
THE CALDWELL LIBRARY

POST

HELLO SPRING



"Spring is nature's way of saying 'Let's party!'" - Robin Williams

We here at the Caldwell Library have plenty of reason to celebrate. The "Reimagine & Rebuild" campaign raised just over \$25,000! Thank you to all who donated money, books, time, and a supportive shoulder as we went through the process of rebuilding the lower level of the library. The end of the ordeal is in sight and we want to celebrate! There will be a grand re-opening event on Saturday, June 1, 2019 from 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. with events and activities for people of all ages, including a visit from Pete the Cat, caricatures, balloon animals, raffles and prizes too! The donor wall and new artwork in the children's room will be dedicated as well. Please mark your calendars!

ADULT CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Registration is recommended for most events. To register for adult programs go to: caldwellplnj.eventbrite.com or call 973.226.2837

Monthly Book Groups

Afternoon Book Group:
Second Tuesdays at 3:00PM

A Readable Feast Book Group:
First Wednesdays at 6:30PM

Art Exhibits

March: James Caldwell High School
Reception March 14, 6:30PM

April: Caldwell/West Caldwell Elementary
Schools & Trinity Academy
Reception April 9, 6:30PM

May: Mount Saint Dominic Academy
Reception TBD

Cyber Security Workshop Tuesday, March 5, 6:30PM

Cybersecurity is a growing issue as data breaches, scams, and identity theft are on the rise. But there are steps you can take to improve your security and keep your identity safe. This workshop will also allow attendees to create an action plan to improve their cybersecurity and will also provide a cybersecurity checklist to follow.

Presented by Bautis Financial of Montclair, NJ.

First Time Home Buying Saturday, March 9, 11:00AM

Join us for an informative seminar on the home buying process, including the pre-approval process, various loan programs, overview of mortgage process and qualifications, how to find a home that is right for you; different townships, taxes, insurance, attorney review, title search and review and home inspections.

"Home at Last" A Journey to Higher Enlightenment with author Sarada Chiruvolu Saturday, March 9, 2:00PM

"Home at Last" is based on Chiruvolu's personal experience toward attaining enlightenment/Self-realization through a meditation practice. Sarada been a meditator for the past 20 years and will speak about what an experience of enlightenment/self-realization entails so more people can receive the benefits and education that the book provides. Books will be available for purchase and all proceeds of the book go to charity.

Organizing Your Life Tuesday, March 12, 6:30PM

This presentation by Marilyn Shain Labendz, takes the audience through different home storage situations, before and after photos, the how-tos of letting go, and where to get rid of "stuff". Throughout the presentation there is interactive participation, questions and answers and humor. Marilyn is passionate about making your "stuff" more accessible, your space more effectively used, and your life simpler.

Irish Music Concert Saturday, March 16, 1:00PM

Join us as we welcome back local musicians Patrick Collins on mandolin, guitar, and harmonica; Paul Black on guitar and bodhran, David Sherman on mandolin and guitar and Russ Kelner on fiddle. They will charm you with traditional Irish tunes including many favorites from the Clancy Brothers. Refreshments will be served. Reservations are required.

A Life of My Own: Meeting Eleanor Roosevelt

Tuesday, March 26, 6:30PM

Actress Linda Kenyon who visited our Library last year as Julia Child, brings to life one of America's most beloved First Ladies. This one woman play written by Stephen LaRocque follows Eleanor's evolution from uncertain young bride to an American woman of strong opinions and towering influence. Reservations are required. Sponsored by the Women's Club of Caldwell.

Complete Works of Shakespeare, Abridged

Saturday, March 30, 1:00PM

Can three gals really cover all Shakespeare's plays in less than two hours? This fast-firing comedy does just that as it parodies all of the Shakespeare plays (plus the sonnets!) with only three performers in two acts. This play is full of energy as the characters run across the stage and keep you guessing how they will pull off the next play. With an eccentric version of Romeo and Juliet, followed by a parody of Titus Andronicus (as a cooking show) to the all the history plays shown as football game to not-so-deep exploration of Hamlet both forwards and backwards, the craziness never stops. Presented by the Hudson Shakespeare Co. Reservations required

Rewrite Your Money Story Recharge Your Life

Tuesday, April 2, 7:00PM

Join us for a "Money Smart Week" special event. Kelley Holland, New York Times/Business Week/CNBC journalist turned money coach, will discuss how to rewrite your money story. You'll come away with greater financial confidence, a new empowering money story and 4 tips to help you achieve financial wellbeing. Reservations required.

Lunch & Learn- Autism Awareness Month-Keep the Change

Wednesday, April 10, 1:00PM

Join us for a light lunch and a screening of the film "Keep the Change". With a surprisingly compassionate eye, Keep the Change explores the comic and tragic elements borne from the daily struggle of living with autism. By largely populating her cast with non-professional actors who are on different levels of the spectrum, director Rachel Israel is able to take a more organic approach to her low-key portrait of a segment of society that's largely underrepresented or misrepresented on film and television.

Poetry Service Learning Project w/Caldwell University

Thursday, April 11, 6:30PM

Join us at the library as Caldwell University Poetry Service-Learning Project hosts CavanKerry Press author Eloise Bruce. Eloise Bruce's book of poetry Rattle was published by CavenKerry Press. She has published in American Letters and Commentary, LIPS, Sou'wester as well as other magazines and journals. She is a recipient of the Governor's Award for Arts Education and a recipient of a fellowship from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts. Over the years she has had various roles at the Frost Place Center for Poetry and the Arts in Franconia, NH and is the youth Editor for RavensPerch Magazine. She is member of the poetry critique and performance group Cool Women and works as a teaching artist for Young Audiences of NJ and Eastern PA and Writer's Theatre of NJ.

Goals Hit and Dreams Manifested: Harnessing the Law of Attraction

Saturday, April 13, 1:00PM

During this interactive presentation, attendees will learn what the Law of Attraction is, the simplicity of igniting the process and experiencing the results, and the fundamentals of meditation and affirmations. With audience participation being moved through the process during the workshop, as well as relatable stories of life balance and business “wins,” attendees will internalize what it means to have a high vibration and live a life in flow. Each attendee will receive a power string and create a unique vision board. Attendees bring a notebook, yoga mat, and magazines. There is a \$10 fee for this program.

Coffee & Poetry Night w/Kelsea Habecker and Chris Salerno

Thursday, April 18, 6:30PM

Join us for an evening of great poetry and good coffee featuring poets Kelsea Habecker and Christopher Salerno. Kelsea Habecker's first book of poetry, *Hollow Out*, was selected by US Poet Laureate Charles Simic and published through New Rivers Press. Her second collection, *The Walrus Wives*, is forthcoming from Dancing Girl Press. Christopher Salerno is the author of four books of poems and the editor of *Saturnalia Books*. His newest collection, *Sun & Urn*, selected by Thomas Lux for the Georgia Poetry Prize, was published by University of Georgia Press in 2017. A NJ State Council on the Arts fellow, his poems have appeared in *The New York Times*, *American Poetry Review*, *New England Review*, *Guernica*, *Prairie Schooner*, *Boston Review*, and elsewhere.

Poetry Service Learning Project w/Caldwell University **Thursday, April 25, 6:30PM**

Join us at the library as Caldwell University Poetry Service-Learning Project hosts CavanKerry Press author Danny Shot. Danny Shot was longtime publisher and editor of *Long Shot* arts and literary magazine, which he founded along with Eliot Katz in 1982. Shot's poetry has appeared in: *bum rush the page* (Def Poetry Jam) *Aloud: Voices from the Nuyorican Poets Cafe* (Henry Holt), and *The Outlaw Bible of American Poetry* (Thunder's Mouth) among other anthologies and numerous journals. Danny is currently Head Poetry Editor of *Red Fez*, an online magazine (www.redfez.net). *WORKS* (New and Selected Poems) was published in March 2018

A Plastic Ocean - Movie Viewing

Saturday, April 27, 10:30AM

Holocaust Remembrance Day Lunch & Learn Movie **Thursday, May 2, 1:00PM**

Medicare 101 w/Horizon BC/BS NJ

Saturday, May 11, 11:30AM

Join us for an overview of Medicare and the aging in process. Discussion will include what Medicare is and who qualifies, how Medicare works with other insurance, Medicare parts A, B, C, D and supplemental policies. Information will be provided on what plan is best for you and on the steps needed to be ready when you become eligible.

CHILDREN'S CALENDAR OF EVENTS

To register for children's events online go to caldwellplnj.eventbrite.com, or call the library.

Wee Time

Ages birth - 2, no registration
Mondays, 9:30AM
Books, rhymes, songs and bubbles!

Music & Movement

Ages 2-5, please register
Thursdays, 11:30AM
Move, dance, and stretch during our weekly movement and music program!

Play Group

6 months-4 years, no registration
Every Friday, 9:30AM

Wee Music Time

Ages 6 months - 2 years, no registration
Thursdays, 9:30AM
This hands-on sensory themed program invites little ones to use various props like shaker eggs, scarves, and bells. Program lasts about 20 minutes.

Little Readers

Ages 3-5
Mondays, 11:30AM
Join us for an interactive program of stories, songs, and activities.

Bilingual Story Time

Saturdays, March 16, April 6, April 20, May 4 & May 18, 10:30AM

Read With Me: Kindergarten and 1st Grade Book Club

Third Thursdays at 4:30PM
Read with Me is a new book club for kids in kindergarten and 1st grade starting this Spring. We will read a short early reader or picture book together during the club so there is no need to read the book in advance. Registration is appreciated so that Miss Kris can be sure to have enough copies of the book for the club meeting.

Reading Rabbits Book Club

First Thursdays at 4:00PM
Book Club for kids in 2nd & 3rd grades.

Chess Club

Tuesdays, 4:30PM

New! Join the Caldwell Public Library Chess Club to learn strategies and play chess! Open to ages 7-13.

Sing-Sign-Dance with Nina Music Friday, March 1, 10:00AM

Nina incorporates sign language and directional movement into her music for a uniquely high-energy and fun performance. Best for little ones ages 6 months-5 years-old.

Read Across America Story Time Saturday, March 2, 10:30AM

Join us to for stories, songs, rhymes and a fun activity to celebrate Read Across America.

Mommy and Me Kids Play Yoga Fridays, March 8-29, 10:30AM

Yoga for caregivers and children ages 1-5.
Presented by Indigo Yoga

Family Fort Night

Wednesday, March 13, 6:30PM

Build a reading fort at the library! We'll have some supplies or bring your own blankets and pillows to build your fort at the library, then pick some books to read underneath!

Maker's Day

Saturday, March 23, 10:30AM-3:00PM

Adults and kids alike will find fun stations throughout the library for a hands-on maker experience. Featuring a 3D printing demonstration and hands on activities by minuteman miniatures.

Women's Club Poetry Contest

Thursday, April 4, 6:30PM

Join us this evening as we welcome the winners of the Children's Poetry Contest with an award ceremony and readings. This event is sponsored by the Women's Club of the Caldwells.

Author Visit: Daniel Kirk, "The Library Mouse"

Saturday, April 6, 11:00AM

Meet Daniel Kirk, the author of "The Library Mouse" and several other picture books when he visits the Caldwell Public Library! Best for Grades K-3 and their families

After School Yoga

Tuesdays, April 23, May 7, May 21, 4:30PM

Kids ages 8-12 can stop by the library for a free yoga class! Registration appreciated so we have a sense of how many kids to expect.

Wear comfortable clothes and bring your own mat.

Dog Tales

Thursday, March 28, April 25 & May 23, 4:30PM

Children practice reading to a certified therapy dog. Registration required. Please call the library at 973-226-2837 to set up your time slot. Program lasts 1 hour, slots are available in minute increments. Best for children in grades K-5.

Star Wars Day

Saturday, May 4, 11:00-3:00PM

Stop by the library for Star Wars related activities throughout the day.

Turtle Dance Music

Wednesday, May 15, 4:00PM

Turtle Dance Music presents a high-energy show to engage children of all ages with songs, comedy, bubbles, music technology and is also crafted for children on the Autism Spectrum. Each song is accompanied by hands-on, visual, and sensory experiences designed to help kids learn and have fun at the same time. Parents, and caregivers are also welcome to join the fun.

This family program is best for ages 2+

TEEN CALENDAR OF EVENTS

To register for teen events online go to caldwellplnj.eventbrite.com, or call the library.

Teen Action Committee

The Teen Action Committee (TAC) at the Caldwell Public Library is a group of teens interested in positively engaging in the Caldwell community through events and programs. TAC provides opportunity for teens to take on leadership roles in a safe environment. Active members also earn volunteer/community service hours.

Meeting dates:

Thurs, March 14, 4:00PM

Thurs, April 11, 4:00PM

Thurs, May 9, 4:00PM

Pages to Popcorn

Saturdays at 1:30PM

March 2, April 6 & May 4

Read the book first, then watch the movie with other teens at the library. Bring your copy of the book, plus your favorite blankets and pillows to relax on. We'll have snacks for eating and fun conversation after the movie ends. Open to Ages 13-17

This is a Teen Action Committee Event.

Word Herd: The Middle School Book Club

Wednesdays at 4:00PM

March 27, April 24 & May 22. Best for kids in grades 6-8.

Reading Buddies Interest Meeting

Wednesday, March 20, 4:30PM

Become a reading buddy! Teens age 13-17 are invited to learn about our Reading Buddies Program at this informational meeting. Reading Buddies is a program that pairs a teen volunteer with a child who is learning to read. (A volunteer hour will be earned for attending the meeting. If you have not done so already, please be sure to fill out our volunteer form in advance of the meeting. Contact Kristen, the Children's Librarian, via email at kchurchill@caldwellpl.org. Pizza and snacks will be served at the meeting.

Teen Sewing Workshop

Saturday, March 23, 11:30AM

Registration Required. No Drop Ins. \$5 deposit for materials required.

This program is part of the library's Maker's Day.

Museum Passes

Caldwell Library cardholders ages 18+ can borrow a free pass to the following museums: Guggenheim New York, Morris Museum, Newark Museum, Montclair Art Museum, and Intrepid Sea, Air & Space Museum Complex.

The Museum Pass program is sponsored by the Caldwell Library Foundation, Susan Gartland, Paul Kotlewski and Fran Patellis. Thank you for your support.

For more info about the CPL Foundation visit www.caldwellpl.org/foundation



Morris Museum



Computer Tutoring

Monday mornings & Tuesday evenings
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

30 minute tutoring sessions with a library staff member are available to help with basic computer questions such as searching the Internet, email issues, social media questions, and basic research tips. We can not assist with transactions that require sensitive personal information such as social security numbers, credit card numbers, bank account information, tax filings, etc.

Please speak with a staff member to schedule a session.

Digital Resources

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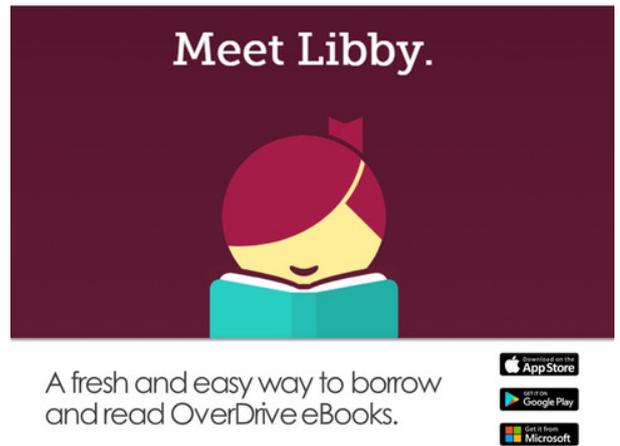
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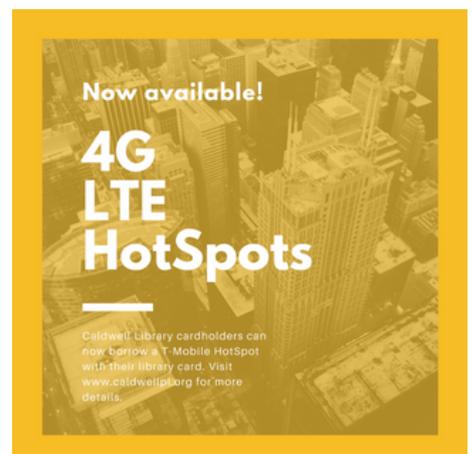
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Caldwell Library cardholders
ages 18+ can borrow a WiFi
hotspot for 2 weeks at a time.
See our website for more details.

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Upcoming Events:



Murder Mystery Maze
Saturday, April 6, 2019 7:00-11:00PM
at Mount Saint Dominic Academy
Tickets available now - \$75 per person
(includes interactive show, drinks and light fare)
ABC Permit No. 67566



Wine

TASTING EVENT

JOIN US FOR A WINE TASTING TO BENEFIT THE CALDWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY

thursday

05.09.19

seven to nine pm

**Come sample some fabulous wines &
support the Caldwell Public Library Foundation**
\$35 reservations required

For more information/purchase tickets,
please call 973.226.2837 or visit www.caldwellpl.org

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