**SUMMER NEWSLETTER 2018**

**Adult Programs**

Please register online at www.taplib.org or call 359-3877 for assistance.

- **Reducing Anxiety Through Meditation**
  - Mon, Jun 11 - 6:30pm
  - Today's world is stressful enough. Learn techniques to replace your anxiety with joy and peace.

- **Any Game Open Play**
  - Thu, Jun 28 - Aug 16 - 12pm
  - Want to practice canasta? Work on your Mahjong skills? Bring your cards or sets and we'll provide the space.

- **Mahjong Open Play**
  - Thu, Jun 21 - Aug 16 - 4:30pm
  - Bring your set and card. Space is limited to 20 and pre-registration is required.
  - Registration limited to Tappan residents Jun 1-Jun 12.

- **The Chain that Saved the Colonies**
  - with Donald “Doc” Bayne
  - Wed, Jul 25 - 6pm
  - Learn how the Continental Army used the Great Chain to stop the British invasion of the New England colonies by placing it across the Hudson River at West Point.

- **Telling Your Life Story**
  - with Judy Berkin
  - Wed, Aug 8 - 1:30pm
  - Every life is unique and valuable. With no “wrong” approach, find the best way for you to share your family’s story.

- **Cliff Shots: A Photographer’s Exploration of the New Jersey Palisades**
  - with Anthony Taranto, Palisades Interstate Park Commission staff photographer
  - Wed, Aug 22 - 6:00pm
  - Anthony will share some of his favorite images of the Palisades — along with the stories behind them.

- **Cookbook Club**
  - Try out recipes at home and bring the results to share with the group.
  - Tue, Jun 12 - 6pm
  - **Cooking at Home with Bridget & Julia**, by Bridget Lancaster & Julia Collin Davison.
  - Try a recipe from “America’s Test Kitchen.”
  - Thu, Jul 10 - 6pm
  - **Bread is Gold**, by Massimo Bottura.
  - Over 150 recipes using everyday ingredients to make these simple, delicious meals.
  - Tue, Aug 14 - 6pm
  - **Magnolia Table**, by Joanna Gaines.
  - Classic southern-style recipes.

- **Book Club**
  - with Ellie Pollack, facilitator
  - Books available one month prior to the discussion.
  - Fri, Jul 6 - 10:30am
  - **Flight Behavior**, by Barbara Kingsolver.
  - Fri, Aug 3 - 10:30am
  - **The Handmaid’s Tale**, by Margaret Atwood.

**Tweens & Teens Programs**

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- **Cacti Rock!**
  - Fri, Jul 13 - 4-5pm
  - Grades 4-7
  - Paint small stones and a flower pot to create the world’s easiest-to-care-for plant.

- **Art in the Park**
  - with Alexis Stark
  - Mon, Jun 11, Jun 18, Jul 30 and Aug 6 - 1-1:45pm
  - Grades 6-12
  - Sign up for one session or all.
  - Be inspired by famous artists and spend the afternoon creating with a variety of media and techniques.
  - All skill levels welcome!

- **CD Mosaics**
  - Fri, July 20 - 5-6pm
  - Grades 4-7
  - Upcycle old compact discs into cool art.

- **Creative Aging**
  - with Keith Torgan
  - Wed, Jun 13 - 2pm
  - Through guided imagery, free writing and group collaboration learn to rediscover your creativity.

- **Orangeotwn: Before and After**
  - with Mary Cardenas, Orangeotwn Historian
  - Tue, Jun 26 - 6pm
  - Mary will discuss Orangeotwn’s rich history using before and after images from around town.

- **Chair Yoga**
  - with Mary Callan
  - Wed, Jun 20, Jul 11 & 18 - 12:30pm
  - A beginner class for anyone ages 12 and up.

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- **4th Annual Teen Trivia Nite**
  - Tue, Jul 24 - 7:30pm
  - Grades 5 and up
  - Bring your friends for pizza, trivia, and prizes!
  - Event will be held at the BLAUVELT Library

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THANK YOU TO ALL WHO RESPONDED TO OUR MONTH LONG SURVEY IN APRIL!

We truly appreciate your feedback and have already started implementing changes based on your input. Over the next few months, we will begin to roll out longer loan periods, lower overdue fines as well as integrating other suggestions you have recommended. We want to ensure we are providing you with the best possible service we can, so while the survey may be closed, please know we welcome your feedback and suggestions year round.

As a sneak preview for the Fall, we are planning a bus trip to the 9/11 Museum and One World Trade Center. We will have extremely limited seating for Tappan residents. More details will follow in August, so please make sure you are signed up for our email list so you don’t miss out on updates and news.

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Come watch these documentaries selected to inspire you to go visit the museums this summer using our Museum Passes.

Peggy Guggenheim: Art Addict
Sat, Jun 23 - 1pm
As heiress to her family fortune she became a central figure in the modern art movement.

Alexander Calder: Inventor of the Mobile
Sat, Jul 28 - 1pm
A definitive portrait of one of the pre-eminent artists and the inventor of the mobile as an art form.

The U.S. Navy 1915 – Today
Sat, Aug 18 - 1pm
See the technological advances that propelled the U.S. Navy into becoming the unparalleled nautical force it is today.

ARMCHAIR TRAVEL FILM SERIES
Join as we galvanize across Europe using Kanopy, our new streaming film service. While you’re here we will show you how to access Rosetta Stone so you can learn the language of the country you plan to visit or just because you have always wanted to speak another language. Access is available with your library card!

Barcelona
Wed, Jun 20 - 2pm

Paris
Wed, Jul 18 - 2pm

Greece Islands
Wed, Aug 15 - 2pm

Tech Tuesdays at 2pm
with Peter Maxton
Books and Music on the Go
Tue, Jun 12
Learn to download audio books and music using OverDrive, Hoopla, and Freedgal.

Internet Basics
Tue, Jun 26
Learn the basics of using the Internet, including vocabulary, search techniques, and safety tips.

Canopy, Hoopla and Freedgal
Tue, Jul 10
Did you know you can get movies, books, music, audio, and e-books and more using your library card? Come and find out how!

Social Media Basics
Tue, Jul 24
Learn the basics of various social media, develop Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.

The Library Does That!
Tue, Aug 7
We’re not just books. You might be surprised to learn all of the services we offer for free!

Smartphone Basics
Tue, Aug 21
A quick look at smartphones – and how to get the most out of them.

Summer Kickoff with BASH THE TRASH
Tue, Jun 19 - 7-7:45pm
This interactive show combines science, music and environmental awareness with a musical performance, demonstrating how art and science work together.
Event will be held at the ORANGEBURG LIBRARY

Mighty Five Field Day
Wed, Jul 11 - 6-8pm
Grades K-5
Bring a picnic dinner and enjoy games and relay races.
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Summer Finale with THE BOSSY FROG BAND
Tue, Aug 14 - 2:30 pm
Ages 1-8
We’ll wrap up our musical summer with a show featuring the non-stop dancing of Jeffrey and the Bossy Frog.
This show is guaranteed to get you singing and hopping! Max: 30

The Vault: Stop by each week to find out what’s showing!
Each week we will announce the film available with your library card!

Saturday Night at the Movies
Want to learn a new language with Rosetta Stone? Stop in and bring your device and we will help you set up your account!

Children’s Programs
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LEGO Lab
Fri, Jun 15, Jul 6 & Aug 10 • 4:30-5:30pm
Grades K-5
Bring your imagination, we’ll supply the LEGO! Creations will be kept on display in the Children’s Room. Max: 20

Whimsical Wind Chimes
Fri, Jul 27 • 4-5pm
Grades K-5
Use beads and bells to make music every time the wind blows! Max: 20

Pete the Cat: Rocking in My School Shoes
Thu, Aug 2 • 3-4pm
Grades 2-5
Part dog, part man, all hero! Create your own comic book starring the canine cop and his sidekick, Cat Kid.
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TechHELP

Drop-In Tech Help with our Librarians
Mon Jun 11, 18, & 25 • 10:30-11:30am
Thurs Jun 7, 14, 21 & 28 • 6-7pm
Fri Jun 8, 15, 22, & 29 • 2 – 3pm
Need help downloading books? Want to know more about Hoopla or Rosetta Stone? Stop in and bring your device and we will help you set up your account!

Summer Reading Program
This summer read whatever books you like and enter for a chance to win prizes.
Our program runs from June 19 to August 10 and is open to both children and teens.
Register in the library to receive a reading log, and get ready for a rockin’ summer!

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MusicCare
with Miss Sue
Fri, Jun 8, Jul 13 and Aug 10 • 1-1:30pm
Infants to 5 years with a caregiver
More fun with music and instruments.
Max: 20

Little Artists
Thu, Jun 14, Jul 12 and Aug 9 • 1-1:30pm
Ages 2-5 with a caregiver
A fun, hands-on approach to Pre-K art.
Dress for mess! Max: 20

Barnyard Bash at LAMONT-DOHERTY
Jun 19 • 10am
Max: 10 per age group
This interactive show combines music, movement, bubbles and science work together.

Sherlock Gnomes (PG) 86 min.
Mon, Aug 5 • 6pm
Gromee and Juliet recruit detective Sherlock Gnomes to investigate the mysterious disappearance of other garden ornaments.

Shake, Rattle & Recycle
Mon, Jun 11, 18 & 25 - 4-5pm
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Turn recyclables into a guitar and start your own band! Max: 20

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Mighty Five Field Day
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Bring a picnic dinner and enjoy games and relay races.
Event will be held at the ESPLANADE!

Presents: The Life of Mozart
Thu, Jul 19 • 4:30-5:30pm
Grades 7-10
A live play showcasing the genius who was Amadeus Mozart.
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Event will be held at the ESPLANADE in Palisades.

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BABY TIME
Thu, Jun 19 - Aug 14 • 10:30-11am
Infants to 18 months with a caregiver
Music, movement, bubbles, and parachute play!
Max: 20

Preschool Time
Wed, Jun 20 – Aug 15 • 10:30-11am
Ages 3-6 years with a caregiver
Develop listening skills, learn colors and numbers, and make some new friends!
Max: 20

Toddler Time
Wed, Jun 20 – Aug 15 • 11:15-12pm
Ages 19 months to 2 years with a caregiver
Shake your sillies out with songs, scarves and bubbles! Max: 20

It’s Story Time

From the Vault!
Thu, Jun 21 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
Come find out what's showing in the vault!
Each week we will announce the film available with your library card!

What a Trip!
Thu, Jun 21 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
On an epic journey, a cat and a fox try to find the treasure the cat's grandfather left behind.

From the Vault!
Thu, Jul 5 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
The non-stop fun continues with more adventures in the vault!

From the Vault!
Thu, Jul 12 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
Grab your popcorn and click to the vault for a fun-filled adventure!

From the Vault!
Thu, Jul 19 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
On a fun-filled adventure, a rat and a mouse explore the sometimes wonderful, sometimes perilous world of the country’s loss.

From the Vault!
Thu, Jul 26 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
Join the adventure as a daring duo explores the world of a country’s lost treasures!

From the Vault!
Thu, Aug 2 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
Join our intrepid explorers as they journey back in time and across Europe.

From the Vault!
Thu, Aug 9 • 2-3pm
Ages 5-8
Join a young sailor as he explores the world of adventure and the sea!