

ANTHONY PIO COSTA MEMORIAL LIBRARY

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PRESS RELEASE

Anthony Pio Costa Memorial Library June 2017 Newsletter
Registration is required for all programs.

BYOD: Bring Your Own Device:

Bring your Smartphone or tablet to the library for individual training. We will show you the basics of the device and answer any questions you have! This training will take place every **Thursday at 10:30am.**

Learn and Play Mah-Jongg

Are you interested in playing Mah Jongg? You're in luck! A resource will be available if patrons have any questions about the game! Mah-Jongg will be held on **Wednesdays from 11:30am-2:30pm.**

Knitting for Beginners

Beginners are welcome to join this class to learn the basics of knitting! Please bring needles and yarn! *Sign up fast because registration is required and space is limited.* The classes will be on: **Tuesday, 7th and 27th at 6:30pm.**

Crocheting Club

Please bring yarn #4 or #5 and hook #F or #G. *Sign up fast because registration is required and space is limited.* The classes will be on: **Monday, 5th and 26th at 6:30pm.**

Senior Book Club

Join us as we discuss *All the Ugly and Wonderful Things* by Bryn Greenwood. The group will meet on **Tuesday, June 13th at 11am.**

Adult Book Club

This month's title is *Fates and Furies* by Lauren Groff. Join us on **Monday, June 19th at 7pm** to discuss the book.

Concert: Barros Duo

"One Fine Tapestry: A Carole King Tribute" by Gerard and Diane Barros
Join Gerard and Diane as they salute the legendary singer/songwriter and cover several of her great solo hits and classics she wrote for other artists, such as the Drifters, Shirelles, Beatles,

Chiffons, James Taylor, Everly Brothers and more! This performance will be held on **Saturday, June 3rd at 2pm.**

Concert: Ken Greves: Great American Song Book

Ken entertains his audience with his clever and fun song pairings of the Great Songbook composers that together, tell fascinating stories!! Some of his repertoire includes: *If You Could See Me Now/Oh! Look at Me Now, When You're Smiling/The Shadow of Your Smile/Smile, Soon It's Gonna Rain/Here's that Rainy Day, Look at That Face/Funny Face*, and so many more! Ken celebrates, inspires and energizes his audiences who always leave wanting to hear more! **Saturday, June 17th at 2pm**

Flower Arrangement

Floral Design Fun is a fun and educational workshop which features floral design principals and color theory. This hands-on workshop will provide what's needed to design simple arrangements at home using supermarket flowers or flowers from your garden. This event will be held on **Wednesday, June 7th at 6:30pm.**

Movies:

Allied.....R

Friday, June 9th at 1pm

Hacksaw Ridge.....R

Friday, June 23rd at 1pm

Slips and Falls

This program will discuss the best ways at preventing a slip and fall from happening through creating a safe home environment and demonstrating balance exercises. Please join the library on **Thursday, June 22nd at 12pm** to learn all about this event!

Alexander Hamilton: Secretary of the Treasury

Today, *Hamilton*, an American Musical is the hottest ticket on Broadway. As America's first Secretary of the Treasury, Alexander Hamilton founded the U.S. financial system. His Federalist plan was quickly opposed by Anti-Federalists Thomas Jefferson and James Madison until a grand compromise was worked out. This program features music from the Broadway production including *The Room Where it Happens* and video from the *Hamilton* musical. This program will be held on **Monday, June 26th at 6:30pm.**

Adult DIY: 4th of July Wreaths

Tuesday, June 27th at 1pm and 7pm

Senior Strength Training

Leena Kalle will be back at the library and will instruct this class on:

Thursday, June 1st & 15th at 11am

Mecca: Headache workshop: June 5th @ 7pm

It's not all in your head and drugs aren't always the answer. Different kinds of headaches come from different sources, so learning how to find the causes of your headaches can help you know how to **prevent** them.

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For Children

Registration is required for ALL programs

Storytimes (no registration required)

Book Babies (6 months to 2 years old) –

Tuesdays at 10:15am

Pre-K Storytime (3 to 5 years old)

Mondays at 1pm

Tuesdays at 2:30pm and the 1st and 3rd Tuesday Night at 7pm

Monday, June 5th at 4pm: Maker Monday: Paint a Story with Miss Valerie

Miss Valerie will read a special story and then help you paint a ceramic figure. She'll bring it to her studio to seal in your beautiful design. Then you can pick up your beautiful creation at the library!

Thursday, June 8th at 6pm: Tween & Teen Scribblers – Sand Bucket List

What will this summer bring? You decide! Create a special “sand bucket list” to plan out your days.

Saturday, June 10th at 11am: Paws for Reading

Our therapy dogs return to listen to your stories. New and improving readers are welcomed to read their favorite books to our pups during this hour-long event. Our furry friends are excited to read with you!

Saturday, June 10th at 1pm: Doughnuts with Dad

Enjoy a special program to celebrate your daddy! He's your hero, your personal comedian, and your pal – now is your chance to thank him for being your father! Enjoy games, crafts, and, of course, doughnuts at this fun-filled event.

Thursday, June 15th at 6pm: Stories from Around the World

Join Miss Jaime on a once-monthly program literary journey throughout our world! Each program will showcase a different culture and include a craft or activity after some stories are read! This month, we'll be traveling to Kenya!

Saturday, June 17th at 1pm: Summer Reading Kickoff with Jester Jim

Come in to sign up for the Summer Reading Program and receive your reading log! Then enjoy a beatboxing, juggling, comedy show with our favorite, Jester Jim!

Monday, June 19th at 3pm: Teen Summer Reading Kickoff

Stop in to sign up for your Summer Reading Program and receive a Book Bingo Log and prize list. Enjoy some fun snacks and games to kick off the program as well.

Wednesday, June 21st at 1pm: Field Station Dinosaurs

Come and meet an actual, factual dinosaur! That's right, a T. Rex will be visiting the library after his wrangler shares music and stories with attendees. Come and maybe even get a photo with this prehistoric creature!

Thursday, June 22nd at 2pm: Mad Science: Building Bridges

How can you build the strongest bridge? Work together with your fellow civil engineers to build and test different bridge designs. Then use what you have learned to create the strongest bridge possible! Children will try to build the strongest bridge by testing different designs while having tons of fun at our Brixology BRIDGES workshop!

Thursday, June 22nd at 6pm: Tween & Teen Book Club

This month's title: Series of Unfortunate Events: The Bad Beginning (Bk #1) by Lemony Snicket

Friday, June 23rd at 2pm: Lego Challenge

Kids entering kindergarten and up are invited to challenge their skills in these weekly Lego challenges! Build bridges, follow detailed directions, and work together to build your best work.

Saturday, June 24th at 1pm: Family Movie – Sing! (PG)

Monday, June 26th at 2pm: Maker Monday – Candy Sushi

Kids 5 and up are invited to try their hands – and taste buds – at sushi making! The twist: we will be using candy and other sweet treats.

Tuesday, June 27th at 1pm: Polka Dot in Concert!

Join Ron “Polka Dot” Albanese, teacher and rock star, as he rocks out to your favorite tunes! Kids, bring those wiggles because he will get you dancing!

Wednesday, June 28th at 2pm: Garden Arts – Rockin’ Rock Gardens

Low maintenance plants of jade, sedums, aloes & other succulents are perfect drought tolerant, water conserving plants. They hold soil in place, & some have medicinal benefits. Pebbles, rocks, natural materials & more fun surprises will complete this easy to care for garden.

Thursday, June 29th at 2pm: Art Kids Academy – Hearts & Art

Kids will create paintings inspired by Jim Dine using love, peace and teamwork as the theme for their design.

Thursday, June 29th at 3:30pm: CPR Training for Teen Babysitters

Teens who are interested in taking babysitting jobs will benefit from this training! JAG Physical Therapy will teach this 3 hour training course that provides each participant with CPR certification. Space is limited!

Friday, June 30th at 2pm: Lego Challenge

Kids entering kindergarten and up are invited to challenge their skills in these weekly Lego challenges! Build bridges, follow detailed directions, and work together to build your best work.