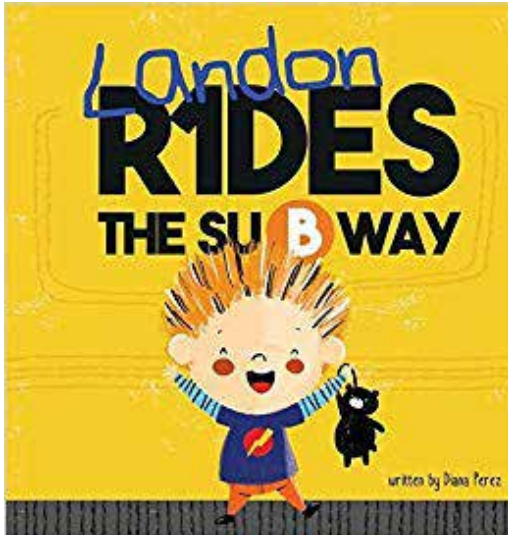


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Children's Book Author Diana Perez

Children's book author Diana Perez visits the Library on January 30th at 6:45 p.m. to read her newest book, *Landon Rides the Subway*. A true urban dweller, Perez shares her love of exploring big cities in this darling story about a little boy's subway ride. Follow Landon to his favorite museum as he discovers a whole new world that lies under the sidewalks and streets! Children up to age 5 are invited!

Free Senior Programs at the Library

Weehawken seniors age 62 and older are invited to stop by the Library for both of these free programs:



Senior Bingo 4 Books - Get ready for an afternoon of Bingo fun, lively conversation and light refreshments, and a chance to take home some wonderful reading material! The Bingo 4 Books program will take place on Thursdays January 17th, February 14th, March 14th, April 25th, May 9th and June 13th from 1 to 3 p.m. Bingo cards will be distributed free of charge to players (limit of two cards per person) and players will vie for a chance to select some favorite book titles as prizes.

Senior Arts and Crafts - Crafting fun for seniors take place on Thursdays, March 21st and June 20th from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Seating is limited to 25.

For free transportation to the Library for either of these programs call the Senior Activity Center at 201-319-6059.

Knitting & Crocheting Hour

Don't put those knitting needles and crocheting hooks away just yet! The popular Knitting & Crocheting Hour program for adults resumes at the Library on Mondays, February 11th, March 18th, April 8th and May 6th. All sessions begin at 7 p.m.

Cultural Book Club

The Weehawken Library Cultural Book Club meets on various dates throughout the season. Adult patrons interested in participation should contact the second floor circulation desk at 201-863-7823 for meeting dates.



Celebrate Black History Month

The Weehawken Public Library in collaboration with the Black Student Union of Weehawken High School is paying tribute to Black History Month by celebrating "The Harlem Renaissance." The celebration will begin with a performance by Rhonda Dene't & the SFS Trio on Thursday, February 7th from 7 to 8:15 p.m. at the Senior Nutrition Center, 201 Highwood Ave.

Armchair Art Tour Visits Library on April 11th

Dr. Michael Norris brings his illustrated conversations about art back to the Library on Thursday, April 11th at 7 p.m, when the former educator at the Metropolitan Museum of Art will present "The Middle East at the Met: Origins in the Ancient Near East." Explore 7,500 years of the cultural history of peoples scattered over 3,000,000 square miles of the Middle East, from Turkey to India, from Armenia to Saudi Arabia – all through the art at the Met. Experience Mesopotamia, the cradle of civilization, and its stories of Noah's Great Flood, encounter the unconquerable hero Gilgamesh, visit the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, and discover the Great Death Pit of Ur, filled with bodies and priceless artifacts.



Herb Garden How To

Parsley, sage, rosemary and thyme! Growing your own herbs is a simple and inexpensive undertaking that pays off big time for your taste buds! Learn how to plant your own herb garden when this special workshop returns at the Library this spring on Thursday, May 16th at 7 p.m. Registration is required and seating is limited to 15.



Tuesday Afternoon Movies

Adult patrons are invited to spend a Tuesday afternoon at the Library to enjoy these free movies. All show times are 1:30 p.m.

- *Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom* on January 22nd
- *The Wife* on February 19th
- *A Star is Born* on March 12th
- *Mission: Impossible - Fallout* on April 9th
- *The Leisure Seeker* on May 14th



Conversational ESL

The Library is offering two sessions of Conversational ESL for adults, for whom English is not their primary language. This beginner's level program will be held for six weeks on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and is open to Weehawken residents only. Registration for the winter session will begin on Wednesday, January 9th; the first class will begin on Wednesday, January 16th. Registration for the spring session will begin on Wednesday, March 6th; the first class will begin on Wednesday, March 20th.

FREE MATH TUTORING

The free math tutoring program for Weehawken residents in Grades 3 to 12 returns this January 8. Sessions are offered in elementary math through pre-calculus. Students must bring their own textbooks, notebooks and test materials. All sessions are held at the Library and available by appointment only; call 201-863-7823 for additional information.

Winter Hours:

Monday	9am - 9pm
Tuesday	9am - 6pm
Wednesday	9am - 9pm
Thursday	9am - 6pm
Friday	9am - 6pm
Saturday	9am - 5pm
Sunday	11am - 6pm

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Happenings @ the Library Free Kids & Teen Events



LEGO PLAYTIME:

For ages 2 to 5. Fridays, February 1st, March 1st, April 5th, May 3rd and June 14th, from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Take a look at some Lego books for inspiration and build away! Seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis.

COMIC CLUB:

For ages 8 to 12. Friday, February 1st and Mondays, March 4th, April 1st, May 6th and June 3rd, from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Comic book fans are invited to stop by the Library to learn about titles from Marvel, DC and other publishers, as well as share and discuss comics they are currently reading.

SLEEPYTIME STORIES AND LULLABIES:

For ages up to 5. February 4th, March 4th, April 15th, May 13th and June 3rd, from 6:45 to 7:15 p.m. Join Ms. Donna and Ms. Kelly for soothing bedtime stories and lullabies.



HARRY POTTER CLUB:

For ages 7 to 14. Wednesdays, February 13th, March 13th, April 10th, May 15th and June 5th, from 5 to 6 p.m. Calling all Potterheads! Come join one of the Library's newest and most popular clubs where we discuss, craft and play all things "HARRY POTTER". Seating is limited to 25 and on a first-come, first-serve basis.

BOTTLES, BINKIES AND BOOKS:

For ages up to 3. Fridays, January 11th, February 8th, March 8th, April 12th, May 10th and June 21st, from 10 to 10:30 a.m. Join Ms. Donna for stories and imaginative finger puppet play.

FRIDAY NIGHT TINKER LAB:

For ages 8 to 16. Fridays, January 18th, March 22nd and May 3rd, from 7 to 8 p.m. Be a maker! Stop by the Library to hack, build, create and play with the Library staff. Seating is limited to 20 and registration begins one week prior to each lab.

STEAM STORY TIME:

For ages 5 to 7. Monday, January 14th, Fridays, February 15th, March 15th, and Mondays, April 8th, May 13th and June 17th, from 4 to 4:30 p.m. Visit the Library to listen to stories and have fun with hands-on ways to challenge thinking and develop problem solving skills. Seating is limited to 20 and on a first-come, first-serve basis.

READ ACROSS AMERICA:

For ages 1 to 4. Friday, March 1st, from 11:15 to 11:45 a.m. Join Ms. Donna and Ms. Kelly as they read favorite Dr. Seuss books and then lead kids in making a craft. Seating is limited to 20 and on a first-come, first-serve basis.



MURDER MYSTERY FOR TEENS: ST. PATRICK'S DAY PANDEMONIUM

For grades 7 to 12. Saturday, March 9th, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Teen sleuths are invited to solve a St. Paddy's Day-themed "murder" in the enchanting town of Emerald Valley. All happens while the townspeople prepare for the big day of parades, parties and celebrations, featuring the presentation of the coveted Irish Spirit award. Seating is limited to 25; registration is required and begins Saturday, March 2nd.

SLEEPYTIME STORIES AND LULLABIES NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK EDITION:

For ages up to 5. Monday, April 7th, from 6:45-7:15 p.m. Join Ms. Donna and Ms. Kelly for special library stories and lullabies.

Spring Break Week



Saturday, April 13th

Mock Trial: The Three Bears vs. Gold E. Locks: 1:30 to 3p.m. Grades: 3-7 Did Gold E. Locks "break in" to the Three Bears cottage to eat porridge and take a nap or was she a guest? Sign up to be part of the jury that decides the fate of Ms. Locks. Seating is limited to 25; registration is required and begins on Thursday, April 6th.

Monday April 15th

Toddler Cinema: "PBs Kids Incredible Tales" 10:00 a.m. - Ages: Up to 5 Children's Movie: "The House with a Clock in its Walls" 1:00 p.m. - Ages: 6-12 Seating for above is on a first-come, first-served basis.

Wednesday, April 17th

Toddler Board Games: 10 to 10:45 a.m. Ages: 2-4 Children's Board Games: 1 to 3 p.m. Ages: 5-16 Seating for above is on a first-come, first-served basis.



Kids and Teen Book Clubs at the Library

Break away from the computers and video games! The Weehawken Library invites kids of all ages to join one of its popular book clubs for young readers.

The Bookwormers:

For ages 5 to 6. Fridays, January 11th, February 8th, March 8th, April 12 and May 10th, from 4:30 to 5 p.m. Young readers will be encouraged to share their thoughts on new easy-reader books during each session.

The Book Enders:

For ages 7 to 8. Fridays, January 25th, February 22nd, March 29th, April 26th and May 17th, from 4 to 5 p.m. Members will read a new chapter book or junior fiction book for each session, followed by a lively discussion period led by a Library staffer.

The Novelists:

For ages 9 to 12. Mondays, January 28th, February 25th, March 25th, April 15th and May 20th, from 4 to 5 p.m. Junior fiction readers will gather to discuss their shared experiences and opinions on books.

Teen Scene:

For grades 7 to 12. Monday, January 14th, Wednesday February 27th and Mondays, March 11th, April 29th, May 13th and June 17th, from 7 to 8 p.m. Club members will read and then gather on meeting dates to discuss their opinions on a teen fiction book.