Petra Puppets

For families of all ages
Wednesday, August 7, 5:30 OR 7 pm

How much does an elephant weigh on the moon? Can Cosmoo The Cow jump over the sun? How many letters are in the outer space alphabet? And most important: Is there pizza in space? Kids blast off into astronomical fun in Steve Petra’s Big Banana Blast Off.

District residents may pick up tickets in the Children’s Room beginning Wednesday, July 24 at 10 am and 7 pm.

Plaza Theatrical Productions Presents

Cinderella

For families of all ages
Wednesday, August 14, 5:30 OR 7 pm

This enjoyable classic fairy tale springs to life in a fast-paced musical with a professional cast and live music. This production will delight the young and the young at heart.

District residents and Friends of the Library may pick up tickets beginning Wednesday July 31 at 10 am & 7 pm.

Summer Reading 2019
Join Us!

Babies through Grade 5

Join our 2019 Summer Reading Incentive Initiative! “A Universe of Stories” is a reading incentive initiative designed to encourage children to continue reading during summer vacation so that valuable reading and writing skills won’t be lost. Visit the Children’s Room for more information and weekly contests!

District residents may begin joining Monday, June 3. Weekly contests begin Monday, July 1.

2019 Nassau Library Tour

Join the 2019 Nassau Library Tour! Road trip to as many of Nassau’s public libraries as you can during July and August. Each one is your gateway into a new community—visit the library, then explore the attractions, restaurants, and parks nearby. Take the self-guided tour as a family, a team of friends, or go solo. In each library there’s a unique feature to hunt for, and you’ll earn prizes as you go along. Visit 45 or more and be entered to win a grand prize! Get started by picking up a map at the Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library. Visit tour.nassaulibrary.org for more information.
STORY TIMES

REGISTRATION for Great Beginnings, Music with Miss Miriam, Family Story Time, Sing & Sign & Play begins Monday, July 1 at 10 am and 7 pm in the Children’s Room. Please bring proof of birthdate and your Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library card to registration. All children must be of minimum age for each program by Monday, July 8, 2019.

Music with Miss Miriam

- Ages 6 to 23 months
- Thursdays, July 11 - August 15, 9:30 OR 10:15 am

Great Beginnings

- Ages 6 to 23 months
- Fridays, July 12 - August 16, 9:30 OR 10:05 am

Pajama Story Time with Dara

- 3 to 5 year-olds and their grown-up
- Mondays: July 8, 15, 22, 29 and August 12, 6:30 pm

Family Story Time

- 2 to 5 year-olds and their grown-up
- Tuesdays: July 9 - July 30, 10 to 10:30 am

Sensory Story Time

- Ages 3 and up
- Thursdays; July 11, 18, & 25 3:30 to 4 pm
Sensory Story Time is a fun, and interactive library literacy program designed to engage kids through movement, music, stories, and sensory activity play. This is ideal for children with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration challenges, or children who have difficulty sitting still.

Sing, Sign, and Play!

BEGINNERS CLASS

- Ages 3 - 23 months
- Mondays, July 8 - August 5, 9:30 am

INTERMEDIATE CLASS

- Ages 1 - 3 years
- Mondays, July 8 - August 5, 10:30 am

With just a few easy-to-learn signs YOU can start communicating with your pre-verbal baby or toddler! Learning sign language has been shown to ease frustration and tantrums, increase vocabulary, and allow for greater emotional expression. Learning sign language has also been shown to increase reading comprehension.

Teddy Bear Sleepover

- Monday, August 5, 6 pm
Drop off your fuzzy friend or doll on Monday, August 5th by 6 pm for a Library sleep over they will never forget! Pick them up the following day at a special 10 am story time and you might be surprised by what they got into when you weren’t around! Photos of Library mischief will be posted on the Library’s social media.
District residents can register by phone beginning, Wednesday, July 24, at 10 am & 7 pm.

Summer Vacation Loans

- June 1 through September 9
Summer vacation loans are available to HWPL cardholders for most circulating materials. Call for more information on summer loans or ask at Circulation when checking out.

THE LIBRARY IS CLOSED on Sundays for the summer beginning June 23, 2019.
Sunday hours resume Sunday, September 8, 2019: 12:30 - 5 pm.

THE LIBRARY IS OPEN...  
Monday - Thursday 9 am to 9 pm  
Friday 9 am to 6 pm  
Saturday 9 am to 5 pm  
Sunday CLOSED

SCHEDULE CHANGES  
Tuesday, July 2 - CLOSED  
Saturday, August 17 - CLOSED  
Saturday, August 24 - CLOSED  
Saturday, August 31 - CLOSED  
Sunday, September 1 - CLOSED  
Monday, September 2 - CLOSED  
Monday, September 30 - OPEN 9 am - 5 pm

BOARD OF TRUSTEES’ MEETINGS  
Wednesday, July 17 7:15 pm
No Meeting in August

Our calendar is online! Visit us at www.hwpl.org to sign up for weekly children’s program updates.
Drama Kids Workshops with Sandee Leonhard

- Entering Grades 1 - 3
  Thursdays, July 11, 18 & 25, 5:30 pm
- Entering Grades 4 - 6
  Thursdays, July 11, 18 & 25, 6:30 pm
Build your acting and speaking skills through the fun and creativity of drama.
District Residents may register by phone beginning Tuesday, July 2, at 10 am and 7 pm. Registration is limited.

Knock ‘Em Dead Comedy

- Entering Grades K - 2,
  Tuesday, July 30, 5:30 pm
- Entering Grades 3 - 5,
  Tuesday, July 30, 6:30 pm
Equipped with a real live game show podium, trivia questions, and very funny hosts, The Knock ’Em Dead Game Show is fun for all.
District Residents may register by phone beginning Wednesday, July 17, at 10 am and 7 pm.

Summer Craft Table

- Age 3 - Entering Grade 5
- Mondays - Fridays, July 1 through August 16
Come in and decorate a summer craft with our teen volunteers. Each family member, age 3 - grade 5, can make a new craft each week! Craft times vary, call or stop by the Children’s Room for more information.
Your Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library card is your ticket to participate.

Writing Lab With Ellen Karcinell

- Grades 4 & 5
- Monday, September 16, and Thursday, September 26, 6 - 7 pm
In a 15 minute session, Ellen Karcinell shows students how to write using simple tools that may be applied to any writing topic with great success.
Please call the Children’s Room starting Wednesday, September 4 to sign up for a 15 minute time slot.
Students will meet Ms. Karcinell in the Teen Study Area. Walk-ins will only be accepted if a time slot is free.

Forensic Fingerprints

- Entering Grades 4 - 6
- Tuesday, July 16, 5 pm
Students learn how to lift and analyze fingerprints.
District Residents may register by phone beginning Tuesday, July 2, at 10 am and 7 pm.

Book Bingo

- Grades 1 - 4
- Monday, September 16, 6 pm
Play our version of bingo and test your knowledge about your favorite books and authors.
District residents may register by phone beginning Wednesday, September 4 at 10 am & 7 pm.

Optical Illusions

- Entering Grades 3 - 5
- Tuesday, September 10, 5:30 pm
A hands-on workshop focusing on the creation of several optical illusions. Aspects of design, our human optic system, and the way in which our brains work will be explored.
District Residents may register by phone beginning Wednesday, August 28, at 10 am and 7 pm.
FOR YOUNG ADULTS ONLY!!

Unless noted, District residents may register for these programs by calling the Children’s Room on the dates indicated below, 10 am or 7 pm.

PAINT NIGHT
WITH CHERYL FREY RICHARDS
Entering Grades 6-12
- Tuesday, July 9, 6:30 - 8 pm
Register on Wednesday, June 26.

FORENSIC FINGERPRINT PROGRAM
Entering Grades 7-12
- Tuesday, July 16, 6:30 - 8 pm
See page J3 for more information.
Register on Wednesday, July 2.

DRAMA KIDS ACTING ACADEMY
Entering Grades 6-9
- Thursdays, July 11, 18 & 25, 7:30 pm
Build your acting and speaking skills through the fun and creativity of drama.
Register on Tuesday, July 2.

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Find us at www.facebook.com/hwpfl1557

COLLEGE ESSAY WRITING AND APPLICATION WORKSHOP
Entering Grades 10-12
Understanding the Basics of the College Essay and College Apps
- Tuesday, August 13, 7 - 8:30 pm
Actual Writing and/or Reviewing Essays and Essay Ideas
- Wednesday, August 14, 7 - 8:30 pm
Register on Wednesday, July 31.

KNOCK EM DEAD GAME SHOW
Entering Grades 6-12
- Tuesday, July 30, 7:30 pm
See page J3 for more information.
Register on Wednesday, July 17.

CODING WITH PYTHON
Entering Grades 6-12
- Thursdays, August 1, 8 & 15, 7 pm
Learn to code in Python with instruction by our teen volunteer Mike Green. Basic computer and coding skills are required. Participants must attend first session to attend second session.
Register on Wednesday, July 24.

OPTICAL ILLUSION WORKSHOP
Grades 6-12
- Tuesday, September 10 at 7 pm
See page J3 for more information.
Register on Wednesday, August 28

TEEN SUMMER READING CONTEST
Students Entering Grades 6-12 only
Enter for a chance to an Amazon gift card by writing a review of every book you read this summer! Entry forms are available in the Children’s or Teen sections or at www.hwpl.org/teens./. District resident entries must be received by Monday, August 12. Winners will be notified, August 14.

FINANCIAL AID, SCHOLARSHIPS, COLLEGE ADMISSIONS WORKSHOP
Students in Grades 9-12 and their Guardians
- Thursday, October 3 at 7 pm
For stressed out parents of college bound students: attend a free workshop by best selling author and outspoken college admissions and financial aid consultant, Andy Lockwood.
Register on Wednesday, September 18.

FREE SAT/ACT PRACTICE EXAM
Grades 10-12
- Sunday, September 8, 1 - 4:30 pm
Please choose the test you want to take at the time of registration. Students are then invited to attend Test Scores Back Night, Thursday, September 12 at 7 pm.
Register in person on Wednesday, August 21.

TEEN WRITING LAB
WITH ELLEN KARCINELL
Grades 6-12
- Monday, September 16 and Thursday, September 26, 7-8 pm
Ellen Karcinell shows students how to write using simple tools that may be applied to any writing topic with great success.
Register on Wednesday, September 4.
Students will meet Ms. Karcinell in the Teen Study Area. Walk-ins will only be accepted if a time slot is free.

SAT PREP AND STRATEGY
Grades 9-12
- Monday, September 23
Math Portion 6:30 pm
Writing Portion 7:30 pm
Register on Wednesday, September 11.

STAR WARS ESCAPE ROOM
Entering Grades 6-12
Choose ONE Session
- Monday, August 19, 2 or 4 pm
- Tuesday, August 20, 2 or 6 pm
- Wednesday, August 21, 2 or 6 pm
- Thursday, August 22, 2 or 4 pm
Join the Rebel Alliance! Teams must decipher the clues to escape a room on an imperial ship. The team who escapes the room the fastest will win Amazon gift cards.
District residents may begin registering IN PERSON for ONE SESSION beginning Wednesday, August 7.

A UNIVERSE of Stories

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