

**COMIC BOOK DAY
5TH ANNUAL!**

**SAT. OCT. 20
10 AM TO 4 PM**

The Nutley Public Library's annual Comic Book Day is a celebration of geek culture. Fans of superheroes, wizards, video games and more can share their interests together locally while enjoying a full day of events. Comic Book Day is a multi-generational event where everyone can wear a costume, create an enormous piece of sweet candy sushi, design superhero masks, check out different discussion panels, or snap a memory to take home from the green-screen photo booth.

Performers are a special part of Comic Book Day. Michele Knotz, a voice actress, has brought joy to fans of the Pokémon series with her panel and autographs. Her panel also encourages attendees to display their talents and win a prize for their participation.

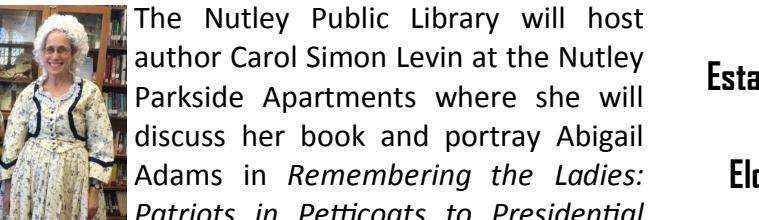
The cosplay contest is an all-ages event, which is held to show off everyone's fabulous costumes. Cosplay, or costume play, can be handmade or store bought. The Art Show is a place where artists can display their work of any medium, traditional or digital, to other art enthusiasts. Raffles are held every hour throughout the day. These bundles include toys, books, and other fun goodies.

Comic Book Day encourages new and existing readers across generations to try new hobbies such as reading a new comic book, become an artist, put a costume together, or learn what it takes to be part of the industry. It gives everyone in the community a convention experience right in town, free of charge.

Nutley Parkside Apartments Outreach Programs

The Nutley Public Library hosts monthly outreach events at the Nutley Parkside Apartments, 7 William Street. Residents outside of the Parkside Apartments meet at the library at 1:30 p.m. and proceed with the librarian to the senior building. All of the programs below will be held at Nutley Parkside Apartments at 2 pm. We also offer delivery service to homebound adults and outreach to local organizations. For more information about this service or about the below programs please stop by at the Reference Desk or call us at 973-667-0405 x2604 to speak to a librarian.

Author Carol Simon Levine
Tuesday, September 11 at 2 pm



Ask a Lawyer
10/2, 11/13, 12/4 at 2pm

- **Tuesday, October 2nd**
Estate Planning and Elder Law with Daniele Paul
- **Tuesday, November 13**
Elder Abuse and Fraud with Brenda McElnea
- **Tuesday, December 4**
Elder Law with Brenda McElnea

The Nutley Public Library will host author Carol Simon Levin at the Nutley Parkside Apartments where she will discuss her book and portray Abigail Adams in *Remembering the Ladies: Patriots in Petticoats to Presidential Candidates*. Carol Simon Levin is a librarian, author, storyteller, singer, and program presenter for audiences of all ages.



A Message from Our Friends President

Hello Friends,

It has been said that "Winter is an etching, Spring a watercolor, Summer an oil painting and Autumn a mosaic of color." After a bevy of summer activity at the Library it is time to look forward to an exciting new season. We are planning concerts, plays in the city, a production by the Hudson Shakespearean Theater Group on our own stage, an evening of crafts and fellowship at Pinot's Palette, our annual "Library Day" at Barnes and Noble at Clifton Commons in November where for any item purchased, a percentage will be donated to the Friends of the Library, as well as holiday gift wrapping in December. A mosaic of events is planned for your edification and enjoyment.

Our efforts during last year enabled us to completely fund programs for over 700 children this summer and a number of adult experiences. Please join with us to keep our Library prospering and being considered one of the best, if not the best in the state. Watch the website for specific dates and programs. Charles Dickens reminded us that "Nature gives to every time and season unique beauty." Please share the beauty of the coming seasons with The Friends of The Nutley Library.

- Barbara Hirsch
President



Fall Book Sale
October 25, 26 and 27
10 am to 4 pm

BARNES & NOBLE

Library Day
Saturday, November 17

Gift Wrapping
Saturday, December 22

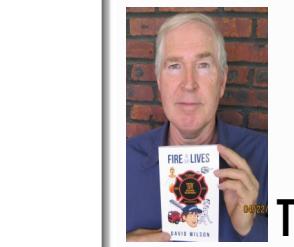
For more information about any of the above programs and for registration information, please go to
<http://nutleypubliclibrary.org/friends>



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NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER–DECEMBER 2018



Local Author and Local History Spotlight



Fire in Our Lives
Book Talk and Signing
with David Wilson
Thursday, September 20 at 7 pm

Meet David Wilson as he reads from and discusses his recently released book. This important book tackles the significance of safety and well-being during times of natural and or man made disasters. David is an experienced EMT, and certified fire inspector with a 40 year career in public safety.

Books will be available to purchase for \$15 dollars with a percentage to be donated to the Friends of the Library.



Film Screening of Nutley 1918
with John Demmer
Thursday, October 4 at 7 pm



Enjoy a screening of *Nutley 1918*, the earliest known film of Nutley, in honor of its 100th anniversary. Nutley Historian John Demmer will discuss its filming by Katherine Russell Bleeker and restoration by Bob Lee of the Essex Film Club. This rare treasure is the oldest known film of Nutley that was discovered in an attic by Ann Troy, and was only shown publicly twice before. John will also discuss the history of Nutley in 1918 as well as offer time for questions and discussion.

Nutley Trolley History
with John Demmer and David Wilson
Thursday, November 8 at 7 pm



Nutley Trolley history will be presented by David Wilson & John Demmer. A narrated tour of pictures will take you on a ride from the period 1896 through the final days of streetcars in 1937. Discussion on the founders, construction, routes, types of street cars, township development and politics of the day are included. Come and learn about the original light rail and mass transit in Nutley.



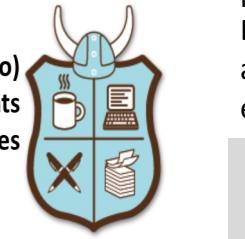
SATURDAY AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

Presents

BEFORE THE BOOK: WORKSHOPS FOR ASPIRING WRITERS

UNLEASH YOUR CREATIVE SUPERPOWERS

National Novel Writing Month (NaNoWriMo) in November is a fun, seat-of-your-pants approach to creative writing. NaNo believes that your story matters.



JOIN US FOR A SERIES OF FOUR WORKSHOPS LED BY AUTHOR HILLARY DEPIANO

Saturday, September 8 at 2:00 pm

WRITING YOUR FIRST BOOK & BUILDING A WRITING LIFE

Saturday, October 20 at 2:00 pm

SETTING YOURSELF UP FOR WRITING SUCCESS: PREPARING TO WRITE A BOOK

Saturday, November 17 at 2:00 pm

PUSHING THROUGH TO THE END: SEEING IT THROUGH TO THE END OF YOUR WRITING PROJECT EVEN WHEN YOU WANT TO QUIT

Saturday, December 1 at 2:00 pm

NOW WHAT?

TAKING YOUR NEW NOVEL THROUGH EDITING, PUBLICATION AND BEYOND

TUESDAY NIGHT GRAPHIC NOVEL CLUB FOR ADULTS



Join us as we discuss graphic novels and sample pastries from local bakeries throughout town. Discussions begin at 7 pm. Copies of each book are available at the library one month prior to each meeting.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

*SANDMAN DREAM COUNTRY VOL. 3
BY NEIL GAIMAN*

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16

*THE LONG HALLOWEEN
BY JEFF LOEB AND TIME SALE*

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

*ANYA'S GHOST
BY VERA BROSGOL*

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18

*THE BEST WE COULD DO
BY THI BUI*

Page to Screen Club *The Shawshank Redemption*

Thursday, November 15 at 7 pm



Celebrate the 25th anniversary of the *Shawshank Redemption* a few months early with our new book club that compares a book to the movie that it is based on. The film is based on *Rita Hayworth and the Shawshank Redemption* featured in *Different Seasons* by Stephen King. Copies of both the book and movie will be available to borrow at the front desk in early October.

A Message from Our Director Maria La Badia



What is the most important card that you own? It's your Library card. Your Library card is free, if you live, work or go to school in Nutley. You must show identification with your Nutley address such as a driver's license to sign-up for a card. Your card can be used at the Nutley Public Library and in any of the other 76 libraries in the BCCLS (Bergen County Cooperative Library System) system. You can get your card on the same day that you sign-up for one. Then you can begin taking out books and other materials, such as DVDs, audio books, Blu-Rays, music CDs, vinyl records and turntables, video games and museum passes!

Saturday, September 8 is Library Card Sign-Up Day, at the Nutley Public Library. Start the day at the Library with coffee and bagels provided by the Friends of the Library. At 10:30 am, Nutley author, Ileen Dudek will read from and sign her *Little Ant* books. At 2 pm, there is a writing workshop for adults led by author, Hillary De Piano. This is part of a four month series. This month's topic is "Writing your first book and building a writing life." Also at 2 pm, there will be a showing of the movie *The Incredibles* being displayed on our new projector and sound system upstairs in the Children's Room. All children who attend will receive a free ice-cream.



So come to the Library and get your Library card! As J.K. Rowling says, "When in doubt, go to the Library."

Concert with Wee Doggies

Bluegrass Band

Saturday, September 15 at 2pm



Financial Planning 101 with

AXA AXA ADVISORS

Thursday, September 27 at 7 pm

Jonathan Barrett, Certified Financial Planner from AXA Advisors, will host a program providing a comprehensive overview of financial planning.

Whether you are fresh out of college, retired, or somewhere in-between, this program will address various aspects of proactive financial planning including risk management, effective retirement planning and more!

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The Black Monk

Saturday, October 13 at 2 pm

Watch a screening of the *Black Monk* by local Essex County filmmakers Marylou and Jerome Bongiorno. Many scenes were filmed right in Nutley, NJ. When attending consider donating a non-perishable good to the Nutley Family Service Bureau Pantry for the local community.

Film Synopsis: A filmmaker wrestles with universal questions of life as he encounters a legendary monk and seeks a lost love. Based on the short story by Anton Chekhov.

Italian Movie Night with Nutley Unico

October 25 at 7 pm



Celebrate Italian American Heritage Month with Nutley Unico and the Nutley Public Library. There will be a screening of an Italian language film, with English subtitles.

The Hudson Shakespeare Company Present Spanish Tragedy

Thursday, October 18 at 7 pm

Join us for a live performance of the play, the Spanish Tragedy by Thomas Kyd performed by the Hudson Shakespeare Company.

This is a fundraiser for the Friends of the Nutley Public Library. The charge to see the play will be \$10, tickets will not be sold in advance. There will be light refreshments and the Friends of the Nutley Public Library will have a boutique selling t-shirts, pens and lights.

Allegro Singers Present Composers Born in October

Saturday, October 27 at 2 pm

Join us for an afternoon of beautiful music of the great composers born in October! Giuseppe Verdi, Franz Liszt, Camille Saint-Saëns & Georges Bizet. This opera concert will be performed by members of the Allegro Singers with Inna Leytush on piano.



Allegro Singers with Inna Leytush on piano.



ESL Classes

Looking to learn English? We offer ESL classes during the evening hours at the Nutley Public Library. Call 973-667-0405 x2604, email the instructor at ESLNutleyLibrary@gmail.com or speak to someone at the reference desk for more details. The classes are led by college instructor Tony Forte. There is a fee for this class.

Art at the Library

From September to December we will spotlight local artists and photographers through displays and receptions.