

Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library Events

Margaret Troke Branch Library

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FREE COMPUTER CLASSES AT THE MARGARET TROKE BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday of each week, at 3:00 p.m., the Margaret Troke Branch Library provides free computer classes. Let the library help you learn computers and technology! The Troke Library will be offering the following free computer classes:

*Thursday, February 2 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - Beginning Internet/searching *Thursday, February 9 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - E-mail Basics *Thursday, February 16 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - Beginning Microsoft Word *Thursday, March 1 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - Beginning Internet/searching *Thursday, March 15 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - E-mail Basics *Thursday, March 22 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - Beginning Microsoft Word *Thursday, April 5 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - Beginning Internet / searching *Thursday, April 12 @ 3 pm-4:00 pm - E-mail Basics *Thursday, April 19 @ 3 pm - 4:00 pm - Beginning Microsoft Word *Thursday, May 3 @ 3 pm - 4:00 pm - Beginning Internet / searching *Thursday, May 10 @ 3 pm - 4:00 pm - E-mail Basics *Thursday, May 17 @ 3 pm - 4:00 pm - Beginning Microsoft Word

These classes are designed to help new computer users get comfortable with technology. We welcome patrons who have little or no computer/technology experience. At the end of each class, the trainer will answer other computer/technology questions. All classes are drop in--no reservations are required. Participants are welcome to bring their own laptops. Continue the learning about technology by checking out books, reviewing online databases, and searching the Internet - all for free at your local public library! This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends of the Stockton Public Library. The Margaret Troke Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 502 W. Benjamin Holt Dr in Stockton. For more information, call 209-937-8221 or (866) 805-7323 (READ) (COUNTY). Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

Manteca Branch Library

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1,2,3, DRAW WITH ME AT THE MANTECA BRANCH LIBRARY On Wednesday, February 8, at 1:00 and 4:00 pm, the Manteca Branch Library will host 1-2-3, Draw with Me. The 1:00 program is for 4, 5

and 6 year olds and the 4:00 pm program is for older children. Inge Perry will direct the children on how to draw fun things by utilizing basic shapes, colors and age-appropriate techniques. She will be using a Valentine's Day theme for this event. Those interested may sign up at the Information Desk.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends of the Manteca Library. The Manteca Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 320 W Center St. For more information, call (866) 805-7323 or (209) 937-8221 . Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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THE MAGIC OF CHEMISTRY AT THE TRACY BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday February 9, at 4:00 p.m., the Tracy Branch Library Library presents The Magic of Chemistry. Linda Brzezinski, a teacher of science, will be sharing the fun and wonder of chemistry through hands-on demonstrations that all ages will enjoy. Come and learn how chemistry works in the real world around us. Continue learning about chemistry or science by checking out books, reviewing online databases, and searching the Internet - all for free at your local public library!

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Tracy Friends of the Library. The Tracy Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 20 E. Eaton Avenue, Tracy. For more information, call (866) 805-7323 or (209) 937-8221. Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

Maya Angelou Branch Library

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VALENTINES DAY CRAFT PROGRAM AT THE MAYA ANGELOU BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday, February 9, at 3:00, the Maya Angelou Branch Library will host a Valentine's Day Craft program. Join us for fun crafts and light refreshments in celebration of Valentine's Day.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends of the Stockton Public Library. The Maya Angelou Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 2324 Pock Lane, Stockton. For more information, call (209) 937-8221

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VALENTINE CRAFTS DAY AT THE MOUNTAIN HOUSE BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday February 9, 2012, at 4:30 p.m., the Mountain House Branch Library will host a Valentine Crafts Day program for Teens and Tweens.

Come and join us in making Valentine cards or crafting presents for your friends and/or family. Children age 10 and up are welcome. Supplies will be provided.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Mountain House Friends of the library. The Mountain House Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at

579 Wicklund Crossing, Mountain House, CA. For more information, call 209-937-8221 (Stockton) or 866-805-7323 (READ) (County). Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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VALENTINE STORIES AND CARDMAKING AT THE MARGARET TROKE BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday February 9th, at 4:30 p.m., the Margaret Troke Branch Library presents Valentine Stories and Cardmaking. Come down to the library and enjoy Valentine stories. Afterwards we will create homemade cards for you to take home.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Stockton Friends of the Library. The Margaret Troke Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 502 W. Ben Holt Dr in Stockton. For more information, call (209) 937-8221 (Stockton) or (866) 805-7323 (READ) (County). Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

Cesar Chavez Central Library

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READ IN THE BATHTUB AT THE CESAR CHAVEZ CENTRAL LIBRARY Children and their parents are invited to join us for fun, book-based activities in celebration of "Read in the Bathtub Day." The special program will include stories, activities, crafts and a chance to check out great books after the program. This fun program promoting books and reading will be held on Thursday, February 9th at 3:30 pm. The program will be held in the Stewart-Hazelton Room of the Cesar Chavez Central Library.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends of the Stockton Public Library. The Cesar Chavez Central Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 605 N. El Dorado Street in Stockton. For more information, call (209) 937-8221 (Stockton) or (866) 805-7323 (County). Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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VALENTINE'S DAY CRAFTS AT THE ESCALON BRANCH LIBRARY On Saturday, February 11, at 1:30 p.m., the Escalon Branch Library presents Valentine's Day Crafts. Children and parents are invited to participate in making an easy craft that you can share with family and friends. Valentine's Day treats will be provided courtesy of the Friends' of the Escalon Branch Library. A display of Valentine books will be available for patron check-out.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends' of the Escalon Branch Library. The Escalon Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 1540 Second St in Escalon. For more information, call 1-866-805-7323 or 209-937-8221. Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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CHILDREN'S BOOK CLUBS AT THE MOUNTAIN HOUSE BRANCH LIBRARY Come share your love of reading with us this Spring! The Mountain House Branch Library has begun accepting sign ups for two Children's Beginning Reader's Book Clubs. The initial meeting for Easy Readers kicked off on Wednesday, February 1, at 3:30 pm, followed by the Beginning Chapter Book Club at 4:15 pm. After that, both groups will assemble on a weekly basis, until April 4th, 2012. All participants will be expected to check out a different book every week to take home, and then gather in groups the following Wednesday to discuss what they have read. 1st through 4th Graders are invited to sign up for whichever Reading Club is most appropriate. In addition to sharing amazing stories, a craft or activity will accompany the weekly get-togethers. If you wish to join the fun, please sign up in advance at the Mountain House Library Checkout Desk.

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PAWS FOR READING AT THE MOUNTAIN HOUSE BRANCH LIBRARY On Saturday, February 4, 11, 18, 25, 2012, from 2:00 - 4:00 pm, the Mountain House Branch Library presents/will host "Paws for Reading". Children will get the chance to read to a real live dog from the Therapy Dogs, Inc. group. Reading to animals creates a non-judgmental environment for children, making it easier for them to practice the skill of reading.

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Therapy Dogs, Inc. volunteers and their animals. The Mountain House Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 579 Wicklund Crossing. For more information, call 1-866-805-7323 or 209-937-8221. Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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MULTILINGUAL COMPUTER CLASSES AT THE WESTON RANCH BRANCH LIBRARY On Thursday, February 9, 2012, at 10:30 AM, the Weston Ranch Branch Library presents/will host Multilingual computer classes for all ages.

The instruction for these multilingual computer classes will be provided in Hindi, Punjabi, and Urdu in addition to English. The computer class will be held on the second Thursday of every month on February 9, 2012 (Basic Internet Searching); March 8, 2012 (Beginning E-mail); April 12, 2012 (MS Word for Beginners); and May 10, 2012 (Library Catalog and Link+ and OverDrive). Patrons are welcome to bring their own laptops for these classes. Continue the learning by checking out books, reviewing online databases, and searching the Internet - all for free at your local public library!

This free program is provided through the generosity of the Friends of Stockton Public Library!. The Weston Ranch Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 1453 W. French Camp Rd, Stockton 95206. For more information, call (209) 937-8221. Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.

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FREE COMPUTER CLASSES AT THE TRACY BRANCH LIBRARY Let the library help you with computers and technology! The Tracy Branch Library will be offering the following, free computer classes:

- Thursday, February 16 @ 10:00 AM - Noon – Social Networking for Beginners
- Thursday, February 16 @ 3:00 PM- 5:00 PM – Creating an Email Account
- Thursday, February 23 @ 10:00 AM- Noon – Introduction to Skype
- Thursday, February 23 @ 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM – Facebook for Beginners

These classes are designed to help new computer users get comfortable with technology. We welcome patrons who have little or no computer/technology experience. At the end of each class, the trainer will answer other computer/technology questions. Space is limited. Make reservations by calling or coming into the branch. Students are encouraged to bring their own laptops. Continue the learning by checking out books at the library!

This free program is provided through the generosity of the LSTA (Library Services and Technology Act). The Tracy Branch Library is a part of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library and is located at 20 E. Eaton Ave, Tracy 95376. For more information, call 866.805.7323 or 209.937.8221. Visit the Library's website at www.stockton.lib.ca.us and fan or follow us on twitter.com/ssjcpl and facebook.com/ssjcpl.