



Newsletter

Friends of the Highland Park Public Library

Fall 2016

Message from the President

I would like to thank Lois Farrah and Michael Juliar for organizing the most successful book sale in Friends' history. The popular tent on the back lawn, for the second year, facilitated sorting and gave book lovers plenty of room to browse and buy! I would also like to thank everyone who volunteered, donated, and purchased for making this a great community event.

A special thank you to our business sponsors (see list in lobby) whose financial support makes it possible for us to obtain extra equipment and supplies .

The book sale's success is crucial to our mission, but those proceeds only fund about 70 percent of the Friends' programs. That's why our annual membership drive is so important. I urge you to begin or renew your *Friends of the Library* membership using the form on the back of this newsletter. Your Friends' membership demonstrates your commitment to a thriving, vibrant public library.

This year the Friends are offering a museum program for patrons. Get \$3 off your admission price when you show your library card at the Liberty Science Museum. Later this year, more museums will be joining this library service.

Enjoy a variety of programming this fall. The diversity of our programs and events appeals to the entire Highland Park community—from Hollywood blockbusters to small, independent foreign films; from classical music to klezmer; from poetry to radio plays; and from history to science presentations. There truly is something for everyone—from toddlers to teens to adults.

During these challenging economic times, the library has become a lifeline for those searching for jobs or strengthening their professional skills. More than 14,000 registered borrowers use and support our library, which has continued to be a very busy, active place.

This summer was our busiest ever. For more information about upcoming programs, call the library at 732-572-2750 or go to the website at www.hpplnj.org.

George Pedersen, President

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Fall Events Sponsored by the Friends

Saturday, September 17, 2:00 PM
The Ropes That Bind—Tracy Stopler

Tuesday September 20, 7:00 PM
Klezmer Concert

Thursday, September 22, 7:00 PM
Ask the Dog Trainer

Tuesday, September 27, 7:30 PM
Poetry Night Series—Jim Haba

Thursday, September 29, 7:00
Opera Selections with Nicholas Hay

Thursday, October 6, 7:00 PM
John Bianculli Trio

Thursday, October 13, 6:30 PM
The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

Tuesday, October 18, 6:30 PM
International Film Series

Tuesday, October 25, 7:30 PM
Poetry Night Series—Diane Lockward

Tuesday, November 15, 6:30 PM
International Film Series

Tuesday, November 22, 7:30 PM
Poetry Night Series—Catherine Doty

Sunday, December 4, 2:00 PM
Annual Holiday Concert

Tuesday, December 20, 6:30 PM
International Film Series

You gotta have Friends! Join the Friends now!

SUPPORT THE FRIENDS/RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP
Annual Membership Renewal/Application Form 2016

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Email _____

All Friends will be placed on the Library's mailing list and will receive special announcements of Library programs, exhibits, and receptions.

____ Senior/Student \$10 ____ Individual \$15 ____ Family \$25
____ Business \$50 ____ Patron \$50 ____ Sponsor \$100 ____ Angel \$100+

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Thank you for your support!

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