



Message from Our Director Maria LaBadia

A Spotlight on Programing

The Library averages 35 programs each month. This includes adult, children's, and young adult programs.

We have an exciting new program starting in May. "Page to Screen" will be held once a season. The first selection is *Jurassic Park* by Michael Crichton. Our "Monday Night Book Club" has moved to Saturday afternoons at 2 pm.

Spring Program Highlights

April 12 – *Nutley 1918* Film Screening with Nutley Historian John Demmer

April 14 – *Footprints: The Art and Life of Gary Erbe* Discussion with Trompe L'oeil Artist Gary Erbe

April 28 – *Hooray for Love!* Jazz Performance with Singer Jane Stuart

May 3—Easy Vegan Salads with Registered Dietician Stephanie Bini

May 12—*Beatles Next... the Solo Years* with Historian Vincent Bruno

The Children's Department is bringing back some fan favorite story times. "Monday Night Pajama Story Time" and "Saturday Morning Story Time" both return this season. The Summer Reading Club theme for 2018 is Libraries Rock! Look for some great music programs this summer. The kick-off is June 27 with DJ Rob! Last year 720 children participated in the Summer Reading Club.

The Library has many interesting and varied programs. Please come and participate in a program. All programming is free.

ESL Classes

Looking to learn English? We offer ESL classes during the evening hours at the Nutley Public Library. Call 973-667-0405 X2604 or stop in to speak to someone at the reference desk for more details. The classes are led by college instructor Tony Forte. There is a fee for these classes.

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Come out and stock up on hardcover books, paperbacks, CDs and DVDs at the Friends of the Library Book Sale.

Thursday, Friday & Saturday

April 26, 27 and 28

10 am - 4 pm



Donations Accepted:

April 23, 24 and 25

Message from Our Friends of the Library President Barbara Hirsch

Leo Tolstoy reminds us that "Spring is the time of plans and projects." The Friends of The Nutley Library are certainly ready for spring. We begin with excursions to the Philadelphia Flower Show and a Broadway play or two. We will enjoy breakfast and lunch at the Pancake Palace and the culinary treats fashioned by our Nutley High School students at the annual Lee Rae O'Brien Author Tea. This year's author is Cormac O'Brien whose book, *Secrets Of The First Ladies*, is a timely and a fun read. Sponsoring book signings for both adults and children keeps our Library at the forefront of current issues.

All of these activities help us to support the children's summer programs and a variety of events during the year. We purchased equipment such as a 3D Printer to enhance STEAM opportunities for students. We have also developed a Friends Boutique which will feature handy gadgets and our brand new "I Love My Library" tee shirt. The Friends offer monetary and voluntary support wherever needed. Please join us so that we can continue to provide the very best service to our community.



NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK HIGHLIGHTS

Nutley, 1918 Film Screening

Thursday, April 12 at 7 pm



Enjoy a screening of *Nutley, 1918*, the earliest known film of Nutley. 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 was discovered in an attic by Ann Troy and was shown publicly only once. John will also discuss the history of Nutley in 1918 as well as offer time for questions and discussion.

Trompe L'Oeil Artist Gary Erbe

Saturday, April 14 at 2 pm



Meet renowned Trompe L'Oeil artist and Nutley resident Gary Erbe as he presents "*Footprints: The Art and Life of Gary Erbe.*" Mr. Erbe is a self-taught painter in the medium of oil and has been painting professionally for over 40 years. Books will be available for purchase and signing. Fifty percent of the proceeds will be donated to the library.

Easy Vegan Salads

Thursday, May 3 at 7 pm



Create, taste and enjoy healthy salads and learn a few recipes along the way with Registered Dietician Stephanie Bini. May is National Salad Month!

Beatles Next ... The Solo Years

Saturday, May 12 at 2 pm



Rock historian Vincent Bruno will continue in the footprints of The Beatles story and focus on the highlights of the respective solo post-Beatles careers of John, Paul, George and Ringo.

Nutley Public Library

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Library Hours:

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

Wednesday, Friday and Saturday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday: Closed

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CHILDREN'S & TEEN SERVICES SPOTLIGHT

There are many exciting special events being held this spring in Children's and Teen Services! In addition to an enriching variety of programs such as early literacy story times, book discussions, 3D printer demonstrations, the teen manga club, and origami workshops, watch for these special programs: Reading Bingo, Lego Play, a visit from the Butterfly Guy Rick Mikula, a Free Style Video Game Tournament, the annual Paint-A-Pot / Plant a Flower workshop, and a Minecraft Meetup.



LIBRARIES ROCK!

Summer reading program registration begins on June 1. This year's theme is **LIBRARIES ROCK!** We will be having a summer reading kickoff celebration with DJ Rob on June 27. Free flavored ice will be served.

For more details on these programs, registration information as well details on other fun and exciting programs, check out both the children's and teen services web pages or stop by the Children's Department.

Vinyl Turntable Lending



Turntable lending is now available! We have record players in a variety of styles. When borrowing a turntable pick up a few records from our groovy and growing collection.

AXA Advisors Retirement Planning

Thursday, April 19 at 7 pm

Jonathan Barrett, Certified Financial Planner will host a program focusing on retirement planning strategies, social security planning and other financial topics. Get a better understanding of ways to maximize your income in retirement and how to protect your assets.

The Jane Stuart Jazz Quartet:

Hooray For Love!

Saturday, April 28 at 2 pm



Jane Stuart lends her own jazz style to songs of love with a program that celebrates love and it's many ways. The songs are written by some of the greatest songsmiths the world has known. "Love can be funny, sad, crazy or mad, but it's always beautiful." Join us for a fun sing-along.

JOIN THE FRIENDS OF THE NUTLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE ANNUAL LEE RAE O'BRIEN AUTHOR TEA



WITH CORMAC O'BRIEN

Wednesday, May 16

at 6:30 pm

\$35 per person

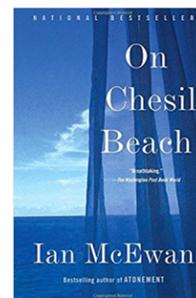


This elegant affair will begin with champagne. High Tea will be served by Tarik Huggins. Mr. O'Brien, author of *Secret Lives of the First Ladies*, will visit with guests to chat and sign his book. Copies will be available for sale. Mr. O'Brien has published books on everything from ancient empires to United States presidents, bringing a distinctive voice to the history genre. He lives in New Jersey with his wife and daughter. Please contact the library for registration information.

Saturday Afternoon Book Club

The Reading Group that **EDUCATES and ENTERTAINS**

The Saturday Afternoon Book Club (formerly the Monday Night Book Club) is a monthly, moderated discussion on books chosen by club members. Discussion begins at 2 pm. Copies of each book and its discussion guide are available one month prior to each discussion. Refreshments are served.



Saturday, April 14

Footprints: *The Art and Life of Gary Erbe*
SPECIAL APPEARANCE BY ARTIST GARY ERBE

Saturday, May 5

On Chesil Beach by Ian McEwan

Tuesday Afternoon Book Club at Nutley Parkside Apartments

April 3 and May 1 at 2 pm

The Nutley Public Library hosts a monthly book discussion at the Nutley Parkside Apartments, 7 William Street, the first Tuesday of each month at 2 pm. Residents outside of the Parkside Apartments meet at the library at 1:30 p.m. and proceed with the librarian to the senior building. The book discussed in April will be *Case Histories* by Kate Atkinson. *On Chesil Beach* by Ian McEwan will be discussed in May.

Tuesday Night Graphic Novel Club for Adults



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

Tuesday, April 24

Yvain the Knight of the Lion
by M.T. Anderson

Tuesday, May 15

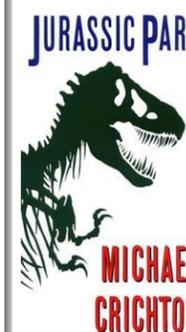
Fables: Legends in Exile
by Bill Willingham

Tuesday, June 19

Through the Woods
by Emily Carroll

Page to Screen : Jurassic Park

Thursday, May 24 at 7 pm



Celebrate the 25th anniversary of the theatrical release of *Jurassic Park* with our new book club that compares a book to the movie that it is based on. Copies of the book and movie will be available at the front desk in early May. The club will meet again in August.

For more information and to register go to <http://nutleypubliclibrary.org/pagetoscreen>