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## September Programs at the Davis Branch Library

(Woodland, CA) –Please join us for the following fall programs during the month of September at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library, located at 315 E. 14th Street in Davis:

- September is Literacy and Library Card Sign-Up Month. Explore new worlds. Come sign up for a card and check out all we have to offer, from books to DVDs to special programs and much more!
- **September 1: Block Party, 2:00 p.m.** Join us for hours of creation, design and play with Lego Blocks. This is a drop-in program. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to stay and play alongside their children. Not recommended for children under 3.
- September 5, 12, 19 & 26: Korean Language and Culture Class, 4:00 p.m. This group is for adults who wish to gain a basic knowledge of Korean language and culture.
- September 8: What is Geocaching?, 2:00 p.m. Calling all adventurers. Learn how to use your mobile device to hide and seek containers at specific locations marked by coordinates. It's the world's largest treasure hunt!
- September 12: Financial Literacy Series: Keys to College Financing, 6:00 p.m. Rising college tuition costs continue to outpace inflation. Through a combination of long-term savings and an understanding of financial-aid opportunities, you will learn how to make continuing education for your children and yourself a reality. Presented by Travis Credit Union.
- September 13: Active Older Adult Wisdom Circle, 10:15 a.m. This group meets monthly to discuss and explore the conscious aging movement. Meet special guest Rebecca Pope who will talk about staying healthy and gaining wisdom with Chinese longevity practices.
- September 13: Teen Advisory Group 4:00 p.m. Are you a book nerd? Need volunteer credit? Get involved at your library! Join us every second Thursday to discuss and develop your ideas for teen programs, special projects, recommendations for the collection, and more. We are looking for enthusiastic book lovers who want to spread their passion. For ages 13-18 and no experience is necessary. Small Conference Room.
- **September 14: Anime After Hours, 5:30 p.m.** Join us in the Blanchard Room for Anime After Hours. We will watch three episodes of the anime of your choice. Free pizza and popcorn while supplies last. Ages 13-18 only.

- September 15 to October 15: Latinx Heritage Month. Learn about the histories, cultures and contributions of Americans whose ancestors came from Spain, Mexico, the Caribbean and Central and South America with our bibliography and display.
- **September 15: Davis Origami Group, 1:00 p.m.** Learn to fold paper into different shapes. First hour is for beginners; open to all ages and abilities.
- **September 16: Yolo County Master Gardeners, 2:00 p.m.** Learn to make the most of your garden. Bring your gardening questions to the Q&A session.
- September 18: Aguas Frescas Series, 7:00 p.m. Come and enjoy our homemade aguas frescas (Spanish for cool waters) while creating a maker-project. September's project is book making.
- **September 19: Chinese Film Series:** *A Tale of Three Cities*, **7:00 p.m.** This is a Chinese-Hong Kong war-romance film based on the real-life story of Jackie Chan's parents, Charles and Lee-Lee Chan. Films are screened in Chinese with English subtitles.
- **September 22: Discover India, 4:00 p.m.** Discover the sights and sounds of India with this new monthly program for school-age children.
- **September 23: Year Round Kitchen Gardening, 2:00 p.m.** This small group explains how to grow and harvest your garden throughout the year. Sponsored by Master Gardeners.
- **September 23–28: Banned Books Week:** Banning books silences stories. Read a banned book and come learn about banned books week with our book display.
- September 23–28: Banned to the Big Screen, 7:00 p.m. Nightly films of movie adaptations of banned books.
- **September 24: Teen Readers Book Club: Campus Fiction, 4:00 p.m.** Find your reading tribe with this exciting new group. Read any book of campus fiction to share. Discuss favorite past reads, favorite characters, best authors, and more. Discover and swap recommendations (or books) to read for our next afternoon talk. Ages 13-18. Small Conference Room.
- September 27: Tuleyome Lecture Series: Noninvasive Wildlife Survey Methods, 6:00 p.m. Join Rahel Sollmann and learn about her work in field studies and noninvasive wildlife survey methods. Wonder what goes into all those studies scientists and volunteers do out in the wild? Here's your chance to find out.
- September 27: Davis Library Book Group, 7:00 p.m. Join us as we discuss *The Distance Between Us* by Reyna Grande.
- September 29: Maker Kids: Codex Making, 2:30 p.m. Sol Collective is back! Join us to learn about codices created by Mesoamerican civilizations like Mexica, Maya, and Mixtec. Acquire the skills to make and create your own codex during this workshop. Children's Activity Room.

• **September 30: Family Movie, 2:00 p.m.** All children and their families are invited to view a family friendly movie (G or PG) and enjoy popcorn at the library. For movie title call (530) 757-5596. This popular event is held on the last Sunday of each month.

The following ongoing programs continue in September:

- "The Spot" Afterschool Club: Mondays, Tuesdays Thursdays, and Fridays at 3:00 p.m.; Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m. (Blanchard Room). For children in 3<sup>rd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grades. Must submit a signed liability waiver to participate. The Spot resumes September 4.
- **NEW! 3D Printing:** Print three-dimensional objects on the Library's printer. Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Thursdays 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.; Saturdays 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Three-hour slots are by appointment only but may be booked back-to-back for larger files.
- Computer Help: Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m., Thursdays at 1:00 p.m. and Fridays at 3:30 p.m.
- **English Conversation Groups:** Mondays at 2:00 p.m., Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m., Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m., Thursdays at 1:30 p.m., and Fridays at 2:00 p.m.
- One Stop Career Center: Tuesday through Friday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- Mother Goose on the Loose: Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. For children ages 2-3.
- **Hug-a-Bye Baby:** Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m. For children ages 0-2. Now in the Blanchard Room.
- **Library Book Club:** Third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Books are distributed at the meeting. Formerly held at South Davis Montgomery.
- **Spanish Conversation Group:** Thursdays at 6:00 p.m. in the Children's Activity Room.
- Active Older Adult Wisdom Circle: Second Thursday of the month at 10:15 a.m. Discuss and explore the conscious aging movement.
- Hora de Cuentos/Bilingual Story Time: Fridays at 10:30 a.m. All ages. Sponsored by First 5 Yolo.
- **Tales for Tails:** Fridays at 3:00 p.m. For children ages 4-12.
- Family Fun Time: Saturdays at 11:15 a.m. All ages.
- 故事时间 Chinese Story Time: Sundays at 3:00 p.m. For children ages 0-5. Sponsored by First 5 Yolo.

The following programs will be held during the month of September at the South Davis Montgomery Library, located at 1441 Danbury Street in Davis:

- Hora de Cuentos/Bilingual Story Time: Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. All ages. Sponsored by First 5 Yolo.
- **September 8: Block Party, 11:00 a.m.** Join us for hours of creation, design, and play with Lego Blocks. This is a drop-in program. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to stay and play alongside their children. Not recommended for children under 3.
- September 15: Video Game Weekend, 11:00 a.m. Do you have what it takes to be the ultimate gaming champion? Challenge your friends to an epic player versus player battle or join the tournament to see who will reign supreme.

**NOTICE:** All Yolo County Library branches will be closed September 3 for Labor Day.

All programs are free to attend and, unless otherwise stated, no registration is required. Programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Davis Public Library. For more information about events at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library, contact library staff at (530) 757-5593 or visit the Yolo County Library at: <a href="www.yolocounty.org">www.yolocounty.org</a> (see calendar for Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library-specific events). Connect with the Yolo County Library on Facebook at: <a href="www.facebook.com/yolocountylibrary.org">www.facebook.com/yolocountylibrary.org</a>.