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March Programs at the Davis Branch Library

(**Woodland, CA**) – Celebrate spring with the following programs held during the month of March at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library, located at 315 E. 14th Street in Davis:

- March is Women's History Month! The theme for 2019 is "Visionary Women: Champions of Peace & Nonviolence." Join us in honoring women who have led efforts to end war, violence, and injustice and pioneered the use of nonviolence to change society. Check out our Women's History book display and bibliography.
- March 1: Anime After Hours (Blanchard Room), 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.
- March 2 through April 13: In-N-Out Burger's "Cover to Cover" Reading Program. Children (ages 4-12) are eligible to participate in this fun reading challenge and receive a free In-N-Out coupon. For additional details visit the library or call (530) 757-5593.
- March 2, 9 & 16: FREE Income Tax Return Help (Teen Room), 10:00 a.m. Get help in preparing your 2018 Income Tax Return at the library. This free service, provided for families and individuals earning \$54,000 or less, is offered every Saturday (except March 23 & 30) through April 6 by the UC Davis VITA group. Please bring a state-issued ID, a copy of your social security card and any relevant documents to file your taxes. Note: walk-ins will not be accepted after 12:00 p.m.
- March 2: Block Party! (Children's Activity Room), 2:00 p.m. Join us for hours of 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.
- March 2: Planned Parenthood Presents: STI Prevention and Services Information (Blanchard Room), 2:00 p.m. STIs: Learn what they are, how they are spread, and how common they are. Review testing, treatment, and prevention options.
- March 3: Raising Inclusive Children in a Multicultural World (Blanchard Room & Children's Room), 3:00 p.m. Learn how to talk to your kids about race and issues of inequity. Includes storytime and activities for children centering on inclusivity, cultural sensitivity, and kids of color. Books will be available for purchase by Multiculturalism Rocks!, a pop-up bookstore. There will be a variety of recommended titles to borrow as well. The event is free, but space is limited and registration is

recommended. Register at <u>bit.ly/inclusivechildren</u>. Check with staff for room location of a specific activity.

- March 4, 11, 18 & 25: Korean Language and Culture Class (Small Conference Room), 5:30 p.m. This group is for adults who wish to gain a basic knowledge of Korean language and culture. NOTE: March 11 class starts at 5:00 p.m.
- March 14: Active Older Adult Wisdom Circle (Blanchard Room), 10:15 a.m. This group meets monthly to discuss and explore the conscious aging movement.
- March 14: Teen Library Advisory Board (Small Conference Room) 4:00 p.m. Are you a book nerd? Need volunteer credit? Get involved at your library! Join us every second Thursday of the month 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.
- March 16: Davis Origami Group (Blanchard Room), 1:00 p.m. Learn to fold paper into different shapes. First hour is for beginners; open to all ages and abilities.
- March 17: Yolo County Master Gardeners (Small Conference Room), 2:00 p.m. Learn to make the most of your garden. Bring your gardening questions to the Q&A session.
- March 19: Aguas Frescas Series (Blanchard Room), 7:00 p.m. Come and enjoy our homemade aguas frescas (Spanish for cool waters) while creating a maker-project. Our March project invites you to "Color & Chill" (adult coloring pages).
- March 23: Maker Kids (Blanchard Room), 2:30 p.m. Get creative, make something interesting and learn something new during Maker Kids. Each month explore a different topic in science, technology, engineering, art or math. For kids ages 8-12.
- March 23: Saturday Evening Anime After Hours (Blanchard Room), 5:30 p.m. Can't get enough Anime? Come on back a second time this month to enjoy a Saturday feature of 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.
- March 24: Year Round Kitchen Gardening (Small Conference Room), 2:00 p.m. This small group explains how to grow and harvest your garden throughout the year. Sponsored by Master Gardeners.
- March 27: Financial Literacy Series: Psychology of Spending (Blanchard Room), 6:00 p.m. Psychologists have found that there are several forces that govern our consumer behavior and cause us to make decisions that are not necessarily rational or in our best interest. However, understanding why we buy what we buy can help us make better decisions in the future. Presented by Travis Credit Union.
- March 28: Tuleyome Lecture Series: Wildfire to Wildflowers (Blanchard Room), 6:00 p.m. Join
 nature illustrator Robin Carlson to learn more about field sketching in Stebbins Cold Canyon after the
 Wragg fire.

- March 28: Davis Library Book Group (Small Conference Room), 7:00 p.m. Join us as we discuss *Away* by Amy Bloom.
- March 30: Celebrating Women's Health. Join us for a special and informative day. Events will include: an iPhone class (10:00 a.m. in the Blanchard Room); free hearing screenings (12:00 p.m. in the Small Conference Room); a nutrition talk (2:00 p.m. in the Blanchard Room), and a Women's Health and Chinese Medicine class taught by Rebecca Pope (1:00 p.m. in the Small Conference Room). Adults only please.
- March 31: Family Movie (Blanchard Room), 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 March:

- Computer Help: Mondays at 1:00 p.m., 3:30 p.m., and 5:00 p.m.; Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m.; Wednesdays at 2:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.; Thursdays at 3:30 p.m.; Fridays at 3:30 p.m.; and Saturdays at 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.
- "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 3rd through 6th grades. Must submit a signed liability waiver to participate.
- **Davis Youth Literacy:** Mondays at 3:45 p.m. Drop-in English writing and grammar homework help for school-aged children. Questions? Contact davisyouthliteracy@gmail.com or (530) 750-9139.
- 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.
- **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.
- Mother Goose on the Loose: Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. For children ages 2-3.
- One Stop Career Center: Tuesday through Friday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- **Homework Help Center:** Free one-on-one homework help in English, social studies, math and sciences for elementary, middle, and high school courses. Volunteers provided by Davis High School and UC Davis Pediatric Education, Advocacy and Development Society (PEADS). Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Children's Activity Room. For youth ages 5-18.
- **Hug-a-Bye Baby:** Wednesdays at 10:15 a.m. in the Blanchard Room. For children ages 0-2.
- **Library Book Club:** Third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Small Conference Room. 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.
- **Davis Library Book Group:** Fourth Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.
- 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.
- **Discover India:** Fourth Saturday of the month at 4:00 p.m. NOTE: No meeting in March.
- Yolo County Master Gardeners: Third Sunday of the month at 2:00 p.m.
- 故事时间 Chinese Story Time: Sundays at 3:00 p.m. For children ages 0-5.

The following programs will be held during the month of March 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.
- March 2: Women's History Month Crafts, 11:00 a.m. Celebrate Women's History Month with us by writing a letter to an important woman in your life or by decorating an empowering poster.
- March 9: 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.
- March 26: Craft-er-Nite, 7:00 p.m. Take inspiration from Pinterest and YouTube in this hands-on program for adults. Learn a new craft or share your own expertise. We will lead participants in a new project each session. This program meets monthly on the last Tuesday of the month. March's project is crochet granny squares to be led by our guest crafter.

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: www.yolocountylibrary.org (see Events calendar for Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library-specific events). Connect with the Yolo County Library on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/yolocountylibrary.org.

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