



November
2017

LIBRARY EVENTS CALENDAR

Featured Events



◆ **One Book, One San Diego Discussion of *The Sandcastle Girls***
Civic Center Branch: Fri, Nov 17, 10:15 am-11:30 am

Join us to discuss the 2017 **One Book, One San Diego's** featured book, by best-selling author Chris Bohjalian, with our LOL (Lots of Literature) Book Club. Copies of the book are available. This program is a partnership of KPBS and local libraries, schools and universities, including the Baja Library Association. View all related events at www.kpbs.org/onebook.

◆ **Book a Librarian @ Civic Center Branch—Mon-Thurs**

Request a free consultation with a librarian in a one-to-one setting, for 30-45 minutes. Learn how to use eBooks and audiobooks, search the library's catalog, navigate online databases. Get help with job searches, resumé and cover letter writing, job applications, info needs, and more. Ask at the information desk.



◆ **Earn Your High School Diploma Online! Library Offers Scholarships**

Offering qualified adults an opportunity to earn an accredited high school diploma & credentialed career certificate with *Career Online High School*, through Gale Cengage Learning, a private online school district. You can prepare to enter post-secondary career education or the workforce. See more on the library's website, www.chulavistalibrary.com or ask our staff for information.

◆ **Adult Literacy: Improve Your English Reading & Literacy Skills — Free of Charge!**

Work one-on-one with an adult tutor to improve reading and literacy skills. Tutors meet with students once a week for 1 to 1.5 hours in any branch of our library. Tutor training is provided. Interested tutors or learners, please contact dysla@chulavista.lib.ca.us or call (619) 585-5760.



◆ **Veterans Documentary Film Series**
Civic Center Branch, Thursdays, 5 pm, Nov 2, 9, 16, 30
See film titles on reverse, under Civic Center column.



Ongoing Programs

Civic Center Branch

- Homework Help • Mon/Wed, 6-8 pm
- Law Librarian Office Hours • 2nd & 4th Mon, 10 am-2 pm
- S.D. Co. Office of Military & Veterans Affairs benefits filing (adults) • 3rd Wed, 10 am-2 pm
- Vet to Vet Support Group • Mon, 4:30-6 pm
- Spanish Storytime (Ages 3-5) • Mon, 11 am; Toy Time • 11:30 am
- Toddler Tuesday Storytime (Ages 3-5) • Tues, 11 am; Toddler Toy Time • 11:30 am
- Sensory Storytime (ages 0-5) • Wed, 11-noon (Kids with Autism, Down Syndrome, developmental delays)
- Ready to Read Storytime (Ages 0-5) • Thurs, 11 am; Toy Time • 11:30 am (except Nov 23)
- South Bay Scribes Writer's Group • 1st & 3rd Wed, 6-8 pm
- CV Genealogy Society • Wed, Nov 29, Heirloom Discovery Day

South Chula Vista Branch

- Homework Help (K-12) • Tues & Wed, 5:30-7:30 pm
- Family PJ Storytime & Craft • 2nd Tues, 5 pm
- Baby Bookworms Storytime (Ages 0-3) • Tues, 11:15 am
- Ready to Read Storytime (Ages 3-5) • Wed, 11:15 am
- Tai Chi for Seniors • Tues/Thurs, 11 am-noon (except Nov 23)
- Recreation Empower Hour • Wed, 2:30-3:30, Orange Park
- S.T.E.A.M. Activities for Kids • Thurs, 4 pm
- Resumé Assistance Hour • Thurs, 5 pm

Otay Ranch Branch

- LEGOS Free Builders' Guild • Mon, 4 pm
- Homework Help (K-12) • Mon-Thurs, 4-6 pm (except Nov 23)
- Little Owls' Evening Storytime (Ages 0-3) • Mon, 5 pm
- Little Owls' Play Time • Mon, 5:30 pm
- Move to the Music Storytime (Ages 2-5) • Tues, 11:15 am
- Shake, Rattle & Read Baby Storytime (Ages 0-3) • Wed, 11:15 am
- Play, Learn & Grow • Wed, 11:45 am
- Ready, Set, Read! Storytime (Ages 3-5) • Thurs, 11:15 am (except Nov 23)
- STEAM Storytime Saturdays • Sat, 11:15 am (except Nov 11)
- Crochet for a Cause • Sun, 12 noon



Visit us at any of our locations!

(Please note holiday closures on reverse)

Civic Center Branch

Mon-Thurs 10-8
Fri & Sat 10-5
Sun 1-5

365 F Street
619-691-5069

South Chula Vista Branch

Mon-Thurs 10-8
Fri & Sat 10-5
Sun 1-5

389 Orange Avenue
619-585-5755

Otay Ranch Branch

Mon-Sat 11-7
Sun 12-6

Otay Ranch Town Ctr
2015 Birch Rd, #409
In the Food Pavilion
619-397-5740

24/7 Online

www.chulavistalibrary.com
Renewal Line:
619-409-5957, or online

News 4 You...

Veterans Connect @ Civic Center Library

Vet to Vet Support Group, Mondays, 4:30-6 pm
Mon/Wed, 10 am. S.D. Co. Office of Military & Veterans Affairs benefits filing (adults), 3rd Wed, 10 am-2 pm. Vet to Vet Support Group, Mon, 4:30-6 pm

Congratulations to Library Volunteer **Danny Carreon**, 2017 City of Chula Vista Veteran of the Year!



NOVEMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

Civic Center Branch

Holiday Closures

Veterans Day, Sat, Nov 11
Thanksgiving Holiday,
Thurs, Nov 23 & Fri, Nov 24



S.T.E.A.M. Events, Wed, 4:30-6
Nov 1: Endothermic/exothermic reactions

Nov 8: Food Science: Onigiri/Sushi

Nov 15: Scavenger Hunt

Nov 29: LEGO S.T.E.A.M

Veterans Documentary Film Series

Thurs, 5 pm, auditorium

Nov 2: Patriot Guard Rider

Nov 9: Where Soldiers Come From

Nov 16: New American Soldier

Nov 30: When I Came Home



Intro to Computers for Seniors, RR*

Class series, Tue/Thur, Nov 6—Dec 12, 2-4 pm. For info, contact SD Futures Foundation. Register: (619) 269-1684.

U.S. Citizenship Classes (free!)

Tues/Thurs, 10 am-noon. Prepare for exam. All English levels welcome. Info: contact Alexandra Prades at Jewish Family Services: (858) 637-3364 or alexandrap@jffssd.org

Crafternoons & Nights

Tue, Nov 7, 4:30: Veterans Day Rip Cord Bracelet

Tue, Nov 14, 4:30: Upcycled Holiday Craft

Fri, Nov 17, 3 pm: Christmas Paper Wreath

Tue, Nov 21, 6-8 pm: Book Christmas Tree (Crafternight, Adults/Teens)

Tue, Nov 28, 4:30: Pine Cone Christmas Tree

Fiber Art Club (ages 7+), all skill levels

Fri, Nov 10, 3-4:30 pm
Crochet cup cozies.

Film Forum

Wed, Nov 8, 6 pm, free

Mini-concert, 5:30. Dancers, Selah Groove Performing Arts. Film: Spirited bride with no groom keeps her wedding plans. Hebrew w/ English Subtitles.

Mindful Matters Workshop

Sun, Nov 12, 3:30-4:30 pm

Show & share your decluttering process.

One Book, One San Diego Event

Fri, Nov 17, 10:15-11:30 am; see Calendar front for details.

Classic Film Forum & Discussion

Wed, Nov 22, 6 pm. Anthony Hopkins portrays Alfred Hitchcock. Discussion follows film. Both films sponsored by Friends of the Library.

Minecraft Build Challenge, *RR

Ask in library for date/time
Call (619) 691-5069 to reserve.



Fiber Art Basics: Crochet 101

Sat, Nov 25, 1-2:30 pm

TechClub: Scratch, *RR

Thurs, 4:30-6 pm for month of November. Register: civiciris@chulavista.lib.ca.us
Learn computer coding & video game design using easy programming language from MIT. No previous experience needed.

*RR=Registration Required

South Chula Vista Branch

Holiday Closures

Veterans Day, Sat, Nov 11
Thanksgiving Holiday,
Thurs, Nov 23 & Fri, Nov 24

November is Picture Book Month

All ages: draw a picture of your favorite picture book or picture book character and share it with our library community at the Children's desk.

A Paranormal Experience (Teens), *RR

Wed, Nov 1, 8 pm; space limited

Is there paranormal activity in the library?

Sign up: jmacias@chulavistaca.gov

U.S. Citizenship Classes

Tues & Thurs, 5:30-7:30, free

Let by Jewish Family Services.

Wonder Book Discussion (children)

Mon, 4-5 pm; 4th-6th graders

Pick up copy of *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio; join weekly book discussion. For info: dysla@chulavista.lib.ca.us

Resumé Writing Workshop

Thurs, 5-6 pm, adults

Get the job you want; tips for creating an effective resumé.

Veterans Day Thank-You Cards

Mon, Nov 6, 4-5 pm; all ages

Write & decorate cards for Veterans

Tech Tuesdays, 4 pm

- Nov 7: Learn to set up email on your device or computer.

Nov 28: Learn to search the Internet & library databases for use in term papers and homework.

Upcycle Fall Decor (Adults), *RR

Wed, Nov 8, 5:30 pm; register:
dtrujillo@chulavista.lib.ca.us

Science Rocks! S.T.E.A.M. Workshops

Thurs, 4 pm, Kids & Teens

Nov 2: That darn Newton. Understand gravity with a fun racing activity.

Nov 9: Sand art with salt and colored chalk.

Nov 16: Can your house color affect energy usage? Let's find out!

Nov 30: S.T.E.A.M. Legos

La Rondalla de San Diego Concert

Thurs, Nov 9, 5 pm; all ages

Traditional Mexican/Latin American music concert by longtime popular local group.

Family PJ Storytime & Craft

Tues, Nov 14, 5 pm

Make a fun craft for the season!

Ready to Read Storytime & Craft

Wed, Nov 15, 11:15 am

Celebrate Native American Heritage Month.

What's Up Wednesdays, *RR

Nov 15, 5 pm (teens/tweens)



Gobble up great desserts at this make & take workshop. Register: dtrujillo@chulavista.lib.ca.us

Turkey Craft

Tues, Nov 21, 5-6 pm (children)

Create an adorable turkey for Thanksgiving!

Computer Class

Resumes Sat, Dec 9, 9-10 a.m.; adults

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Otay Ranch Branch

Holiday Closures

Veterans Day, Sat, Nov 11
Thanksgiving Holiday,
Thurs, Nov 23 & Fri, Nov 24

Bookblazers Book Club, *RR

Weds, 4 pm, grades 4-6

Read & discuss *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio.

Books provided. Register by email:

dysla@chulavista.lib.ca.us

LEGOS Free Builders' Guild

Mon, 4 pm

Kids, get creative with our LEGOS and build whatever you like!



Conversation Café Tuesdays

Tues, 6-7 pm

Improve your conversational English skills by chatting in an informal setting.

Seasonal Science

Wednesdays, 5 pm

Kids—experiment with a new science project each week.

Craft Buffet

Thurs, 4 pm

Use your imagination to design a masterpiece. Follow examples or use our supplies to create a new work of art.

S.T.E.A.M Saturdays

11:15 am



Science, Technology, Engineering, Art & Math storytime & experiments. This month: Food Science

Budding Artists

Sat, Nov 4, 12 Noon

Experience the world of art with your child. Wear clothes you can get messy in!

Crochet for a Cause



Sun, 12-1 pm

Learn to crochet hats for premature babies. All hats donated to Miracle Babies.

Passport Fair

Sun, Nov 5, 9-1 pm. Apply for your U.S. Passport. Walk-ins welcome.

Falling for Fall Storytime

Thurs, Nov 9, 11:15 am.

Celebrate the fall season with fun stories.

Domestic Divas

Thurs, Nov 9, 5:30 pm

Craft cork creations!

Origami Tsunami

Sun, Nov 19, 4-6 pm

Learn to make simple origami.

Techsplorers

Sat, Nov 25, 10 am

Explore computer basics. No computer experience required.



Daylight Saving Time ends
Sun, Nov 5, 2 a.m.
"Fall back!"

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