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MONDAY - THURSDAY

10:00 am - 8:00 pm

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10:00 am - 5:00 pm

SUNDAY HOURS

(September - May)

Noon - 4:00 pm



ARCHIVES HOURS

WEDNESDAY 1:00-5:00 pm

2ND SATURDAY Noon-4:00 pm

A community discussion of the book by Angie Thomas


THE HATE U GIVE

FACILITATED BY
DR. DORINDA CARTER
ANDREWS, MSU

Thursday, May 17
6:30 - 8:00pm

Presented by
THE HOWELL CARNEGIE DISTRICT LIBRARY
in partnership with
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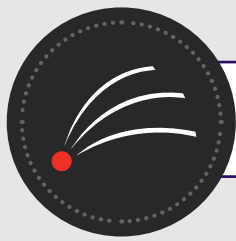

THE HATE U GIVE . . .

A COMMUNITY DISCUSSION OF THE BOOK BY A. THOMAS

Thursday, May 17, 2018, 6:30-8:00pm

The library will host a community discussion on the book *The Hate U Give* by Angie Thomas. Dr. Dorinda Carter Andrews, of Michigan State University, will lead and facilitate the discussion. This program is presented in partnership with the Livingston Diversity Council and the suggested audience is 11th grade students through adults. This is a drop-in event; no registration required.

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ADULT SERVICES

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Howell Carnegie District Library is to create opportunities that transform lives through knowledge for every age at any stage, one exceptional experience at a time.

VISION STATEMENT

Inspiration through knowledge.

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LIBRARIES ROCK! ADULT SUMMER READING CHALLENGE Accept the online Adult Summer Reading Challenge! Sign up starting June 1st, record your books, play games, enter prize drawings, and more through August 17th. Head to our website at www.howelllibrary.org to sign up and for more information about the challenge.

E-MATERIAL:

The library offers e-books, e-audios, e-magazines, and downloadable music and movies. Download e-material to your smartphone, reader, tablet, or other wireless device and save yourself the space! Check <http://www.howelllibrary.org/downloadables.htm> or ask at the Information Desk.



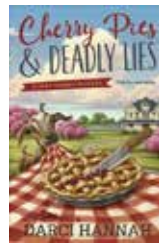
● CHERRY PIES & DEADLY LIES BOOK LAUNCH AND CHERRY PIE BAKE-OFF

Friday, June 8, 2018

6:00-7:30 pm,

Reference Magazine Area

Join the fun as our long-time Reference staff member and nationally-acclaimed author Darci Hannah celebrates the release of her new novel, *Cherry Pies & Deadly Lies*, with an author talk, book signing, and hunt for the best cherry pie in Howell. Bring a baked cherry pie to compete for the coveted Gilded Cherry trophy and a signed copy of the book or just bring your enthusiasm for books and cherry baked goods. Copies of the book will be available for purchase. Those interested in entering the bake-off should contact the library at 517-546-0720 x131 or email events@howelllibrary.org by Thursday, June 7th.



See our website for other popular Ongoing Assistance Programs like *Ask a Tech*, *Drop in Genealogy Help*, and *SCORE Counseling with Rick Scofield*.

● MARIMBA CONCERT

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

7:00-8:00pm

East Library Lawn

(Rain location: Lower Level of the Library)

Join us for a lovely summer evening of music on the Library's lawn! Performing selections from some of the greatest classical composers on his marimba, musician Paul Demick will share interesting facts about their lives and work, as well as his own musical journey.

● LIBRARIES ROCK! MUSIC TRIVIA NIGHT

Thursday, July 19, 2018

7:00-9:00 pm

\$10/person, Aberrant Ales, (219 W Grand River Ave, Howell)

Think you're a star when it comes to music trivia? Then gather your team of up to 10 music trivia buffs and join us for an evening of friendly competition, brews, munchies, and fun hosted by Sporcle Live at Howell's downtown brewery Aberrant Ales. For adults 18 years or older. Light pub fare included with your ticket; drinks available for purchase. Registration required and only available online beginning Friday, June 1. *Payment is due at time of registration.*

● QUICK RESUME REVIEW WITH PATTY SUDBAY FROM MIWORKS!

Every 4th Monday,

half-hour appointments begin at 6:30 pm

Michigan Works! Southeast Employment Counselor Patty Sudbay conducts quick one-on-one resume review sessions every fourth Monday of the month. To schedule an appointment, email Patty at psudbay@cmhliv.org and provide your name and phone number, or call her at 517-552-2106 during regular business hours. Registration is required.



To increase community awareness of the library, staff may photograph or video tape you during your visit and your images may be used on the website, in print, and other publicity.

● **ADULT TABLETOP GAME NIGHTS**

**Every 1st Thursday of the month,
6:00-8:00pm**

Game enthusiasts age 18+, come out for our monthly evenings of casual fun and games just for you! Bring your friends and meet some new ones. Drop in to play classic board games, card games, and discover new favorites. Play a few games, meet other like-minded gamers, and just have fun!

● **CREATIVE COLORING**

**Wednesdays in June, July, and August,
Reference Area**

Research has shown that coloring can reduce stress and boost happiness—and can't we all use a little of both? Stop by our adult coloring station in the Reference area and spend some time expressing your creativity and relaxing while coloring to your heart's content.

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOPS

● **PHOTOGRAPHY BASICS**

**Tuesday, May 15, 2018
7:00-8:30 pm**

Calling all beginning photographers! Develop your photography skills with this basic introduction to camera settings and composition with general tips to take your pictures to the next level. Get hands-on guidance and plenty of practice. If you are just starting out with a camera, this class is for you! Registration is required and begins May 1, 2018 online, by phone, or in person.

● **BETTER SMARTPHONE PHOTOGRAPHY**

**Tuesday, May 22, 2018
7:00-8:30pm**

Want to make your smartphone pictures shine? Then this is the class for you! Improve your smartphone photography skills in this three-part evening class. Learn tips and tricks in the classroom to start then head out for hands-on practice and coaching on a guided photo walk around downtown Howell. Finally, wrap it all up back in the classroom by learning basic post-processing techniques you can do right on your smartphone! Registration is required and begins May 8, 2018 online, by phone, or in person.

● Drop In, No registration required

● Pre-Registration required, either online, by phone, or in person

ACE AT YOUR LIBRARY!

The goal of ACE is to provide adult lifelong learners with opportunities to acquire knowledge on a subject in which they have an interest. The object is personal enrichment and there are no exams or grades. ACE classes are Drop in, but if you wish to receive an email reminder, please register on the library's website.

● **POETRY**

**1st and 3rd Wednesdays
May 2 & 16, June 6 &
20, July 18, August 1,
10:00 am - 11:30 am
Colbert Room**

This is a continuing series of informal sessions to read and discuss great poetry for understanding and pleasure. Each session is independent and you may join at any time.

● **TRASHY BOOK CLUB**

**2nd Wednesday
May 9, June 13,
July 11, August 8,
10:00 - 11:30 am
Colbert Room**

This is a monthly book group that discusses contemporary light literature of interest to women.

● **MEMOIRS, ETC.**

**2nd Wednesday
May 9, June 13,
July 11, August 8,
1:00 - 2:30 pm
Colbert Room**

What better way to pass on stories about family, friends, places, and past events than through memoirs? Join us each month to share your written work. All writing experience levels welcome!

YOUTH SERVICES

It's a summer full of programs for toddlers through high schoolers. There are many returning favorites plus new offerings. There is so much going on we can't include all the details. Check our website at www.howelllibrary.org for complete information or stop by the YS desk for a calendar.



FAMILY FUN FOR ALL

● K-9 DEMO AND RESCUE VEHICLES

Wednesday, June 27,
10:00 am-12 Noon

Library Lot weather permitting. Join the Summer Lunch Bunch* for a picnic meal starting at 11am. Meals are on a first come - first served basis. Anyone 18 and under eats for free.

● 4TH OF JULY SHIRT PAINTING (BRING YOUR OWN SHIRT)

Thursday, June 28,
2:00-6:00 pm

Library Lawn weather permitting.

● FAMILY GAME NIGHT

Thursday, July 12,
6:30-7:45 PM
Thursday, July 26,
6:30-7:45 PM

● DRUMMUNITY

Monday, July 23,
10:30-11:30 am

Connect with others with an exuberant rhythm experience. No musical experience is necessary to enjoy this hour-long drum circle using hand drums and percussion instruments. For all ages, though elementary and middle school ages and adults will find it most enjoyable. Pre-registration begins Monday, July 9 online, by phone or in person.

● DAN THE CREATURE MAN

Wednesday July 25,
3:00-4:00 pm or 6:00-7:00 pm

Dan the Creature Man is visiting the library with real live animals including snakes, tarantula, tortoise, alligator, chinchilla and parrot! Weather permitting, this event will be outdoors.

● THE STORYTELLERS


Monday, July 30,
10:30-11:30 am


A fun program using interactive storytelling, beautiful music and hands-on fun with musical instruments from around the world. Weather permitting, this event will be outdoors.

● PINT SIZE POLKAS

Thursday, August 2,
11:30 am - 12:15 pm

Get ready to dance and enjoy a family concert on the library lawn featuring Pint Size Polkas. All ages welcome. Outdoor event, weather-permitting. Bring a picnic blanket, as the Summer Lunch Bunch will serve a picnic meal 11 am-Noon. Meals are on a first come - first served basis. Anyone 18 and under eats for free. The Summer Lunch Bunch is a collaborative community meals program that meets all over Livingston County during the summer recess.


 Drop In, No registration required


 Pre-Registration required, either online, by phone, or in person

Keep your family reading and learning this summer! "Libraries Rock" is the summer reading theme for all ages so the entire family can participate. Reading can be print, audio or eBooks. Join the online Summer Reading Challenge starting June 1 at www.howelllibrary.org. See the website for complete game details and prize information.

NOTE TO LARGE GROUPS...

Please help us this summer by calling ahead to let us know how many are in your group, even for Drop In programs. This will help us prepare enough supplies, etc.

 Drop In, No registration required

 Pre-Registration required, either online, by phone, or in person

PROGRAMS FROM OUR PARTNERS

- **CHICKEN STORY TIME,**
Wednesday, June 6,
10:30 -11:15 am

Enjoy a play version of "Chicken Story Time" featuring an immersive experience and puppets. Recommended for 3-6 year olds and parents/caregivers. This production is courtesy of Eastern Michigan University's Theatre of the Young Tour. Pre-registration begins Monday, May 21 online, by phone, or in person.

- **LOC & MRS. QUACKER'S FUN WITH MONEY**
Grades K-1
Monday, July 9,
10:30 am – 11:30 am

Come along and have fun with Mrs. Quacker and the LOC gang while learning about money! Sign up for this one day, hour-long program that includes story time, games, prizes, and a piggy bank craft! Pre-registration begins Monday, June 4 online, by phone, or in person.

- **LOC'S MONEY MUSEUM MYSTERY PROGRAM**
Grades 2-5

Tuesday, July 10, Wednesday, July 11, and Thursday, July 12,
1-2:30 pm

Join our three-day program to have fun learning about money while solving a museum heist mystery. Participants have to unravel the mystery of the missing museum exhibits while using fun facts about money and math they learn during the program. Pre-registration begins, Monday, June 4 online, by phone, or in person.

- **"SHOW ME NUTRITION"**
Pre-K
Wednesdays, July 25, Aug 1, 8, and 15,
10:30-11:15 am

Interactive, hands-on activities that promote good eating habits, physical activity and food safety, students will gain the skills necessary to make healthy lifestyle choices. This is a six-week class presented by MSU-Extension. Pre-registration begins Monday, July 9 online, by phone, or in person.



Help your child maintain or improve their reading level over the summer. Research has shown that if kids read just 6 books at their reading level over the summer they will return in the fall without having lost any ground.

Yes, just 6 books at their reading level.



YOUTH SERVICES *(continued)*



A SAMPLING OF NEW PROGRAMS

● CREATIVE KIDS

Grades 1-5

**Wednesday, June 20
and Tuesday, July 17,
3-6 pm**

Enjoy a few different creative challenges ranging from art/craft projects to science/engineering. All you need to bring is your creativity!

● MIDDLE SCHOOL MADNESS: MARVEL MANIA

Grades 6-8

**Thursday, June 21,
6:30-7:45 pm**

Make your own gauntlet, enjoy some Marvel trivia, and talk about the recent Avengers movie. Pre-registration begins Monday, June 4 online, by phone, or in person.

● ART JOURNALS

for Teens & Adults

**Tuesday, June 26,
6:30-8:00 pm**

Start with a simple spiral notebook and create a basic journal for artistic inspiration. No previous experience needed. Pre-registration begins Monday, June 4 online, by phone, or in person.

● PATRIOTIC CRAFTS

Preschool and Elementary age

**Monday, July 2,
1-6 pm**

● TINY FOOD PARTY

Grades 6-12

**Monday, July 9,
2-3 pm**

Enjoy some easy recipes for little bite-size munchies - delightfully miniature versions of all your favorite foods such as tiny tacos & tiny ice cream sundaes! Pre-registration begins Monday, June 4 online, by phone, or in person.

● LITTLE EXPLORERS

0-5 years with parent/caregiver

**Tuesday, July 10, 5-7 pm and
Wednesday, July 11, 10:30-11:30 am**

Build early literacy skills while exploring with your senses. Interact with an array of sensory stations with your child. This may be a messy event so dress accordingly! Weather permitting, this event will take place indoors and outdoors.

● TEEN ART STUDIO

Grades 6-12

**Monday, July 16 and July 30,
6-7:45 pm**

Tap into your artistic side and make a variety of fun projects.

● ICE CREAM SCIENCE

Grades 4-9

**Tuesday, July 17,
1-1:45 pm**

Join the Michigan Science Center as we learn about one of the coldest substances on Earth. We'll see what cool things it can do and learn how it can be used to make a sweet treat. After the presentation, learn how to make your own "shake up ice cream" in a bag and take it home with you. Pre-registration begins Monday, July 9 online, by phone, or in person.

● DESIGN SQUAD CHALLENGE

Grades 5-7

**Thursday, July 19,
2-3 pm**

Similar to our Young Engineers Club, our Design Squad Challenge will focus on working together in groups to conquer that day's engineering challenge with supplies such as Legos, string, tape, etc.

● TIE DYE

Grades 4-12

**Tuesday, July 24,
Noon-3 pm**

Our popular t-shirt tie dye program is back! Each participant can register for a session to create their own tie dye masterpieces (bring 2 shirts), receive more instructions upon registering. Pre-registration begins Monday, July 9 online, by phone, or in person.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEENS (ENTERING 7TH-12TH GRADE)

Volunteering looks great on your resume and it's a great way to spend a couple of hours this summer. We are looking for teens who are self-motivated, reliable, hard-working and who want to have fun! Summer Teen Volunteers entering 7th-12th grade will (based upon shift assignment, see application for details):

- Help & assist children/families during youth programs.
- Help with craft and program preparation.
- Help keep the Youth Services department clean and tidy.

Applications for both will be available online starting Tuesday, May 1 (see Teen page at www.howelllibrary.org). Completed applications are due by 8:00 pm on Thursday, May 31. Late applications are not accepted.

● END OF SUMMER EXTRAVAGANZA!

Friday, August 17 4:00-6:30 p.m.

Laser Tag, Giant Slide, Sno-Cones and more! Don't miss this fun free exciting event!

Bring a picnic blanket, as the Summer Lunch Bunch* will serve a picnic meal 4:00-6:00 pm. Meals are on a first come-first served basis. Anyone 18 and under eats for free.

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FROM THE DIRECTOR

Many of us look forward to the changes springtime brings after a long winter. After 38 years of dedicated leadership, Kathleen Zaenger retired, leaving some big shoes to fill. The staff and I are adjusting to my transition from Head of Youth Services, a position I held for 24 years, to my new role as Library Director. I'm excited about the changes and new opportunities that await us all, and feel honored to work with our extraordinary staff. I know how vital the people who work here are to this organization and their true dedication to the community we serve. This issue of Between Friends with its fresh new look, also reflects change. Let us know what you think!

Does the seasonal change inspire you to consider a change or two? Maybe it's time to start thinking about gardening, spending more time outside, or possibly planning a summer vacation. You may notice that your reading, viewing or listening interests shift with the seasons. Embrace the change and see where it takes you. To quote a dear and wise friend – "the time will pass one way or the other." Enjoy the warmer days!

HOLLY WARD LAMB
Library Director



FRIENDS NEWS

Regularly scheduled book sales will occur on Saturday, May 19, Saturday, June 2, and Saturday, June 16 from 10 am-4 pm in the lower level of the library. There are no book sales during the month of July. The much anticipated Melon Fest Book Sale, also sponsored by the Friends of the Library, will offer extraordinary bargains starting on Thursday, August 16, 5-7:30 pm, for Friends members only (memberships will be available to purchase at the door starting at 4:30 pm), followed by sales on Friday, August 17, 10 am – 6:30 pm, and Saturday, August 18 from 10 am-4:30 pm. The sale will wind up with the ever-popular \$1 bag sale on Monday, August 20 from 10 am – 6:30 pm. It's truly the best deal in town!

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Definition of a Friend...

FRIEND noun | (*frend*)

1. One attached to another by affection. 2. An ally in a cause. 3. One who believes in or supports a group or institution. Friend. 4. One who has joined the Howell Carnegie District Library and is an active advocate for the library. 5. One who plans and attends special events and enrichment programs, such as the Forum Program and book Sales.

Come and join other
FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY
in supporting your
local library.
You'll have fun, too!

**Is Your One-Year
Membership Current?**

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

My check for annual tax deductible membership is enclosed for:

- Individual, \$10.00 or more
- Family, \$15.00 or more
- Corporate, \$15.00 or more
- Additional donation for books and/or equipment

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I would be interested in working on:

- Book Sales
- Being a Board Member

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