

Winter Speaker Series

Reading Chinese Characters with Ann Wu

Saturday, January 13th, 2:00 PM

This class offers a basic introduction to reading Chinese Idiographs. You will be introduced to 50 words in 50 minutes! All ages welcome.

Silicon Valley Reads Author Visit

Saturday, February 24th, 1:30 PM

Bay Area author **Mark Lukach** discusses his memoir *My Lovely Wife in the Psych Ward*, a 2018 Silicon Valley Reads selection.

2018 Oscar Nominated Films Talk

Saturday, March 3rd, 2:00 PM

Alejandro Adams & Sara Vizcarrondo are local college film instructors who run the Cinema Club. Hear them speak about the latest Oscar nominated films right before the Oscars air.

Writing Workshops with Magdalena Montagne

Mind Your Metaphors: Poetry Writing

Tuesday, March 6, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

We will examine what it takes to create an effective poem, using metaphor, musicality and originality.

Making Sense of Fiction: Creative Writing

Tuesday, March 13, 5:30 - 7:30 PM

Bring your in-progress work and we'll explore the energy of your writing in plot, action, and dialogue.

Your Story and Why it Counts: Memoir Writing

Saturday, March 24, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

We will understand how to find your voice and use techniques for getting it down on the page.

Decrease Stress, Increase Mindfulness:

Journaling Saturday, March 31, 2:30 - 4:30 PM

Research shows that journal writing can calm you and dissipate stress. Bring a journal with you.

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Winter 2018 Adult Programs Guide

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Monday Morning Book Club

Every 2nd Monday (January 8th) @ 11:00 AM

Library Conference Room

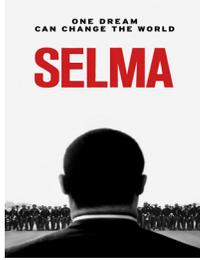
The African by J.M.G. Le Clezio

Film Screening "Selma"

Monday, January 8th @ 5:30 PM

Library Tech Lab

Come enjoy a 2015 film about Dr. Martin Luther King. Bring snacks!



Learn to Read Chinese with Ann Wu

Saturday, January 13th @ 2:00 PM

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Tuesday Evening Book Club

Every 3rd Tuesday (January 16th) @ 6:30 PM

Library Conference Room

A Tale for the Time Being by Ruth Ozeki

On-Going Programs

Poetry Lounge

Every 2nd Sunday @ 1:00 PM

Library Tech Lab

Listen to local poets and bring your own poems to perform. Hosted by Lesa Medley. Featured Poet in January: LG Poet Laureate Stan Garber. Drop-in.

Drop-In Tech Tutoring

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday, @ 1:00 PM

Library Tech Lab

Drop in to get tutored on basic technology. E-book help provided as well. Bring your own device!

February

Monday Morning Book Club

Every 2nd Monday (Feb. 12th) @ 11:00 AM

Library Conference Room

Hillbilly Elegy by J.D. Vance



Paint Night

Tuesday, February 13th @ 6:00 PM

Library Tech Lab

REGISTRATION CLOSED.

Tuesday Evening Book Club

Every 3rd Tuesday (February 20th) @ 6:30 PM

Library Conference Room

Zeitoun by Dave Eggers

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Poetry Circle (Workshop)

Tuesday, February 27th @ 2:30 - 4:30 PM

Library Conference Room

A drop-in poetry-writing workshop with poet-teacher Magdalena Montagne. All are welcome!

On-Going Programs

ESL Conversation Club

Every Tuesday @ 11:00 AM

Teen Room. Drop-In

Practice speaking & listening in English. All are welcome.

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Library Tech Lab

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Monday Morning Book Club

Every 2nd Monday (March 12) @ 11:00 AM

Library Conference Room

The Zookeeper's Wife by Diane Ackerman

Tuesday Evening Book Club

Every 3rd Tuesday, (March 20th) @ 6:30 PM

Library Conference Room

Book TBA

Writing Workshops

Poetry, Fiction, Memoir, and Journaling workshops taught by Magdalena Montagne. Dates and descriptions on flap.

On-Going Programs

Knitting

Every Monday & Tuesday, @ 6:00 PM

Group Study Room

Do you enjoy knitting/quilting, or want to hone your skills? Come join this social group of knitters. Drop-in. All are welcome.

Creative Writers' Group

Every 1st and 3rd Saturday @ 10:30 AM

Library Conference Room

Join a supportive and talented group of writers to share work and give feedback. Drop-in. All levels welcome.

Questions on Adult Programs? Call us at 408-354-6896 or email us at library@losgatosca.gov

Library Closures: Monday, January 15th (Martin Luther King, Jr. Day) and Monday, February 19th (Presidents' Day)