


SEPTEMBER PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS AND TEENS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>ART EXHIBIT</p> <p>"Peekskill Arts Alliance at Hendrick Hudson Free Library" Presented by the members of the Peekskill Arts Alliance Located in the Constance Dyckman Community Room</p>		<p>ART EXHIBIT</p> <p>"September 11, 2001: The Day that Changed the World" Poster Exhibit by the 9/11 Memorial & Museum Located in the upstairs corridor and Conference Room.</p>		<p>LOBBY DISPLAY</p> <p>"Beadweaving" by Cheri Morreale</p>	1 2 pm Open Play Mahjong	2
3	4 LIBRARY CLOSED 	5 10:30 am Beyond the Breaking News via Zoom 6 pm Teen Stitchers' Club 6 pm Non-Traditional Watercolor Painting Techniques	6 6:30 pm Teen Book Club 7 pm Virtual Ranger Talk from Manzanar National Historic Site via Zoom	7 1:30 pm Matinee Movie: "Operation Fortune: Ruse de Guerre" 6 pm Aging in Place: A Guide to Growing Older at Home	8 2 pm Mahjong Lessons 3 pm Open Play Mahjong 3 pm Tai-Chi Class	9 2 pm Art Reception: Peekskill Arts Alliance
10 2 pm A Live Reading with Alan Sklar	11 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class 7:30 pm Brews & Bestsellers Book Club	12 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class 10:30 am Beyond the Breaking News 6 pm How to Steal a Masterpiece via Zoom	13 11 am NYBC Blood Drive 6:30 pm Cortlandt Stamp Club 7 pm Dream Analysis Workshop	14 1:30 pm Matinee Movie: "Stranger than Fiction" 6 pm HHFL Advanced Writing Group via Zoom 6 pm A Funny Program About Funny Programs 6 pm Hen Hud Stitchers	15 2 pm Open Play Mahjong 3 pm Tai-Chi Class	16
17 2 pm Outdoor Coffeehouse Concert: Circular Jazz Trio	18 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class 11 am Monday Book Group	19 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class 10:30 am Beyond the Breaking News via Zoom 6 pm Teen Stitchers' Club	20 6 pm Beading Earrings for Women's Shelters *Registration for October programs begins today.	21 1:30 pm Matinee Movie: "Blackberry" 4:30 pm The Read-Through: A Play-Reading Group	22 2 pm Mahjong Lessons 3 pm Open Play Mahjong 3 pm Tai-Chi Class	23 10 am Mobile Shredder Truck
24	25 9 am Passport Day at the Library 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class	26 10:30 am Italian Conversation Class 10:30 am Beyond the Breaking News via Zoom	27 6:30 pm Cortlandt Stamp Club 6:30 pm Wednesday Evening Book Club 7 pm Navigating College Admissions Successfully via Zoom	28 1:30 pm Matinee Movie: "You Hurt My Feelings" 6 pm Hen Hud Stitchers	29 2 pm Open Play Mahjong 3 pm Tai-Chi Class	30



Art Exhibits - "Peekskill Arts Alliance at Hendrick Hudson Free Library" Presented by the members of the Peekskill Arts Alliance. Located in the Constance Dyckman Community Room. Displayed August 31-September 25. An art reception will be held on Saturday, September 9th, 2:00-4:00 PM.

"September 11, 2001: The Day that Changed the World" Poster Exhibit by the 9/11 Memorial & Museum. Located in the 2nd Floor Corridor. Displayed September 1-27.

Thursday Matinee Movies - Join us in the Community Room for a different film each week. No registration required.

Mahjong Lessons - Learn how to play here at the library! No registration is required.

Open Play Mahjong - Play here at the library! If you have your own mahjong set, please bring it. No registration is required.

HHFL Advanced Writing Group via Zoom - Join Tessa Rossi and members of the Hendrick Hudson Free Library Writing Group for two hours of prompted writing and sharing in a constructive and supportive environment. Visit our website to register.

NYBC Blood Drive - Donate here at the library! Visit our website to register for a space. Walk-ins are welcome also.

Outdoor Coffeehouse Concert: Circular Jazz Trio - Join us on the library's front lawn. Bring lawn chairs, blankets & snacks! Concert will be moved indoors if necessary. No registration required.

Monday Book Group: *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides - To register, email conniedyckman@gmail.com. Books available at the Circulation Desk.

Wednesday Evening Book Club: *Lab Girl* by Hope Jahren - Visit our website for more information and to register. Books available at the Circulation Desk.

Teen Book Club: *Warcross* by Marie Lu - Join us for snacks and a book discussion! Visit our website for more information and to register. Books available at the Circulation Desk.

Beyond the Breaking News - Interested in participating in a friendly exchange of ideas about current political events? Join a lively discussion of news events for residents interested in domestic and foreign policy issues and what's driving them. Visit our website for more information and registration.

Cortlandt Stamp Club - Join a group of worldwide stamp collectors to trade stamps, have talks on various topics, give demonstrations, and more. Adults, teens, and youths under 12 with adult are welcomed. No registration required.

Hen Hud Stitchers - If you enjoy knitting or crocheting, drop by with the project you're working on to connect with others who share these interests. No registration required.

Teen Stitchers' Club - The adults have a stitchers' club... why not the teens? Come join your friends to create your own Teen Stitchers' Club! All skill levels accepted. Yarn, crochet hooks, and instructions will be provided. Knitting needles are not included, but feel free to bring your own. Registration for one or multiple sessions is required to attend.

Italian Conversation Class - Is a trip to Italy in your future? Familiarize yourself in this class with the basics of Italian language and culture with local resident Luca Vuolo, an experienced Romance language tutor and NYC teacher. No experience necessary and language speakers welcome as well! Spots available for the Tuesday morning class. Registration is for 8 sessions.

Non-Traditional Watercolor Painting Techniques - Aindrila Mukherjee, professional watercolor and Pointillism artist, will teach various watercolor techniques using different types of materials to achieve various textures when painting with watercolors. A \$3 materials fee is due by September 4. Limited seating.

Virtual Ranger Talk from Manzanar National Historic Site via Zoom - Join us to learn about life at Manzanar for the Japanese-Americans who were detained there during World War II. Manzanar Ranger Alisa Lynch, while on-site, will present the experiences of the people forced to relocate to this internment camp and how the detainees continued to learn, teach, play, and create in spite of their detainment. A question-and-answer period will follow the presentation.

Tai-Chi Class - Tai-Chi is a series of slow, gentle, and meditative body movements that helps people reduce pain, increase flexibility, improve balance, and cope with stress. Jian-Yang Rong, certified instructor, will be teaching this four-week class (September 8, 15, 22, 29). This class will be taught indoors. Participants should wear comfortable clothing. A fully refundable participation fee of \$20 is due on the first day of class. The participation fee will be reimbursed on the last day of class only if the registrant has attended all four classes.

A Live Reading with Alan Sklar - Alan Sklar, professional voice actor and narrator, will give a live reading of two short stories written by Lawrence Sanders: *A Bad Night for Burglars* and *How Far It Could Go*.

Brews & Bestsellers Book Club: *Mad Honey* by Jodi Picoult & Jennifer Finney Boylan - Books available at the Circulation Desk. Meeting will be at Fire & Oak Wood Burning Kitchen & Bar, 2025 Albany Post Road, Croton on Hudson.

Aging in Place: A Guide to Growing Older at Home - Nearly 90 percent of seniors wish to stay in their own home as they age (source: AARP). Join elder law attorney Lauren C. Enea, Esq., and learn how to prepare a home to safely age in place through senior-proofing, necessary legal documents, strategies for bill paying and financial management, as well as an overview of the Medicaid home care program.

How to Steal a Masterpiece via Zoom - Enter the underworld of stolen art as Mallory Mortillaro, Art Historian and Lecturer, examines the little-known stories of some of history's greatest art heists. This lecture will review some of the most significant art theft in the last century and a half, while also questioning and discussing how the legitimate art market has managed to pique the interest of so many criminals.

Dream Analysis Workshop - Join author and dream analyst Layne Dalfen on how to understand our sophisticated unconscious mind and the problem-solving in which we partake every single night as we sleep. Whether you remember them or you don't, our dreams provide a very specific solution to the very specific situation that's bugging you this week! In fact, a dream is an interior conversation that takes place between your conscious and your unconscious mind. Our dreams offer us the ability to propel our problem-solving skills.

A Funny Program About Funny Programs: The Greatest Sitcoms of All Time - Award-winning author and pop culture historian Martin Gitlin hosts this fun and enlightening presentation based on his book, *The Greatest Sitcoms of All Time*. He is the only author to actually rank the best of the best, including "I Love Lucy," "The Honeymooners," "The Andy Griffith Show," "Get Smart," "All in the Family," "The Mary Tyler Moore Show," "Cheers," "Seinfeld," "Frasier," and "The Big Bang Theory." Martin will show funny snippets from these shows and others, challenge patrons with sitcom trivia (including identifying cool theme songs!), discuss the criteria he used to rank 70 years of sitcoms, and talk about how they have evolved over the decades in humor, presentation, and content. Come join the fun!

Beading Earrings for Women's Shelters - Joan Lloyd donates hundreds of pairs of beaded earrings every year to women's shelters. Please help by making one pair to donate for each pair you make for yourself. It's fun and easy -- you'll soon be hooked on earring-making! Donate any old beaded jewelry to add to Joan's offerings! Masks required for attendance.

Mobile Shredder Truck - Residents may bring up to four file-sized (10" x 12" x 15") boxes of confidential papers per household--first-come, first-served. Please remove all large binder clips and covers. Papers from businesses, institutions or commercial enterprises, junk mail, or newspapers not acceptable. No registration required.

Passport Day at the Library - Do you need a U.S. Passport? Is your existing passport more than 15 years old? Are you changing from a minor to an adult? Come to the library to process your passport application (adult renewals can only be processed through the U.S. Postal Service). Call the library at (914) 739-5654 to make an appointment. More information, including documents and fees, can be found on our website. Kids are off from school--it's the perfect opportunity to bring them in for theirs!

Navigating College Admissions Successfully in 2023 - This Zoom program will cover current college admissions trends, the importance of researching and visiting colleges to find schools that can be a good fit for your child, a timeline and other action steps that can be taken to make this fall productive and help reduce the stress around the college admissions process. We'll examine the holistic admissions review process, what admissions officers consider important when they review applicants, and how students can position themselves to develop a compelling narrative to increase their chances for admission. We will also discuss the importance of community service, how it can provide an opportunity for personal growth and a way to showcase a student's character. Admissions officers place great emphasis on a student's character and how the student has been able to give back and help others. This program is recommended for parents and their high school teens.

