



OFF THE SHELF

Newsletter of the Hudson Area Public Library
November 2017

NaNoWriMo

NaNoWriMo stands for National Novel Writing Month, and it's an annual creative writing project. Participants are challenged to write 50,000 words during the month of November. The goal of NaNoWriMo is to encourage creativity, get people writing and keep them motivated throughout the process.

The Hudson Library is registered as a Come Write In location; let us be your host as you work on your novel this November. Join us on Wednesdays: November 1: 3:00-6:00 pm, November 15 and November 29: 4:00-7:00 pm upstairs in Room 219. Visit NaNoWriMo's website (www.nanowrimo.org) to learn more.

Author Visit: Anthony Wedgeworth

Anthony Wedgeworth grew up with severe

learning disabilities until he was diagnosed with dyslexia later in life. He coped by getting involved with sports, choir, art, dance & theater. After experiencing numerous successes in the business world, he picked up his pen and began his writing career as an author of epic fantasy adventures.

Anthony's books are based on his experiences playing Dungeons & Dragons, and his love for the Lord of the Rings, Dark Crystal, and Star Wars. He has created a realm with all new species, races, history and landscapes. Don't miss the chance to meet Anthony Wedgeworth on Friday November 10 from 3:15-5:00 pm and learn about his series!

iLabs

Have you visited our new iLABS yet? Located downstairs next to the Computer Lab, you will find iLABS for all ages—a 3-D printer, new computers and tablets with amazing software for audio/visual/graphic design creation, a digital converter for transferring your personal VHS movies to DVD, and more.

You're invited to use the new equipment during Open Lab time: noon-7:00 pm Monday-Thursday, 11:00 am-5:00 pm Friday, and 11:00 am-2:00 pm on Saturdays. You can use your library card to check out equipment for use in the library: a Brother computerized sewing machine, Cricut machine, Canon camera and/or tripod, a drawing

touch tablet & art pen, a Snowball microphone for recording vocals, podcasts & narration, and a photo studio kit with green, black & white backdrop screens, lightboxes & umbrella reflectors. Join us at the Library and put ideas into action!

New Fiction in November

The Midnight Line by Lee Child

Future Home of the Living God by Louise Erdrich

Artemis by Andy Weir

Hardcore Twenty Four by Janet Evanovich

End Game by David Baldacci

The Whispering Room by Dean Koontz

Past Perfect by Danielle Steel

The Noel Diary by Richard Paul Evans

In This Moment by Karen Kingsbury

Renegades by Marissa Meyer

Deadly Cure by Lawrence Sanders

Typhoon Fury by Clive Cussler

The Shadow District by Arnaldur Indridason

Old Scores by Will Thomas

The People vs Alex Cross by James Patterson

The House of Unexpected Sisters by Alexander McCall Smith

Sleep No More by P.D. James

The End We Start From by Megan Hunter

American Drifter by Heather Graham

The Ballad of Black Bart by Loren Estleman