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You can keep your items for 14 days. After that, the items are automatically checked in.

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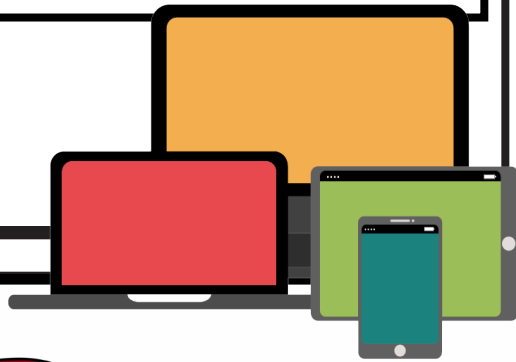
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I don't have an HTL account:

1. Go to hamburglibrary.org
2. Select 'Login' from the top menu
3. Click 'Login' in the top right corner
4. A new window will ask for Barcode and Password
5. Enter your Library Card Number (no spaces)
6. Enter 'USERPASS' for the password
7. You will be prompted to change your password
8. Write it down somewhere :)

I have my HTL account:

1. Search 'axis360' in your app store and download
2. Open 'axis360' app on your device
3. A tutorial video should begin.
To skip tutorial, click 'skip'
4. When prompted, locate and select 'Hamburg Township Library' in the search function.
5. Enter your Library Card Number (no spaces)
6. Enter your HTL password you created when you set up your HTL account
7. Press 'Login'
8. The app will ask for your email address the first time you place a title on hold in order to notify you when the title becomes available.



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I have my Library card at the ready:

1. Search 'rbdigital' in your app store and download
2. Open 'rbdigital' app on your device
3. Scroll and select 'USA', click Choose State
4. Scroll and select 'Michigan', click Choose Library
5. Type 'Hamburg', click 'Hamburg Township Library' (it will be listed under The Library Network -- select 'Hamburg' underneath)
6. Click 'Create Account'
7. Enter your Library Card Number (no spaces)
8. Create a Username of your choosing
9. Create a Password of your choosing and confirm it
10. Fill in the rest of your personal information
11. Check the box marked 'Accept terms'
12. Click 'Register'

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Please take note that the MAGAZINE portion of rbdigital is available NOW.

The AUDIOBOOK portion will be available July 1st

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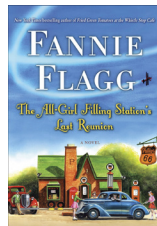
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2. Open 'Hoopla' app on your device
3. Click 'Don't have an account?'
4. Select 'Hamburg Township Library'
5. Enter your email address and a password of your own creation, twice
6. Enter your Library Card Number (no spaces) and PIN (which is your HTL account password)
7. Click 'Next'
8. If you get logged out in the future, just use the email and password created in Step 5 to get back in

**steps 5 and 6 may be reversed for Apple users

Jackie's Bookclub

Join your friends and neighbors for a lively, informal adult book discussion, **VIA VIDEO CHAT**, on the first Wednesday of each month at 1:00pm. Pick up a copy of the book before the discussion dates.



June 3rd

The All Girl Filling Station's Last Reunion
 By Fannie Flagg



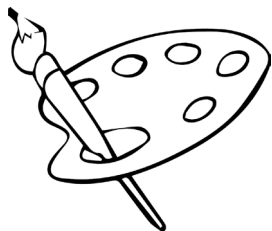
July 1

Carnegie's Maid
 By Marie Benedict



August 5

The Sewing Machine
 By Natalie Fergie



Seeking Artists and Crafters

application deadline: September 18, 2020

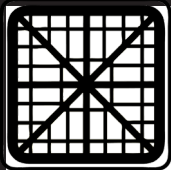
12th Annual

Hamburg Community Fine Art & Craft Fair

Saturday, October 3, 2020

This is a juried show.

Applications can be found at the front desk, online at www.hamburgartfair.org or call 810-231-1771 for more information



Hamburg Township Library

Phone: 810-231-1771

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Follow us on:



Website: www.hamburglibrary.org

Email: hamb@tln.lib.mi.us

Location: 10411 Merrill Road

Mailing: PO Box 247, Hamburg, MI 48139

Hours: Monday: 9-8 Friday: 12-6

Saturday: 9-5

Dates Closed:

July 4 - Independence Day

September 7 - Labor Day

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HAMBURG TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

SUMMER READING 2020

June 8 - August 8

This year's summer reading is going to look quite a bit different, but that doesn't mean we can't have a good time and read some totally awesome books.

Monday, June 8

There will be no Kick-Off Party this year.

Instead, starting Monday, June 8, you and your family will be able to pick up your reading logs at the front desk or print them at home by going to www.hamburglibrary.org.

Instructions will be included to tell you what to do, when to do it, and what to do with it once you've finished all the parts.

There will be no registration for the program or crafts.

Any age can read and use the reading logs.

We will be stamping logs in person but if you are more comfortable, have an adult sign the appropriate portion of the log.

Everyone who reads a minimum of 10 hours by August 8 (and turns in their completed reading log) will be included in our End Party.

If you do the extras included with the reading log, you will be entered into gift card drawings at our End Party.

Guessing Jars

Nothing will stop us from offering up a giant jar of candy.

All you have to do is guess the amount in the jar closest to the actual amount without going over.

We will have a new mystery jar video posted on social media every Monday morning for people to comment with their guess. We will also have the jar available at the library to let people vote in person.

Only staff members and the winner will be touching the jars.

Monday Crafts

Beginning June 8, we will be offering up a new craft for ages 5+ every Monday afternoon starting at 3pm.

On June 22, July 6 and July 27, there will also be crafts for ages 4 & under.

You will be able to pick up the craft kit at the front desk to take home and make. The kits will include most, if not all, the parts, instructions, and possibly a few other goodies.

These will be first come, first serve items at the front desk.

The End Party!

We are waiting on this one and will provide details closer to August.

If it does not happen, the readers who made their goals will still get to pick their free books and gift card winners will get their prizes.



Limited Services at the Library

At the time of the printing of this newsletter, the library is planning to offer limited services beginning **May 15th through August 31st**. As more information regarding COVID-19 becomes available, this time frame and services offered may change. Please bear with us as we navigate this uncharted territory and do our best to provide you with safe and excellent service.

The health and safety of both patrons and staff are tantamount at HTL. Prior to shutdown, we had adapted CDC guidelines for libraries, with any changes reviewed by Livingston County Health Department. During shutdown, we participated in a CDC seminar on library safety and the following reduction in services reflect what we have learned.

We see on average 196 patrons each day. Please do your part to prevent the spread of the virus by following the guidelines below, and at all times follow state directives on maintaining proper social distancing. If you feel ill, or have been exposed to someone ill, please postpone your library visit.

General Library Changes

- The staff will be disinfecting high-touch areas throughout the day.
- Temporary Plexiglass shields will be placed on the front service desk to protect both staff and patrons.
- The indoor dropbox will be closed. Please use the outside dropbox located by 5-minute parking for all returns except musical instruments and games that do not fit in the return receptacles.
- All late fines will be waived until 8/31. While the library encourages patrons to return items on time, fines will not be charged for late items.
- Homebound delivery will be suspended until the September delivery date.
- Pursuant to CDC guidelines, all items returned will be quarantined for 48 hours before being put back out for circulation.
- The meeting room will be closed through 8/31.
- All library visits are encouraged to last no more than 10 minutes.

Want a particular item? Reserve either online (www.hamburglibrary.org) or call the library at 810-231-17771 and let the staff help you.

Youth Area Changes

- All toys, puzzles, and manipulatives will be removed.
- The two literacy computers will be out of service.
- All chairs and tables will be removed.
- The three internet computers will be out of service until July 1. Beginning July 1, two computers will be open and disinfected after each use.

Adult Area Changes

- All chairs and most tables will be removed.
- The four internet computers will be out of service until July 1. Beginning July 1, two internet computers will be open. Staff will disinfect after each use.
- Individual study rooms will be closed until July 1. Once open, staff will disinfect after each use.
- Group study rooms will remain closed until August 31 to provide storage space for tables and chairs.
- The copy machine will be open for use.
- The Ellison die cut machine will be out of service until August 31.

Curbside Pickup

- Call the library to let a staff member know what you would like to read or watch. We will see if we have it and if we do, we will hold it for you.
- Come to the library and park in 5-minute parking.
- Call to let the staff know you've arrived.
- Have your library card or photo ID in hand.
- A staff member will be out with your items ready to go so you can be on your way.

