

# CUPERTINO LIBRARY

MONTHLY REPORT – JUNE 2018

Our Cupertino Library monthly report highlights the diverse collections, programs, and outreach our staff provide to our Cupertino community. For more information, please contact me at 408.446.1677 or at [cvaresio@sccl.org](mailto:cvaresio@sccl.org). – Clare Varesio, Community Librarian

## DID YOU KNOW?



Cupertino Library is pleased to recognize our two winners in **Santa Clara County Library District's 2018 Teen Poetry Contest** - Anusikha Halder and Grace Wong. The contest, which began in 2007, has recognized middle school and high school teen poetry at each library within the Santa Clara County Library District. All of the winners are recognized with their poetry being published online, a physical book of poetry featuring the year's winners, and a \$50 check, sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library. Each winner is also sponsored in the national level

VOYA Teen Poetry Contest. Winning entries can be read at <https://www.sccl.org/Teens/Contests/Teen-Poetry-Contest-Winners/2018-Teen-Poetry-Contest-Winners>.

## MAY 2018 CIRCULATION STATISTICS

	2018	2017
NEW PATRONS	663	516
VISITORS	73,981	70,152
ADULT & TEEN CIRCULATION	79,583	77,904
CHILDREN'S CIRCULATION	112,827	110,926
OVERDRIVE EBOOK CIRCULATION	5,851	4,283
<b>TOTAL CIRCULATION</b>	<b>192,410</b>	<b>188,830</b>

## LIBRARY NEWS



Cupertino Library offered an additional 27.5 hours of service to our community during the month of June, part of our library's **hours expansion** which began on June 1. Over these new hours in June, **4,554 patrons** visited the library,

Cupertino Library also began **passport service** in April, and over the three months of service, **502 passport applications** have been taken from our office.

Comments from applicants include, "Efficient, organized, and friendly", "Customer service was great" and "Awesome experience! Would recommend to all friends and family".

Thank you to our amazing library staff who help make these services possible!

## JUNE 2018 PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

	2018	2017
ADULT PROGRAMS	12	11
TEEN PROGRAMS	5	3
PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS	13	17
SCHOOL AGE PROGRAMS	21	19
<b>TOTAL LIBRARY PROGRAMS</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>50</b>
ADULT PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	452	473
TEEN PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	130	238
PRESCHOOL PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	1,040	1,444
SCHOOL AGE PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	1,536	713
<b>TOTAL PROGRAM ATTENDANCE</b>	<b>3,158</b>	<b>2,868</b>

## JUNE 9 EXPANDED HOURS CELEBRATION



We celebrated **Cupertino Library's new expanded hours** with three events on Saturday, June 9. **Python Ron's Reptile Kingdom**, sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library, delighted a crowd of over 200 with lizards, snakes and more. The **Michele Pollace Jazz Trio**, also sponsored by the Friends, graced the courtyard with their blend of Afro-Caribbean music. Storytelling group **Eth-No-Tec** brought tales of south-east Asia to life for over 80 attendees. A recording of this program, sponsored by Cupertino Library Foundation, is available at <https://youtu.be/cGo48MtVDgA>.

## ADULT & TEEN PROGRAMS



Our first adult summer reading program, **Amazon Jungle Treasures**, featured the photography of Joan Sparks. Ms. Sparks spoke to 25 attendees about her travels in Brazil and the amazing variety of wildlife to be found in the Amazon River region.

The major teen event in June was the **Teen Entrepreneur** workshop, presented by local teen group IDEA – Innovative Development by Entrepreneurs Association. A “Shark Tank”

presentation and competition ended the series. Congratulations to team Fashion Dimension for their Fashion 3D idea, an app that enables users to determine the right fit and right clothes for the user's body.

## CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



Our series of Children's Summer Reading programs kicked off with **Opera San Jose** performers answering the question, “What is Opera?” Next up was the **Great Jonathan**, magician extraordinaire who delighted a capacity crowd with his deft slight-of-hand tricks. Our third program was an interactive world music celebration by **Bonnie Lockhart**. 678 attendees enjoyed these performances, generously sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

## JUNE 2018 LIBRARY OUTREACH

	2018	2017
OUTREACH EVENTS	9	10
OUTREACH ATTENDANCE	187	512
TOTAL VOLUNTEER HOURS	714	899

This month's **Senior Center** outreach included classes on using **Freegal** and **Discover & Go**.

**UPCOMING JULY 2018 PROGRAMS**

*We thank the Friends of the Cupertino Library and the Cupertino Library Foundation for their generous support of our library programs! To view all upcoming events, visit <https://www.sccl.org/Locations/Cupertino>.*

FRIDAY, June 1 to TUESDAY, July 31 – Summer Reading 2018 Registration – Sign up today!

THURSDAYS, July 5, 12, 19, 26, 10:30 am, Library Courtyard – Children's Garden Open Hours

SATURDAY, July 7, 2:00 pm, Library Story Room - Teen Activism & Bystander Intervention Training Workshop \*

WEDNESDAY, July 11, 3:00 pm, Library Story Room – Teen Paint Program \*

THURSDAY, July 12, 3:00 pm, Community Hall – Circus of Smiles

THURSDAY, July 12, 7:00 pm, Library Story Room – Children's Literature for Adults Book Club Reads *Harriet the Spy*

SATURDAY, July 14, 12:00 pm, Library Courtyard – Courtyard Concerts Featuring Guitarist John Lester

MONDAY, July 16, 7:00 pm, Library Story Room – Treasured Lands with Author / Photographer QT Luong

WEDNESDAY, July 18, 3:00 pm, Community Hall – Comedy Sportz

THURSDAY, July 19, 7:00 pm, Library Story Room – Adult Book Discussion Reads *Testimony* by Anita Shreve

SATURDAY, July 21, 2:00 pm, Community Hall – Adventures in Space: History of the Space Program

WEDNESDAY, July 25, 3:00 pm, Community Hall – The Puppet Co.

THURSDAY, July 26, 2:00 pm, Library Story Room – Shrinky Dinks for Teens \*

SATURDAY, July 28, 12:00 pm, Library Courtyard – Courtyard Concerts Featuring Dave Rocha Jazz Trio

\* Registration required.

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