



Culver City Julian Dixon Library

Newsletter November 2019

ADULT PROGRAMMING

Census Workshop. Saturday, November 2 at 11 am. A US Census Recruiting Assistant will be on-hand to provide information and assistance to people interested in learning about and applying for a job with the upcoming census. They will discuss the different positions available, provide assistance with the application, and address any of your related questions or concerns. Pre-registration is suggested.

Saturday Movie! Maiden. Saturday, November 2 at 1 pm. *Maiden* is the story of how Tracy Edwards, a 24-year-old cook on charter boats, became the skipper of the first ever all-female crew to enter the prestigious Whitbread Round the World yacht race in 1989. Tracy's inspirational dream was opposed on all sides: by her male competitors, the chauvinistic yachting press, and potential sponsors, who feared her crew would die at sea. But she refused to give up, remortgaging her home to buy a secondhand boat, putting everything on the line. She and her crew would go on to prove that women are very much the equal of men. 98% Critics Rating on Rotten Tomatoes.

Flu Shot Clinic. Saturday, November 9 from 10 am – 1 pm. Flu vaccines at no charge for those without health insurance or health care providers who don't offer them.

Colormania! Thursday, November 14 at 11:30 am. Drop in for a morning of beautiful coloring pages and relaxation. Supplies provided.

Saturday Movie! Hunt for the Wilderpeople. Saturday, November 16 at 1 pm. Defiant city kid Ricky gets a fresh start in the New Zealand countryside with his new foster family: the loving Aunt Bella, the cantankerous Uncle Hec, and dog Tupac. When a tragedy strikes that threatens to ship Ricky to another home, both he and Hec go on the run in the bush. As a national manhunt ensues, the newly branded outlaws must face their options: go out in a blaze of glory or overcome their differences and survive as a family. Equal parts road comedy and rousing adventure story, the film weaves lively humor with emotionally honest performances. 96% Critics Rating on Rotten Tomatoes.

Saturday Movie! The Salesman. Saturday, November 23 at 1 pm. Forced to leave their building due to a dangerous nearby construction project, a young Iranian couple moves to an apartment in the center of Tehran where they become embroiled in a life-altering situation involving the previous tenant, who happens to be a woman of ill repute. The aftermath turns their once peaceful life upside down. Directed by Asghar Farhadi, who also helmed the Oscar-winning feature *A Separation*. 96% Critics Rating on Rotten Tomatoes.

Corn Husk Dolls. Wednesday, November 20 at 6 pm. Native American Heritage Month recognizes and celebrates the cultures, contributions, and heritage of Native Americans and is observed each year during the month of November. Celebrate Native American Heritage Month at the library by creating your own corn husk doll. Corn husk dolls were made by a number of indigenous groups across the Americas, and are particularly associated with the eastern nations such as the Seneca and Oneida. Join us and make your own corn husk doll!

Knitting Club, with the Friends of the Library. Mondays at 2:30 pm. Yarns, patterns, and good company provided! All knitters welcome.

TEEN PROGRAMMING

Teen Games. Wednesday, November 6 at 3 pm. Play board games and solve puzzles with friends. Grades 6 - 12.

Polymer Clay Pens for Teens. Wednesday, November 13 at 3 pm. Take an ordinary pen and transform it into something artistic and unique with colorful polymer clay. Grades 6 - 12.

Teen Card-Making Service Project. Tuesday, November 19 at 3:30 pm. Celebrate the season of giving by doing something nice for someone else. Make cards for patients at Children's Hospital Los Angeles. You may receive volunteer credit for your participation in this program. Grades 6 - 12.

Teen Marshmallow Structures. Wednesday, November 20 at 3 pm. What kind of structure can you build using toothpicks and marshmallows? Test your engineering skills at this fun STEM program. Grades 6 - 12.

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMING

Baby Storytime. (ages 0 to 18 mos.) Mondays, September 16 – December 2 at 10:30 am. Baby Storytime is where memories are made. Enjoy stories, songs, nursery rhymes, and develop early literacy skills. Limited to 15 babies. Tickets available 30 minutes before program.

Toddler Storytime. (ages 18 mos. to 3 yrs.) Mondays, September 16 – December 2 at 11:15 am. Enjoy stories, songs, movement, develop early literacy skills, and participate in school readiness activities. Limited to 30 children. Tickets available 30 minutes before program.

Play & Explore. (ages 0 to 3 yrs.) Wednesdays, November 6 – December 4 at 10:30 am. Play, learn, and explore! Help your child develop important social skills using age appropriate toys in our drop-in play date social hour. No registration required.

Smarty Pants Storytime. (ages 2 to 5 yrs.) Tuesdays, September 17 – December 3 at 7 pm. Enjoy books, rhymes, songs, and movement while learning school readiness skills and having fun! Limit 30 children. Advanced registration is required.

Kids' Club * (intended for ages 5 to 11 yrs.) Thursdays at 3:45 pm.

***11/7 – Game Day.** It's Game Day at Kids Club! Join us to play your favorite board games!

***11/14 – Bubblemania.** Learn all about the science and fun of bubbles and bubble making from a Bubbleologist during this lively, beautiful and entertaining bubble show! Intended for ages 3 - 12 and their families.

***11/21 – Mākō Thursday: Make Your Own Pumpkin Catapult.** Compete to see who can build the best catapult, while learning about engineering and physics using mini-pumpkins!

BOOK CLUBS

Mystery Book Club. Thursday, November 14 at 6:45 pm. *The Chalk Pit* by Elly Griffiths.

Spanish Book Club. Wednesday, November 20 at 6:45 pm. *No me dejen morir así* de Pedro Angel Palou.

No Page Unturned Book Club. Wednesday, November 27 at 6:45 pm. Vox by Christina Dalcher.

