

HYDE PARK FREE LIBRARY

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Gearing Up For An Event Filled August

August 1, 2018

Dear Hyde Park Library Patrons,

Whether you're an aspiring filmmaker, screenwriter, cinematographer--or simply a film fan--you'll almost certainly benefit from our new Sunday evening film series. Each Sunday at 7 PM in Hyde Park! Each week a unique film will be shown illustrating some aspect of filmmaking followed by a discussion by the participants, facilitators and guest speakers.

Although theatrically released films will be screened weekly, the ultimate goal is to fuel inspiration and provide a forum for young film makers to show their new works. This program is free and open to the public. We especially encourage aspiring filmmakers, screenwriters and composers to attend in order to provide networking and sharing input on all aspects of filmmaking.

Filmmakers are requested to let us know if they have a film short they would like included in our program. They can do so by calling (845)206-8423 or emailing us at hplibrary@gmail.com.

The series debuts with a screening of Martin Scorsese's multi-award winning 2011 film *Hugo*, a striking effort both visually and dramatically. Although the film did not fare well at the box office, it was hailed by many critics as one of the year's 10 best films and went on to be nominated for 11 Oscars (winning five). Aside from being an opportunity to (re)- discover an overlooked cinematic gem, it's a chance to learn to appreciate the film's unique visual style--and for aspiring filmmakers--to consider cinematographic options for themselves.





NEW FILM FORUM: FILMS & THEIR CREATORS

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Our series begins on August 5th with **HUGO**, a Dream Works film by Martin Scorsese, which offers amazing perspectives visually and emotionally, along with interesting use of color.

Come, and bring your friends!

**Where: Hyde Park Library Annex
4 Main Street, Hyde Park, 12538
(Adjacent to the Main Building)**

When: Sundays at 7 PM beginning on August 5, 2018

Cost: Free and open to the Public!

Note: This is a food friendly program. Popcorn provided!

Be sure to sign up for our mailing list for news, announcements and updates!



Taconic Resource DisAbility & Employment Workshop Series

We're excited to announce that we will be partnering with Taconic Resources for Independence in offering a bi-monthly workshops on "disAbility and Employment." These workshops will seek to answer the questions and concerns applicants for Social Security Disability Insurance and/or Supplemental Security Income eligibility have about these programs. Applicants and/or current recipients of such benefits are also likely to have questions about how much they can earn and still retain their eligibility for Medicaid or Medicare. TRI's Mobile Benefits Counselor will be on hand to answer these and/or any other questions workshop attendees may have. Pre-registration is a must, so please contact the TRI office at the telephone number below. Workshops will be on the first Monday of the month in August, October and December.



disAbility & Employment Workshop

If you are under the age of 65 and have questions about Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI), Supplemental Security Income (SSI) eligibility, or have questions about how much can you earn and keep your eligibility for Medicaid and/or Medicare, then sign-up for one of the following workshops presented by TRI's Mobile Benefits Counselor.

Registration in advance is required.

Please call:

(845) 452 – 3913 x 0

1st Monday every other month

August 6th | October 1st | December 3rd 2018

4:30pm – 6:30pm

@ The Hyde Park Free Library

2 Main Street, Hyde Park

***If you require a sign-language interpreter you must call or email
2 weeks in advance to Attn: Mandi (845) 452.3913 x119, m.sheraden@taconicresources.org**

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August Music In The Annex

Our Summer Concert Series continues on Sunday August 19th at 2:00 p.m. with a show featuring two of the Mid-Hudson Valley's most talented singer-songwriters, Thomas Earl and Kimberly.

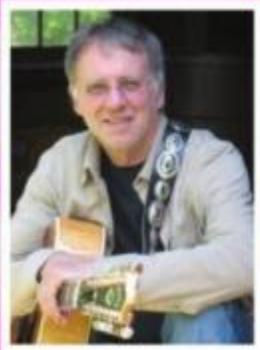
Fans of singer-songwriter Kimberly know her as an artist "who has the knack for evoking powerful emotions through her songwriting/storytelling, making expert use of her strong, smoky voice." Her vocals are indeed especially skillful and emotive, and we look forward to her return engagement at our venue.

Thomas Earl became involved in music in the 1960's in Ann Arbor Michigan. He performed in coffeehouses with such artists as Jim Kweskin, John Hammond Jr. and Joni Mitchell. He worked for several years in the music industry performing and producing music events. In 2007 he released his CD, *Golddust Magic* in 2007, which led to him being selected as a Featured Songwriter at the New Jersey Folk Festival and having one of the songs named as a finalist in the Independent Acoustic Music Awards (IAMA) competition. In 2010 his follow-up recording *It's Never Too Late* was released, continuing in his patented classic acoustic folk, evocative of such artists as Gordon Lightfoot, Tom Rush and James Taylor with Leo Kottke-style finger picking.

The Hyde Park Library Presents:

In Concert / Double Bill:

Thomas Earl & Kimberly



**Sunday,
Aug. 19th
@ 2 pm
In the Annex**



Suggested Donation of \$10
Reservations Recommended

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And if that great music leaves you wanting more, well, we'll be holding our monthly open mic a week later on Sunday, August 26th at 1:30 p.m. Join us in sharing music and in greeting our talented featured act Stone Ridge based Sharon Klein. Singer-songwriter and guitar player extraordinaire, Sharon is a musical world traveler; splitting her time between her Ulster County home and her travels in Europe and the Middle East. Her musical cosmopolitanism is reflected both in her solo work and in musical collaborations.

Sharon brings a lifetime of experiences and encounters with people from all over the world to her journalistic style of songwriting. Her finger style playing has been featured at the prestigious Woodstock Invitational Luthier Showcase as well as music venues and festivals in the U.S. and abroad.

We take some pride in the fact that our open mics are among the most "open" in the area. We're not limited to one genre of music. Heck, we're not even limited to *music*. We've hosted poets and prose writers--and we're just waiting for some comics or dancers or magicians to show up and show us what they can do (well, in the space of eight minutes).

Sign-up begins as 1:30 (accompanied by a pre-open mic performance by our hosts, Maureen and Don Black and "the singing librarian.")

Open mic performances begin at 2:00.

Featured acts take the stage at 3:15, and any remaining open mic performers will close out the show circa 4:00 p.m. All are welcome, musicians and music buffs and--as we say--practitioners of all the lively arts, seeing as we like to keep things lively here at the Hyde Park Library Annex.



The poster is titled "Open Mic" in a large, black, cursive font, flanked by two musical notes. Below the title, a yellow box contains the date and time: "Sunday, Aug. 26th 1:30pm". To the right of this box is a photograph of Sharon Klein, a woman with short brown hair, wearing a black top and playing an acoustic guitar. Below the photo, a yellow box identifies her as the featured performer: "With Featured Singer/ Songwriter: Sharon Klein". At the bottom of the poster, a white box with a black border provides the location and contact information: "Hyde Park Library Annex • 4 Main St., Hyde Park, NY 12538 • 845-229-7791". The background of the poster is a vibrant, abstract pattern of yellow, orange, and green.

Open Mic

**Sunday,
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**With Featured
Singer/
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Sharon Klein

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HPTA Annual Golf Outing Fundraiser

As we noted last month, there is still time for golfers to register for Hyde Park Teachers' Association Golf Outing fundraiser (to benefit the Hyde Park, Staatsburg and Clinton libraries) on Saturday, September 15, 2018 at the Dinsmore Golf Course. Check the info on the flier below for details.

An additional component to this library fundraiser is the inclusion of some truly great raffle prizes, tickets for all of which are available now at our own library (as well as the Staatsburg and Clinton libraries). There are some truly great prizes available this year (as the attached info indicates). Pick up a raffle ticket, at the location most convenient to you, today!

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RAFFLE PRIZES

golf outing raffles benefiting the Clinton, Hyde Park, & Staatsburg libraries

1. DIVINE DINING

\$200 gift certificate to the CIA

2. WINNER, WINNER... (we hope!)

take a chance at winning, with a frame filled with scratch-off tickets
(tickets purchase price = \$100)

3. DATE NIGHT

Clove Creek Dinner Theater & a night at the Hilton Garden Inn, Fishkill

4. "ALEXA, WHO WILL WIN THIS GREAT PRIZE?"

Amazon Alexa & Echo Dot

5. WORK & PLAY

Fitbit & selection of Craft Beer

6. MUSIC to YOUR EARS

Ipod & an Itunes gift card

7. the EAGLE & the ALBATROSS

golf GPS & foursome at Casperkill Country Club

8. BAG of CHEER

golf bag filled with assorted bottles of wine

9. BEST of HYDE PARK

gift certificates to a selection of Hyde Park businesses, restaurants, & movie passes

write your name, phone #, and raffle prize # on the back of your raffle ticket

tickets: 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5; cash or checks payable to HPTA

raffle tickets available at the Clinton, Hyde Park, & Staatsburg libraries,
all HPCSD schools, or contact Kathryn Choinski kathrynchoinski@hpcsd.org
or Tim Daniels timothydaniels@hpdcs.org

As far as the actual golfing event goes, as in previous seasons, the outing will be a "scramble format." Check-in will be at 8 a.m. Shotgun start will be at 9:00 a.m.

Entry fee is \$125.00 per player and includes a gift bag, 18 holes of golf, golf cart, lunch at the turn and a buffet dinner at the Eagle's Nest, plus games and prizes and a cash prize for the top team.

Please contact Kathryn Choinski at 546-6477 for registration, sponsorships and/or donations and make any payment payable to HPTA, P.O. Box 393, Hyde Park, NY 12538.



HYDE PARK TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

· benefitting Hyde Park, Staatsburg, & Clinton libraries ~

Saturday - September 15, 2018

Dinsmore Golf Course ~ scramble format

Check In - 8am ~ Shotgun Start - 9am

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Includes: gift bag, 18 holes of golf, golf cart, lunch at the turn,
buffet dinner at the Eagles Nest, games & prizes.

*** CASH PRIZE for the TOP TEAM ***



SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

PLATINUM - \$700 : 4 golfers, large banner, tee box sign

GOLD - \$100 : company banner **SILVER** - \$50 : tee box sign

TEAM SPONSOR - four gift certificates

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More Movie Madness (French Film Festival)--And Lots More Library News

Aside from our new film forum, described above, we will also be running a French Film Series in the month of August. The series debuts on Friday, August 10th at 7:00 p.m. with the 2005 film *L'Enfant*, directed by Belgian filmmakers Jean-Pierre and Luc Dardenne and starring Jeremie Renier and Deborah Francois. This critically acclaimed film won the Palme d'Or award at 2005 Cannes Film Festival and was nominated for Best Film and Best Actor (Jeremie Renier) that same year. The film was also nominated as Belgium's entry as Best Foreign Film for the Academy Awards in '05.

The next day, August 11th at 2:00 p.m., we'll be screening the similarly titled (and equally acclaimed) *Au Revoir, Les Enfants* from 1987, produced and directed by Louis Malle, and starring Gaspard Maranesse and Raphael Fejto. The film is based on events in the childhood of director, Louis Malle, who at age 11 witnessed a Gestapo raid in which three Jewish students and a Jewish teacher were rounded up and deported to Auschwitz.

Also coming up in the series is the film *A Very Long Engagement* with Audrey Tatou and Marion Cotillard (and directed by Jean-Pierre Jeunet), which will be screened on Friday, August 17 at 7:00 p.m., followed on Saturday at 2:00 p.m. by the 2008 release *Let It Rain* (*Parlez-moi de la pluie*), directed by Agnes Jaoui and starring Jamel Debbouze and Jean-Pierre Decri.

The following weekend, we'll be screening the French-language action film, *The Crimson River* (*Les Rivières Pourpres*) by director Mathieu Kassowitz and starring Dominique Sanda and Jean Reno on Friday, August 24th at 7:00 p.m. And on the following day (Saturday, August 25th at 2:00 p.m.), we'll screen the 2011 French language film *The Beloved/Les Bien-Aimes*, starring Catherine Deneuve, Milos Forman and (Deneuve and Marcello Mastroianni's daughter) Chiara Mastroianni. The film was directed by Christophe Honoré and closed out the 2011 Cannes Film Festival.

Several of these films are not currently available for loan from the MH Library System nor available as downloads--so while we can't really call the screenings here "exclusives," they are indeed rare opportunities to see these fine films.

French Film Fest

Fri. 8/10 @7pm	L'enfant (2005) Crime/Drama/ Romance		Sat. 8/18 @2pm	Let it Rain (2008) Drama/Comedy	
Sat. 8/11 @2pm	Au Revoir Les Enfants (1987) War/Drama		Fri. 8/24 @7pm	The Crimson Rivers (2000) Crime/Mystery/ Thriller	
Fri. 8/17 @7pm	A Very Long Engagement (2004) Drama/Mystery/ Romance		Sat. 8/25 @2pm	Beloved (2011) Drama/Musical/ Romance	

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MORE LIBRARY NEWS

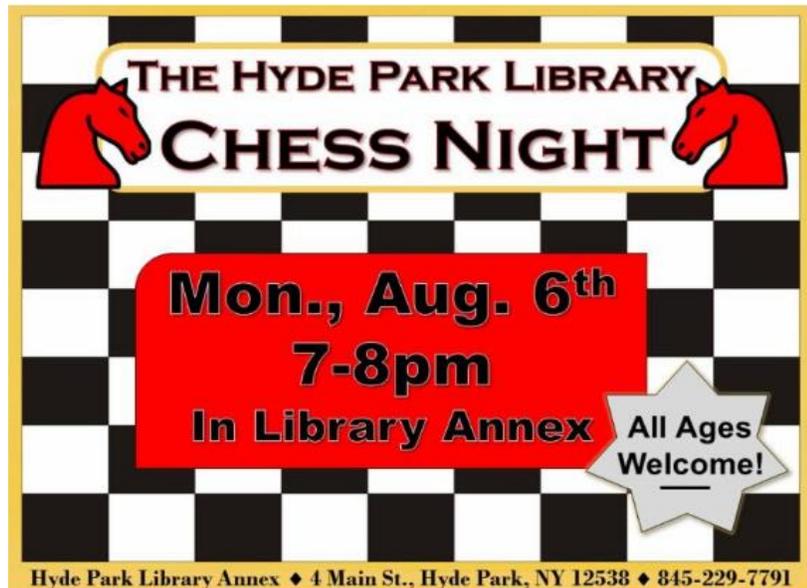
Speaking of things French, our French conversation group did hold an organizational meeting in July and have opted to meet weekly on Monday afternoons. Tentatively, the group is planning to meet at 2:00 p.m., and the next scheduled session is August 6th at that time. There has been some discussion about moving the session to a different hour, and that will likely depend on the input of current (and prospective) members of the group and what they feel is the most convenient hour. People who were unable to attend the planning session who might be interested in coming to future meetings should contact us at (845)229-7791 ext. 205 (and specify their preferred meeting time).

Our Tuesday and Thursday knitting groups have been very well attended, and both sessions will continue to meet throughout the month of August. If you knit--and enjoy lively conversation--please consider attending one (or both) of these sessions.

Also related to the fabric arts is our quilting group who continue to meet on Thursday mornings in the Annex at 9:30. New members are always welcome.

Chess lovers should consider checking out our new chess club, which has been meeting on the first Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. and has proven to be quite well attended. The next meeting is scheduled for the evening of August 6th.

Our mystery book discussion meets on Friday, August 10th at 12:00 p.m. This month's selection is *The Angel Court Affair* by Anne Perry.



The Hyde Park Writers' Group will have its first of two monthly meetings on Tuesday, August 14th at 6:30 p.m. The group will also meet on August 28th at the same time. Emphasis is on poetry and shorter prose.

Our monthly YA book discussion group will meet on Thursday, August 9th at 7:00 p.m. This group is for all fans of YA literature. The July selection is *Warcross* by Marie Lu.

The Hyde Park Library Book Club (general interest) will meet on Monday, August 20th at 6:30 p.m. and our noontime session on Friday, August 24th. This month's selection is *News of the World* by Paulette Jiles.

Dutchess One-Stop Job Counseling will be held on Thursday, August 16th. People interested in meeting with their counselor should make an appointment with the One-Stop service in advance of that date by calling (845)249-4644.

The Friends of the Hyde Park Library will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, August 21st at 6:30 in the Annex.

The next meeting of the Hyde Park Library Board of Trustees will be held on Thursday, Aug. 16th at 6:30 p.m.

AND FROM THE CHILDREN'S ROOM

We'd like to thank Mrs. B. and all the attendees of our Summer Reading Program for a very active, very successful program this year. Regular summer programming continues through August 14th, with the BeBop Babies sessions and our Friday Legos group continuing throughout the month.

Although the program winds up officially in mid-August, participants who have been keeping Reading Logs can continue to keep reporting books read throughout the month of August as well. Certificates will be given out later in the month (at a date to be announced).

For children entering Kindergarten in the fall of 2018, Mrs. B. will be hosting her annual Kindergarten Day on August 28th at 10:30 p.m. Stories and crafts related to the school will be offered. Parents and guardians have always found this a great way to help children celebrate this transition and to ease any anxieties the children may have.



Kindergarten Day

For Children Entering Kindergarten in September

Tues.
Aug. 28th
@ 10:30

Register at Circ. Desk or Call Us!

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You can check out our online calendar at hydeparkfreelibrary.org