) - Tracey\ West$ 

Ice Cream Summer (Easy) – Peter Sis

The Infinite Moment of Us (YA) – Lauren

Myracle

Inside Out: A Novelization (Easy) – Suzanne Francis

Jurassic World Junior Novelization (Juv.) – David Lewman

The Last Ever After (Juv.) – Soma Chainani Life of Ty: Penguin Problems (Juv.) – Lauren Myracle

Minions: A Novelization (Juv.) - Sadie

Chesterfield

 $\label{eq:minimum} \mbox{Minions: Seek and Find (Easy)} - \mbox{Trey King}$ 

 $Non-Random\ Acts\ of\ Kindness\ (Juv.)-Lauren$ 

Myracle

On the Trail (Juv.) – Kiki Thorpe

The Phantom Bully (Juv.) – Jeffrey Brown

R is for Rocket (Easy) - Tad Hills

The Royal Wedding (YA) - Meg Cabot

Serafina and the Black Cloak (Juv.) – Robert

Beatty

Sleepless Knight (Easy) – James Sturm

What Do You Do with an Idea? (Easy) - Kobi

Yamada

What Pet Should I Get? (Easy) – Dr. Seuss Z for Zachariah (YA) - Robert C. O'Brien

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All the Single Ladies - Dorothea Benton

Frank

Circling the Sun - Paula McLain

Dark Places – Gillian Flynn

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Silver Linings – Debbie Macomber

The Storm of the Century – Al Roker

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The Rumor – Elin Hilderbrand

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#### DVDs

Back to the Future Trilogy

Blindsided

Cas & Dylan

Chappie

Cymbeline

The Descendants

**Every Secret Thing** 

Far from the Madding Crowd

Focus

Home

It Follows



