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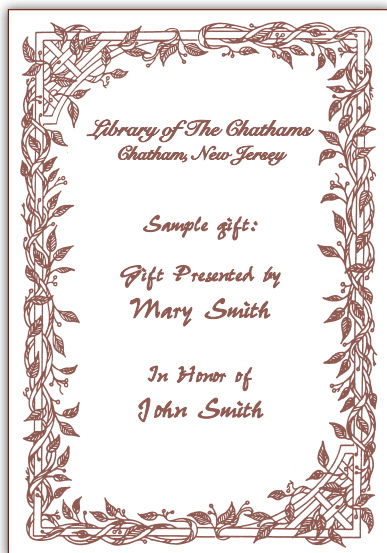
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Happenings

Give the Gift of Recognition: Donate to the library in honor of a loved one

Are you looking for a thoughtful holiday gift to honor a special person? Consider an honorary donation to the library.

Donations for a book: Suggest a subject area and we will do our best to fulfill that request; otherwise, we will select what is needed for the general collection. When the book or books arrive, we attach a bookplate with wording you provide. Gift books are acknowledged on the library website, and a copy of the gift list is available in the library. A donation form is available at the front desk and online at www.chatlib.org/gift. You can bring or mail the form with your check to the library.



General donations: If you do not wish to designate your gift for a specific use, you can make a general donation to the library. These gifts are essential for new programs and services, as well as toward the space renovation plan highlighted in our January/February 2016 newsletter.

By choosing to give in one of these ways, you will make an impact on your library for years to come.

Thank you for being part of your library,
Karen Brodsky, Director

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Tree Lighting and Santa

Saturday, December 3 at 6 pm

Don't miss our annual tree lighting ceremony on the library lawn.

Enjoy cocoa and donuts while you wait for a special visitor (yes, Santa Claus!) to arrive. Everyone is invited to join in the fun.

Browse new book gifts at
www.chathamlibrary.org or
pick up a list at the library.

Connect with us!



Programs and Events

Adult

NOVEMBER

Gen Y Networking Group

Wednesdays, November 2 and 16 - 7 pm

Gen Y Networking Group is a forum dedicated to Generation Y young adults interested in job search, networking, and career development. All are welcome to attend.

Modernizing the Historic Home: Stories from the Field

Saturday, November 5 - 2 pm

Join local architect Maia Kumari Gilman for an engaging talk about some of the historic homes she has designed in New Jersey. This interactive program will allow time for the audience to ask questions about their own homes.



Maia Kumari
Gilman

Batik and Silk Painting Exhibit

Opening reception Sunday, November 6
2:15 to 4 pm

Ritika Gandhi, a Wayne resident, will display her Indian-inspired batik and silk paintings at the library through November. The public is invited to attend.

*Reception sponsored by
Friends of the Library*



Ritika Gandhi Art

Selling Your Home and Staging It Right

Thursday, November 10 - 7 pm

Barbara Schmidt-Kemp, a realtor with Coldwell Banker, and Aileen Edwards, a local interior designer, professional stager and owner of Aileen Edwards Interiors, will offer a workshop showing the steps necessary to best present your home when you are ready to sell.



Barbara
Schmidt-Kemp



Aileen
Edwards

Preserving Your Family History

Saturday, November 12 - 2 pm

Stuart Shippey of Chatham will explain how to interview family members to obtain genealogical information. He will also discuss the process involved in recording an oral history to pass down to future generations.

November Is NaNoWriMo

Library of The Chathams is a National Novel Writing Month (NaNoWriMo) "Come Write In" space!

Participants are challenged to write a 50,000 word novel beginning

**November 1 and ending
November 30.**

Throughout November the library will be holding designated write-ins every Saturday and Sunday in the Benigno Room for those who wish to work on their novels.

Window Treatments for the Home

Monday, November 14 - 7 pm

Linda Principe, owner of Linda Principe Interiors in Monroe Township, will present a workshop on window treatments that work best for your home. She is active in the Window Coverings Association of America and is past president of its National Board.



Linda Principe

CALL: Chatham Adult Lifeworks Learning From Saint to Santa

Monday, November 28 - 7:30 pm

Michael Norris, Ph.D., former art educator at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, will use art to illustrate how a fourth-century bishop evolved into one of Christianity's most beloved saints. A further progression through American art history shows how Saint Nicholas became Santa Claus. This is a free CALL lecture.



Michael
Norris, Ph.D.

Book Group: *The Summer Before the War*

Wednesday, November 30 - 1 pm

All are welcome to attend our book group discussion of *The Summer Before the War* by Helen Simonson. You may reserve a copy of the book at the Information Desk.

DECEMBER

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November 2016 Programs

ADULT (A) TEEN (T) CHILDREN (C)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Storytime 10, 10:30 am (C) BYO Device 11 am, 2 pm (A)	2 Spanish Storytime 10 am (C) Gen Y Networking Group 7 pm (A)	3 Yoga Storytime 10, 10:45 am (C) Blood Pressure 10 am-12 pm (A) Movie Night 7 pm	4 Video Game Club Gr 6-12 3-4:45 pm (T)	5 Storytime 11 am (C) Modernizing the Historic Home: Stories from the Field 2 pm (A)
6 Batik and Silk Painting Exhibit 2:15-4 pm (A)	7 Storytime 9:45, 10:15, 11 am (C) ShopRite Nutrition: Squash 4-5 pm (C)	8 Storytime 10, 10:30 am (C)	9	10 Music with Mr. John 10, 10:45 am (C) Library Cinema 1 pm (C) No-Sew Stuffed Turkey 4-5 pm (C) Selling Your Home and Staging It Right 7 pm (A)	11 Video Game Club Gr 6-12 3-4:45 pm (T)	12 Storytime 11 am (C) Preserving Your Family History 2 pm (A)
13	14 Storytime 9:45, 10:15, 11 am (C) Window Treatments for the Home 7 pm (A)	15 Storytime 10, 10:30 am (C) BYO Device 11 am, 2 pm (A) Disco Turkey Centerpiece 4-5 pm (C)	16 Read Aloud to Therapy Dogs 4-5 pm (C) Gen Y Networking Group 7 pm (A)	17 Miss Carol Dance 10, 10:45 am (C) No-Sew Stuffed Turkey 4-5 pm (C) Movie Night 7 pm Teen Advisory Group 7 pm (T)	18 Chocolate Leaf Cupcakes Ages 12 & Up 4-4:45 pm (T)	19 Storytime 11 am (C)
20 Legopalooza! 2:30 pm (C)	21	22	23 Library Closes at 6 pm	24 Library Closed	25 Library Closed	26
27	28 CALL: From Saint to Santa 7:30 pm (A)	29	30 Book Group: <i>The Summer Before the War</i> 1 pm (A)			

National Novel Writing Month

Write-Ins every weekend in November

Saturdays 9:30 am to 4:45 pm

Sundays 2 pm to 4:45 pm



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 Mon-Thu 9:30 am - 9 pm • Fri 9:30 am - 6 pm • Sat 9:30 am - 5 pm • Sun 2 pm - 5 pm

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				1 Yoga Storytime 10, 10:45 am (C) Blood Pressure 10 am-12 pm (A)	2 Video Game Club Gr 6-12 3-4:45 pm (T)	3 Tree Lighting and Santa 6 pm
4	5 Stories with the Librarian 10 am (C) ShopRite Nutrition: Healthy Holiday Treats 4 pm (C)	6 ECLC Holiday Concert 10 am (C) BYO Device 11 am, 2 pm (A) Penguin Pointers 4 pm (C)	7 Spanish Storytime 10 am (C) Gen Y Networking Group 7 pm (A)	8 Music with Mr. John 10, 10:45 am (C) Movie Night 7 pm	9 Holiday Cupcakes Ages 12 & Up 4-4:45 pm (T)	10
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Holiday Trees and Wreaths

The holiday trees that grace the lobby and Children's Room have been decorated by the Town and Country Garden Club. Featuring unique ornaments created with all natural materials, the trees have displayed the members' handiwork at the library for over 30 years.



We would also like to thank the Woman's Club of Chatham for their donation of the beautiful wreaths that are placed on the entrances to the library.

The efforts of both groups are greatly appreciated this holiday season.

DECEMBER

Video Game Club

Fridays, December 2 & 16 - 3 to 4:45 pm
Grades 6 to 12

Stop by to play Super Smash Bros. and more!

Holiday Cupcakes for Teens

Friday, December 9 - 4 to 4:45 pm
Ages 12 & Up Limit: 12 students

Registration opens on
Monday, November 28

Decorate your own holiday cupcakes that look like a cup of hot chocolate, perfect for the season. Eat the cupcake and the cup!



Teen Advisory Group

Thursday, December 15 - 7 to 8 pm

Earn a volunteer hour while helping to plan new teen programs. Discuss books, movies, music and more! Snacks will be served.

Programs and Events Teen

*All Teen programs and events sponsored by
Friends of the Library*

NOVEMBER

Video Game Club

Fridays, November 4 & 11 - 3 to 4:45 pm
Grades 6 to 12

Stop by to play Super Smash Bros. and more!

Teen Advisory Group

Thursday, November 17 - 7 to 8 pm

Earn a volunteer hour while helping to plan new teen programs. Discuss books, movies, music and more! Snacks will be served.

Chocolate Leaf Cupcakes for Teens

Friday, November 18 - 4 to 4:45 pm
Ages 12 & Up Limit: 12 students

Registration opens on
Friday, November 4

Decorate your own designer cupcakes from a variety of frostings and other yummy toppings. Tasting allowed!



Programs and Events Children

*All Children's programs and events made possible by
Friends of the Library.*

For preschoolers and their caregivers...

EVERY THURSDAY IS LIBRARY DAY!

Choose either 10 - 10:30 am
or 10:45 - 11:15 am

No registration required

Yoga Storytime

November 3, December 1

Music with Mr. John

November 10, December 8

Miss Carol Dance

November 17, December 15

NOVEMBER

Spanish Storytime

Wednesday, November 2 - 10 to 10:45 am
All Ages

Introduce your child to basic Spanish vocabulary with fun stories, songs and music!

ShopRite Nutrition: Squash

Monday, November 7 - 4 to 5 pm

Ages 5 to 8 Limit: 15 children

Registration required

Learn about different types of squash and make a fun fall recipe with ShopRite dietitian Jenn Luster.

Library Cinema

Thursday, November 10 - 1 pm

All Ages

Bring a mat or a pillow to get comfortable.

We'll provide the popcorn.

No-Sew Stuffed Turkey with Miss Polly

Thursdays, November 10 & 17 - 4 to 5 pm

Age 5 & Up Limit: 8 children

Registration required

Make a cute no-sew felt stuffed turkey.

Disco Turkey Centerpiece with Miss Polly

Tuesday, November 15 - 4 to 5 pm

Ages 9 & Up Limit: 8 children

Registration opens Tuesday, November 1

Make a cool iridescent Thanksgiving centerpiece out of DVDs.

Read Aloud to Therapy Dogs

Wednesday, November 16 - 4 to 5 pm

Grades K & Up

Sit down and read your favorite book to a gentle and loving therapy dog certified by St. Hubert's.

PENGUIN POINTERS
Tuesday, December 6 – 4 to 4:45 pm
 Ages 4 & Up

Meet a friendly penguin from
 Jenkinson's Aquarium!

Waddle into the world of
 penguin biology, geography, care,
 feeding, and conservation.

**Legopalooza!**

Sunday, November 20 - 2:30 to 4 pm

All Ages

Build your own LEGO creation from our enormous collection of LEGOs. All creations will be put on display in the Children's Room.

DECEMBER**Stories with the Librarian**

Mondays, December 5 & 12 - 10 to 10:30 am

All Ages

Children and caregivers can enjoy a few stories, a few songs, and maybe a simple craft.

ShopRite Nutrition:**Healthy Holiday Treats**

Monday, December 5 - 4 to 5 pm

Ages 5 to 8 Limit: 15 children

Registration opens Monday, November 21

ShopRite dietitian Jenn Luster will show how to make a healthy dessert perfect for the holiday season.

ECLC Holiday Concert

Tuesday, December 6 - 10 to 10:30 am

All Ages

Join the choir from ECLC for a lovely holiday concert of traditional favorites.

Spanish Storytime

Wednesday, December 7 - 10 to 10:45 am

All Ages

Introduce your child to basic Spanish vocabulary with fun stories, songs and music!

Legopalooza!

Sunday, December 11 - 2:30 to 4 pm

All Ages

Build your own LEGO creation from our enormous collection of LEGOs. All creations will be put on display in the Children's Room.

No-Sew Snowman with Miss Polly

Tuesday, December 20 - 4 to 5 pm

Ages 5 & Up Limit: 8 children

Registration opens Tuesday, December 6

Make a soft no-sew snowman doll to snuggle with this winter.

Read Aloud to Therapy Dogs

Wednesday, December 21 - 4 to 5 pm

Grades K & Up

Sit down and read your favorite book to a gentle and loving therapy dog certified by St. Hubert's.

Thank You!

Thanks to all of you listed below who contributed to Friends of the Library or Library of The Chatham from October 2015 through mid-September 2016. We appreciate your generosity and support. As we transition to this annual acknowledgement list, please tell us if you prefer your name to be listed differently or if you do not want your name publicized next year. We apologize if we inadvertently missed your name. Please contact us if your name is missing.

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