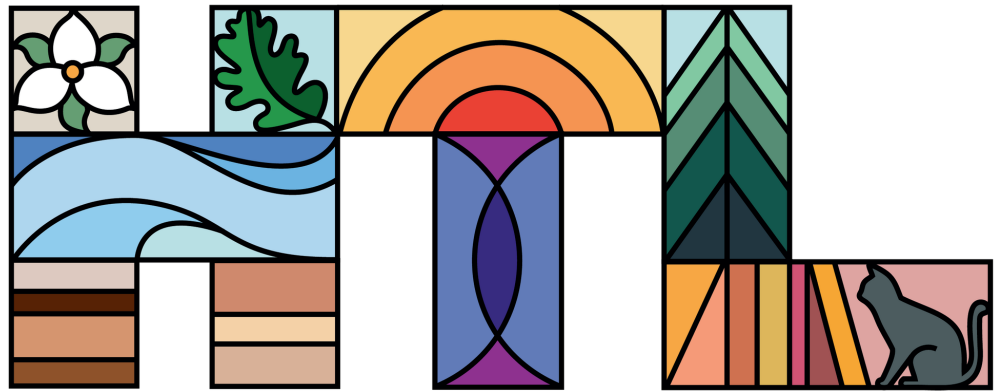


CELEBRATING 60 YEARS



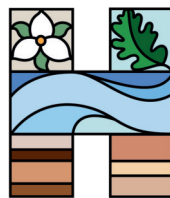
HAMBURG TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

Announcing our new logo

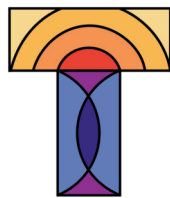
Our new logo is built upon layers of symbolism and details that remind us of where we live and what many love about the community, the natural environment, and the library.

Done in an arts and crafts style to match the architecture and style of the building, a mixture of vibrant and subdued colors create a modern yet comfortable aesthetic.

Each letter is made up of symbolic details that embrace the uniqueness of our community, and represents the friendly and welcoming atmosphere that we value so highly as a staff and board.



The base of the letter "H" represents our roots, made up of the 7 zip codes in the library's district. We are connected by the waterways (Huron River and the many lakes) and the flora surrounding them.



The "T" is designed to abstractly represent the physical location of the library. With other important services, buildings, and spaces on the same campus, the entrance shows our interconnection and essence of our bright future on the horizon.



The "L" represents the library itself with the intention to emulate the natural and serene setting and cozy vibes. Even Sushi wanted to make an appearance as a cherished figure of the library.

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60th
Anniversary!
1966-2026

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connect@hamburglibrary.org

Library Hours:

Monday: 9:00am - 8:00pm
Tuesday: 9:00am - 8:00pm
Wednesday: 9:00am - 8:00pm
Thursday: 9:00am - 8:00pm
Friday: Noon - 6:00pm
Saturday: 9:00am - 5:00pm
Sunday: Closed

Library Closing:

June 20: Family Fun Fest
July 4: Independence Day
August 3-15: Re-carpetting

Library Board:

Matthew Assenmacher
Jodie Colone
Mary Evergreen
Richelle Hocking
Bridgette Rosek
Crystal Walter

Library board meetings are held the third Tuesday of every month at 7pm.

The public is welcome:

June 16
July 21
August 18

Summer 2026
June - August

Adult program and Kick-Off Party registration begins Wednesday, May 13 @ 9am

Introducing our new look

... built with the community in mind

After a year of gathering thoughtful input and insights from the community and from library staff and board members, we are proud to unveil our refreshed brand.

Guided by your feedback, we created a new logo that embraces the spirit of Hamburg Township and what connects us. We take pride in working with our patrons and what we heard warmed our hearts.

Our commitment to you remains at the heart of everything we do. We care deeply about serving our neighbors today and growing alongside you into the future. This refreshed brand is just one step as we continue to provide a space where everyone feels supported, inspired, and connected.

In addition to the new logo, we have already updated several areas:

- café tables
- connected study tables
- individual study rooms
- children's area
- teen lounge area
- updated meeting room



You will also see a fresh look with an updated interior color scheme (soft greens, warm neutrals, and deep plum accent), and new carpeting throughout the main building will come in August.

Thank you for sharing your voices, your ideas, and your love for the library. We're excited for you to experience this next chapter with us and hope you join us in celebrating our 60th anniversary throughout the year and engaging with us for many years to come.

Thank you for your support!

Many thanks and much appreciation to all who have supported the library throughout the year.

Laura Allen
Trevor Blohm
Simon Van Booy
Camryn Bradley
Troy Eller English
Mary Evergreen
Richelle Hocking
Steve Hocking
Valerie Marvin
Dave Pettigrove
Carly Roberts

Christina Roberts
Robin Roberts
Bridgette Rosek
Pete Rosek
Zach Rosek
Cherie Rowse
Evan Shaw
Abby Strandt
Chris Strandt
Sarah Velliky
Laura Wilson
Melanie Winalis

G. & D. Anemaet
Brideau Family
E. & P. Burgett
M. Curtis
P. Dixon
Gardner Family
D. & P. Goldstein
J. Hermsen
M. Howard
R. & K. Jacob
J. Kennel

Knollman Family
M. Kocian
M. Lelko
Luria & Loesche Family
L. Mizejewski
B. & M. Nettleton
Przygocki & Timm Family
C. Weaver
M. & J. Wilson

Friends of the Hamburg Twp. Library
Livingston County DAR
Livingston County Genealogical Society
Michigan Humanities Council
VCA Countryside Animal Hospital of Hamburg
The Wild Indoors

... and those who wish to remain anonymous

Oscar Nominated Double Features

☀️ We are going to spend this summer exploring the world of Oscar nominated films from the 1940's, 1990's and 2000's with a focus on one actor or theme.

You can come to both movies or just one and still make it a 'Dinner & Movie' night out.

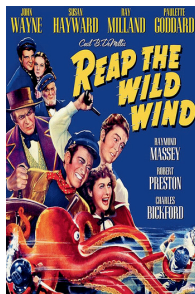
There will be a light dinner offered between screenings. Snacks and beverages will be available throughout the movies.

Registration is required for this event. You must be 16 years or older to register for this adult programming event.

June 9: Ray Milland



3pm



5:30pm

June 23: Bette Davis



3pm



5:30pm

July 14: Tyrone Power

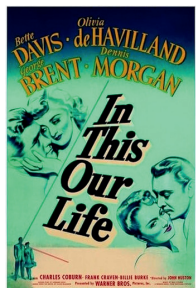


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July 28: Olivia de Havilland

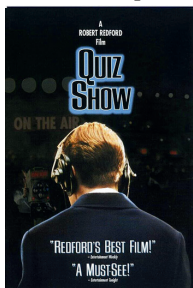


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August 18: Ralph Fiennes

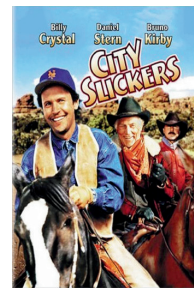


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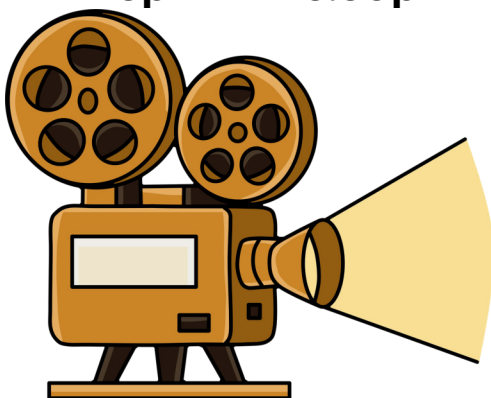
August 25: Westerns w/a chuckle



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Registration is required.
Registration begins Wednesday, May 13 @ 9am

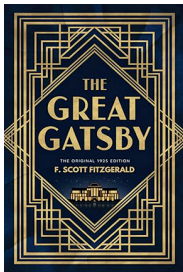
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Jackie's Book Club

To participate, please complete a one-time registration so the library has your email address.

Join your friends and neighbors for a lively, informal adult book discussion at 1pm on the first Wednesday of each month. Discussions will be in-person. Pick up a copy of the book before the discussion dates.



The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald

Extravagant rumors abound of a man named Jay Gatsby who has newly arrived to the coastline of a section of Long Island known colloquially as West Egg. Long into the night, the mysterious Gatsby threw lavish parties at his sprawling estate, but when alone, Gatsby could be found staring longingly at a solitary green light across the dark water. For all Gatsby has attained in his life, that green light represents all that he lost.

JUNE 3

Park Avenue Summer by Renee Rosen

Alice Weiss leaves her small Midwestern town for New York City to pursue photography and lands a job working for Helen Gurley Brown at Cosmopolitan. As the magazine faces chaos—staff resignations, leaked ideas, and sabotage—Alice is pulled into the turmoil. Determined to help Helen succeed, she navigates a glamorous world while struggling to hold onto her own dreams and independence.



JULY 1



With Love from London by Sarah Jio

After years of estrangement, Valentina Baker inherits her mother Eloise Baker's flat and bookshop in London. Seeking a fresh start, she uncovers hidden secrets and follows clues in an old novel to find its former owner. As the shop's future hangs in the balance, Val works to understand her mother and rebuild her own life.

AUGUST 5

Library of Things!

Around the House

- Stud Finder
- Multi-meter
- Home Radon Kit
- Air Compressor Kit
- Automotive Diagnostic Scanner
- Car Battery Tester Kit



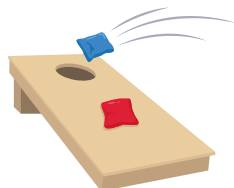
Music

- Guitalele
- Ukulele
- Guitar
- Keyboard
- Amplifier



... and so much more!

- Board Games
- Yard Games
- Cookie Cutters
- Rubber Stamps
- Memory Kits
- Sewing Machine
- Metal Detector
- Wheel Chairs



- Nintendo Switch 2
- Games for Switch 1 & 2
- Accessories

- One week checkout
- Must be 18 to check out
- No renewals



**Just ask at the desk if you can't find something. We keep them in storage until you need them.

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JUNE

Tie-Dye (ages 3+)

Wednesday, June 10 @ 2pm or 6:30pm

Join us for tie-dyeing. bring the 100% cotton item (shirt or pillowcase) and be prepared for a mess.

Craft Day #1 (ages 6+)

Monday, June 15, 1-3pm

Drop in anytime from 1-3 to craft a melty bead retro gaming throwback keychain or magnet

Cooking with Ming (ages 7+)

Wednesday, June 24 @ 6:30pm

Ming is back and this time we're making vegetarian sushi! Learn, make, eat, and have fun :)

Craft Day #2 (ages 3+)

Thursday, June 25,
@ 1-3pm

Drop in anytime from 1-3 to craft an 8-bit book mark and button :)

Crazy Craig (all ages)

Tuesday, June 30
@ 2pm

A family comedy, juggling, and variety show for all ages!

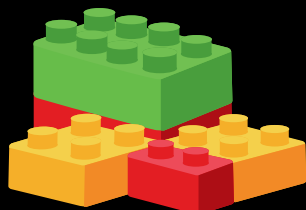
BUILD-IT FRIDAYS

June 12, June 26

July 10, July 24

@ 3 - 4PM

All Ages



You provide the imagination, we'll provide the building materials: Legos/Duplos, Magnatiles, Strawbees, magnetic blocks, Megablocks, and other builders.

Creations won't be displayed but photos will be posted.

**We ask that parents stay with their younger kids

Online registration begins Saturday, June 6 @ 9am

** registration required for all programs on this page

JULY

Crawling Cuties (6 and under)

Tuesday, July 7 @ 10am

Through stories, singing, and play, kids will get up close and personal with insects, spiders and more.

Circuit Masters (ages 7+)

Thursday, July 9 @ 2pm

Design, build, and test your way through understanding circuits and electricity.

Dino-Builders (all ages)

Monday, July 13 @ 2pm

First, a quick presentation featuring popular dinosaurs made with large, foam-block dino bones, then everyone builds imaginative dinosaurs using large foam fossils!

SpoonMan (all ages)

Wednesday, July 15
@ 6:30pm

A hilarious, interactive comedy program perfect for all ages. With a totally clean act (no dirty silverware here!), he's a musical spoonful of family fun!

Reptarium (all ages)

Thursday, July 23 @ 2pm

Enjoy meeting 10-15 animals, including snakes, lizards, turtles, a baby alligator and more!

Rock ON! (ages 8+)

Monday, July 27 @ 2pm

Explore rocks, minerals, and how they're formed. Through experiments and observation, learn how scientists identify mystery specimens and uncover the stories written in stone.

Outstanding Owls (6 and under)

Thursday, July 30 @ 10am

Explore "wide-eyed owls", from hooked beaks to silent wings to oh-so-sharp talons, through movement, artifacts and taxidermy. We'll also listen to the sounds of Michigan owls and try to mimic them!



MONDAY MOVIES

Bring a blanket, bring a pillow, bring a snack, bring a friend!

Movies begin at 6pm
All rated PG

- June 8: Minecraft Movie
- June 15: Angry Birds
- June 22: Super Mario Bros.
- June 29: Wreck-it-Ralph
- July 6: Pokemon
- July 13: Big Hero Six
- July 20: Jumanji
- July 27: Lego Movie

TUESDAY STORYTIMES

Drop-in for family story time. Some days there'll be just stories and other days, join Laura Allen and Skipper the dog from Pinckney Schools for a short story time, then stay after to read to Skipper!

Family Story Time

June 16 @ 10am

Story Time w/ Skipper

June 23 @ 6pm

Story Time w/ Skipper

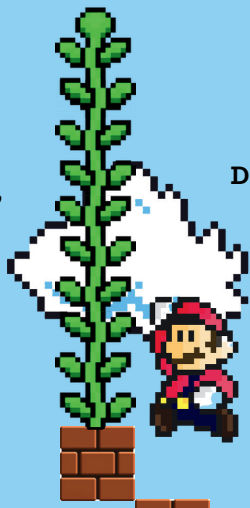
July 14 @ 6pm

Family Story Time

July 21 @ 10am

Story Time w/ Skipper

July 28 @ 6pm



CRAFT PICK-UP

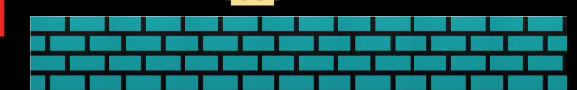
Craft pickup begins @ 4pm every Monday and goes until we run out ...
First come, first serve (no holds)

- June 8: Carnival Cannon
- June 15: Mini Garden Pot
- June 22: I Love to Read Bracelet
- June 29: Starburst Sign
- July 6: Hanging Parrot
- July 13: Sea Turtle Necklace
- July 20: Clay S'mores
- July 27: Basketball Catch



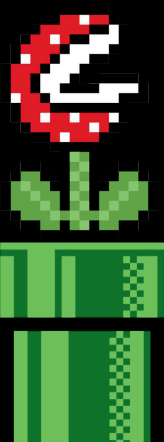
CANDY JARS

Every Monday, there will be a new jar of candy at the front desk. Guess the amount in the jar; closest guess without going over wins the jar!
Winners will be notified the following week.



SCAVENGER HUNTS

Every Monday, a new set of 4 clues will be posted around the kids section of the library. Follow the riddle, try to figure out the answer, then submit your guess at the front desk. Random drawing of all correct answers wins the item!
Winners will be notified the following week.



KICK-OFF PARTY

FRIDAY, JUNE 5 @ 7PM

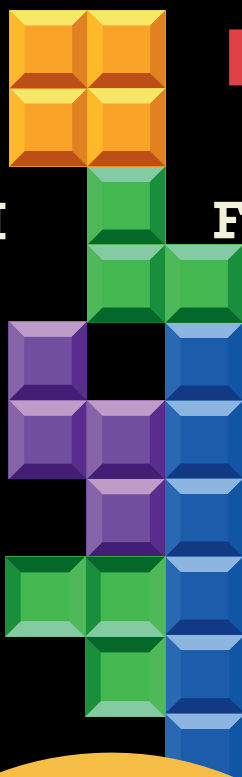
registration required for the party

This year, we are partying outside in the parking lot. There will be games, popcorn, ice cream, balloon animals, and music.

You'll also be able to pick up your scorecards and browse for things to read.

THERE WILL BE NO EVENT REGISTRATION TONIGHT!

Event registration will take place online, in-person, or by phone beginning Saturday, June 6 @ 9am.



KIDS CRAFT FAIR

FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 7-8PM

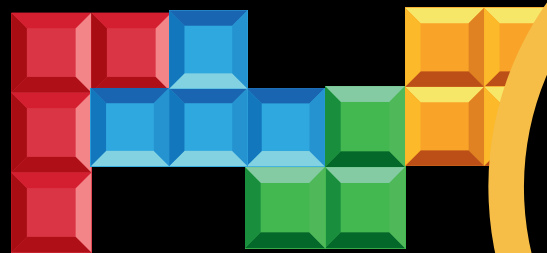
during the Kick-Off Party

Come to the library during our Summer Reading Kick-off Party to view and buy crafts made by the kids of Hamburg Township.

Everything is handmade and past items have included knit scarves, soaps, pillowcases, pet toys, flower pots, and bowls.

Crafters (ages 17 and under)

If you would like to sell items, please pick up an application from the front desk or at hamburglibrary.org



SUMMER READING RULES

1. For kids age 0 - 17.
2. Register for the Reading Program (not events) at the Kick-Off Party or after, at the front desk.
3. Once you are registered, spend the summer reading and getting your scorecards stamped at the front desk for every 30 minutes you read.
4. You will keep your scorecards with you for the summer, so do not lose them! The last day to register for the Reading Program and receive scorecards is: **JULY 11**.
5. Reach the set goal of 12 hours and you will be invited to our End Party for free books and extra prizes.
6. EXTRAS: You must have read for a minimum of 12 hours and do the bingo sheet to be entered into the gift card drawings. Names will be drawn on **JULY 29**.
7. IMPORTANT DATE: Last day to turn in stamped, completed scorecards and finished extras: **JULY 25 (NO EXCEPTIONS)**.
8. END PARTY: **Wednesday, JULY 29 (3pm - 7pm)**. We will have the books, along with your goody bags, set out in the middle of the library - you will receive an email with details.

Go online



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Friends of the Hamburg Township Library 2026 Membership Form

Friends of the Hamburg Township Library is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to support the Hamburg Township Library through fundraising, creating a greater public awareness of the library, and promoting community ties. Please join us!

Date _____
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City, St. _____
 Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____

Optional Volunteering:

- Book Sales, Friends Book Shop, Programs, Events
- Serve on a Committee
- Become a Member of the Board of Directors
- Other interests/talents you'd like to share?

Membership/Dues

- ____ Individual (\$10)
- ____ Seniors (60+) (\$5)
- ____ Students (\$5)
- ____ Family (\$25)
- ____ Business (\$50)
- ____ Patron (\$100)
- ____ Lifetime (\$300)



Please make your check payable to: The Friends of the Hamburg Township Library. Your membership form and check can be dropped off at the library or mailed to:

Friends of the Hamburg Township Library
 Attn: Membership Committee
 P.O. Box 466 Hamburg, MI. 48139

Questions? Email membership@friendsofhtl.org

*Membership/Dues are renewed annually on July 1.
 Membership forms submitted in April, May, or June will expire on June 30 of the following year.*