



All Chula Vista Libraries will be **closed on May 28th**
in observance of Memorial Day

May 2018

LIBRARY EVENTS CALENDAR

Featured Events

- ◆ **Celebrate Mental Health Awareness @ Civic Center Branch:** Join us as we share local resources that support mental health services within our community. On Friday, May 11, 2-4pm at the Civic Center Branch learn about mental wellness and break the stigmas behind mental health. This project was supported in whole or in part by the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act, administered in California by the State Librarian.
- ◆ **Student Volunteers Wanted:** The Civic Center and South branches are recruiting for student volunteers to help with the Summer Reading Program. Submit an online application at www.chulavistalibrary.com, under the heading "Support".
- ◆ **Voices of the Frontera** Teatro Mascara Magica and the Chula Vista Public Library presents a collection highlighting the stories and vivid characters of Chula Vista and our border region. Join us for this free and fantastic journey of discovery—a unique and intimate exploration of our Frontera. The presentation is on Mon, May 14, 6-7:30pm at the Civic Center Branch. Seating is limited.
- ◆ **Interested in Earning Your High School Diploma?** Career Online High School Scholarships offered through our Library. Offering qualified adult an opportunity to earn an accredited high school diploma & credentialed career certificate with Career Online High School. See more on our library's website or ask our staff for information.
- ◆ **Celebrate Asian Pacific American Heritage Month @ South Branch:** Wed, May 16 & 30, 6pm. Learn to cook Asian dishes with Chef Mirella Sol (Foody & the Beast). Registration required, contact: dtrujillo@chulavista.lib.ca.us. This project was made possible in part by a grant through the City of Chula Vista Performing and Visual Arts Grant.

Ongoing Programs

Civic Center Branch

Homework Help • Mon & Wed, 6-8 pm
 Law Librarian Office Hours • 2nd & 4th Mon, 10am-2pm; Extra day in May - Wed, May 2, 10am-2pm
 S.D. Co. Office of Military & Veterans Affairs benefits filing (adults) • 3rd Wed, 10am-2pm
 Vet to Vet Support Group • Mon, 4:30-6pm
 Spanish Storytime (Ages 3-5) Mon, 11-11:30am; Storytime craft, 11:30am-12pm.
 Hora de Cuentos en Español (edades 3-5) Lunes, 11-11:30am; Manualidad, 11:30am-12pm
 Toddler Tuesday Storytime (Ages 3-5) • Tues, 11-11:30am; Toddler Toy Time • 11:30am-12pm
 Sensory Storytime (Ages 0-5) • Wed, 11am-12pm (Kids with Autism, Downs Syndrome, developmental delays)
 Ready to Read Storytime (Ages 0-5) • Thurs, 11-11:30am;
 Ready to Play Toy Time • 11:30am-12pm
 Film Forum • 2nd and 4th Wed, 6-8pm

South Branch

Homework Help • Tues, 4-6pm; Wed, 4-7:30pm
 Playtime Pals • Mon, 10am
 Baby Bookworms Storytime • Tues, 11:15am
 Ready to Read Storytime • Wed, 11:15am
 Tai Chi for Seniors • Tues & Thurs, 11am
 S.T.E.A.M. Activities for Kids • Thurs, 4pm
 Family PJ Storytime • Thurs, 11:15am
 Recreation Empower Hour • Wed, 2:30-3:30pm in Orange Park
 Sensory Storytime • Thurs, 5pm
 Resume Assistance Hour • Thurs, 5pm
 Girls Who Code • Fri, 3:30pm

Otay Ranch Branch

Homework Help (K-12) • Mon-Thurs, 4-6pm
 League of LEGO Engineers • Mon, 4pm
 Little Owls' Evening Storytime (Ages 0-3) • Mon, 5pm
 Little Owls' Play Time • Mon, 5:30pm
 Move to the Music Storytime (Ages 2-5) • Tues, 11:15am
 Conversation Café • Tues & Thurs, 11:30am
 Shake, Rattle & Read Storytime (Ages 0-3) • Wed, 11:15am
 Play, Learn, Grow! • Wed, 11:45am
 Ready, Set, Read! (Ages 3-5) • Thurs, 11:15am
 Books & Blocks • Sat, 11:15am

Visit us at any of
our locations!

Civic Center Branch

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

Passports
 Mon, Tues, & Fri
 10:30-2:30
 Wed & Thurs 2-6

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

Passports
 Mon, Fri & Sat 11-4
 Tues, Wed, & Thurs
 1-6

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

MAY EVENTS CALENDAR

Civic Center Branch

Crafternoons & Nights

Tues, 4:30-6pm

May 1: Teacher's Day Craft

May 8: Mother's Day Card

May 22: Upcycled Picture Frames

May 29: Newspaper Kites

Book Art Adults & Teens

Tues, May 15, 6-7:30pm

S.T.E.A.M. Events

Wed, 4:30-6pm

May 2: Mother's Day—Science of Eggs

May 9: Frog Jumping Day

May 16: Sea Monkey Day

May 23: Earth Day Science

May 30: LEGO STEAM

TechClub – Comic Book Life! RR*

Thurs, 4:30-6pm (Ages 8+)

Make your own comic book through an easy to use comic creation app!

Registration required. Register at

djanning@chulavista.lib.ca.us or

(619) 585-5646

U.S. Citizenship Class

Mon & Wed, 6-8pm

Ongoing 10-week series started Apr 9.

Must register within first 2 weeks. All

materials provided. For information

contact Jewish Family Services at

celestec@jssd.org or (858) 637-3364

Cupcakes with Claudia RR*

Thurs, May 10, 4:30-6pm

Let's celebrate the upcoming Spring

season by turning cupcakes into

beautiful, colorful flowers using different

icing techniques. Registration required.

Register at javila@chulavistaca.gov or

(619) 585-5795

Page Turners Book Club

Thurs, May 31, 5pm (Grades 4-6)

"The First Rule of Punk" by Celia Perez.

Books provided at the Children's Desk.

For more information contact

(619)-585-5795

READING W/O WALLS CHALLENGE

Read outside your comfort zone by

reading about a character unlike you,

a new topic or different format than you

usually read. Share your new reads by

filling out a paper book to add to our

"Reading Wings".

South Branch

Citizenship classes

Tues & Thurs, 5:30-8pm

Presented by Jewish Family Services.

"Weaving a Tapestry of Culture & Arts"

Wed, May 2, 6pm

Celebrate Cinco de Mayo with La Fiesta

Danzantes de San Diego South with the

Library's Son Jarocho group. This project

was made possible in part by a grant

through the City of Chula Vista

Performing and Visual Arts Grant.

¡Aprende Inglés Gratis!

Jueves 3, 17, y 31 de mayo, 10am

Favor de registrarse con Jackie Macias

(619) 585-5781.

Teen English Conversation Café

Mon, May 7, 4pm

Chess Club (all ages) Tues, May 8, 4pm

Mother's Day Craft (Ages 5+)

Tues, May 8, 5:30pm

Join us for a fun craft to celebrate

Mother's Day!

Create It! DIY Candy Bouquets.

Wed, May 9, 5:30pm

This fun workshop will teach you how to

make festive bouquets. Registration

required: dtujillo@chulavista.lib.ca.us

Children's Book Club (Grades 4-6)

Mon, May 14, 4pm

Pick up a copy of *Matilda* by Roald

Dahl and join us for book discussions

and activities. To register, email:

dysla@chulavistaca.gov.

Let's Get Ready for Kindergarten Boot Camp. KBC is coming in June.

Registration begins May 21. To register,

email: dysla@chulavistaca.gov.

STEAM, Thurs @ 4pm

May 3: May the 4th Be With You

May 10: Space Day Green Screen

May 17: Museum Mystery

May 24: Sun Screen Experiment

May 31: LEGO - Animal Evolution

Teens IRL, Mon @ 6pm

May 14: Anime Club

May 21: Zines

Homeschool Hour, Wed @ 5pm

May 9: Game Night

May 23: LEGO League

Otay Ranch Branch

Mother's Day Storytime

Tues, May 8, 5:30pm

Join Otay Ranch Town Center's Mother's Day celebration Storytime at 5:30pm!

3-D Pen Gift for Mom

Wed, May 9, 5pm Ages 8+

Get creative with a 3-D pen to create a charm for mom on her special day!

Little Hands Art

Fri, May 18, 5pm

Explore art at the library! Please wear clothes you can get messy in.

Military Appreciation Storytime

Tues, May 22, 5:30pm

Salute our troops with arts, crafts and storytime.

Flourish: Crayola Calligraphy

Wed, May 23, 5pm

Use the library's marker collection to learn to write in beautiful lettering. Watch demonstrations in different fonts and try some new styles.

Veg Out Storytime

Thurs, May 24, 11:15am

Learn to enjoy vegetables through art and stories!

Passports AMA

Mon, 6pm

Have questions about applying for a passport? Ask me anything. Want someone to look over your application before your appointment? Need help with your renewal form? We're here to help!

Sew Handy

Wed, 6pm

Learn hand sewing basics and simple techniques to repair and alter clothes.

Craft Buffet

Thurs, 4pm

Use your imagination to design a masterpiece! Follow examples or use an array of supplies to create something new!

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