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Update on the Library
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Library Commission Progress Report

November 3, 2021

Library Expansion Project



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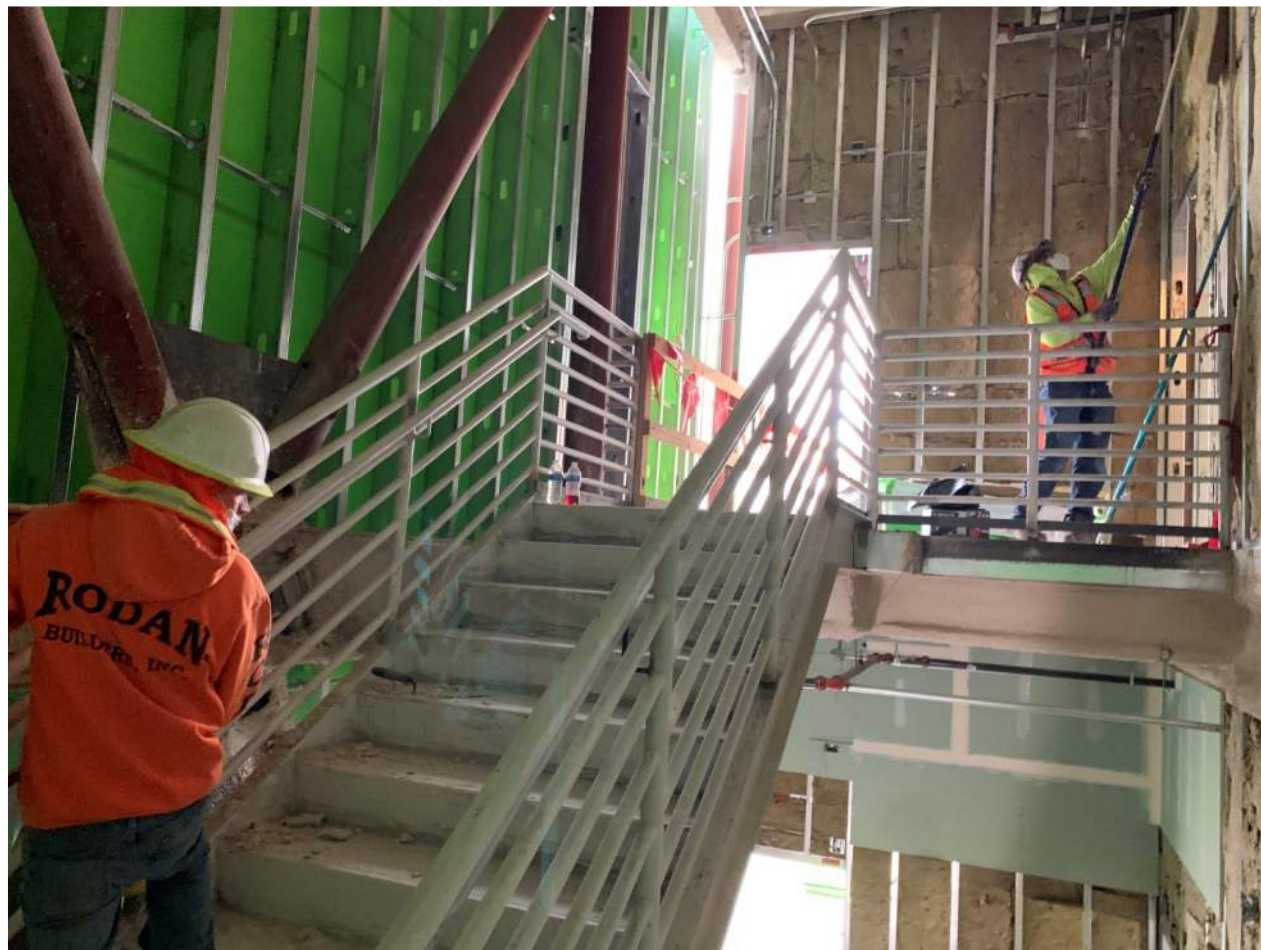
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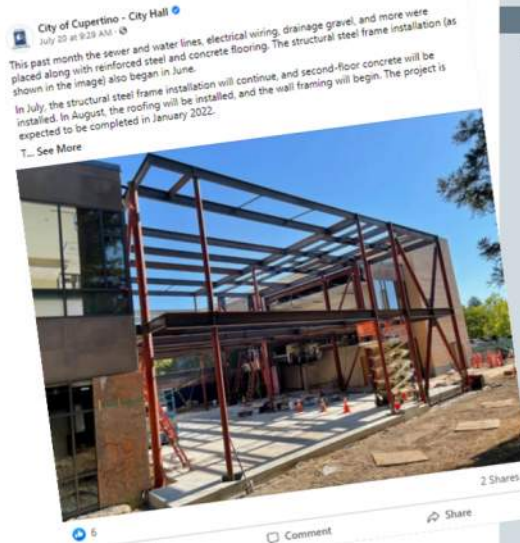
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LIBRARY EXPANSION PROJECT

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On November 19, 2019, the City Council unanimously approved the project with \$8 million in funding. This is an exciting addition that will enhance the library's ability to meet the current and future needs of Cupertino residents.

The Cupertino Library has enjoyed a level of success unmatched by any library in the Santa Clara County Library District system. More than 904,000 people visited the Cupertino Library between July 2018 and June 2019. That number is expected to increase to nearly a million visitors in the coming years.

The existing one-story, southern portion of the building will be demolished and a 5,600-square-foot, two-story addition will be constructed and connected to the existing library. The first and second floors have large multi-purpose rooms that will be used for library programs for all ages, spill-over study spaces, and other community uses.

The much needed new space will allow the library to fulfill its mission of encouraging life-long learning and self-improvement. The expanded library will connect the beloved Memorial Grove to a new courtyard, and physically establish a center for the library.

For more details on the project, review the project [fact sheet](#).

The Cupertino Library Foundation is accepting donations at <https://thecupertinolibraryexpansion.com/>

Livestream of the Project Site

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Project Description

Project Schedule

Project Updates

August 2, 2021

If the flags look a little like party streamers, it's because the City celebrated a milestone this month as part of the Cupertino Library Expansion. The installation of the structural steel frame was completed and concrete was poured in the second floor. This month, the City will begin framing the interior walls and installing the infrastructure for plumbing and electrical systems.

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To sign up to receive updates, please enter your email address below.

BY

\$8 million funding by the City

5,600 square feet

One floor

One floor

One floor

One floor

Public Outreach event dates

- Site Tour #1: September 16th
w/ Hon. Ro Khanna & Mayor Darcy Paul
- **Site Tour #2:** to be published in mid-November
- **Site Tour #3:** mid-December (TBD)
- **Ribbon-Cutting and Q&A/Forum event:**
end of February
- Monthly Social Media updates
- Monthly Website updates

Thank You



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Monthly Update Reports

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LIBRARY COMMISSION UPDATE – NOVEMBER 2021



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November brings us cooler fall weather and added service hours at our library! Please stop by Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, when Cupertino Library will be open until 9:00 pm. We hope to add more library services soon.

- Clare Varesio, Community Librarian



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LEARN ABOUT YOUR LIBRARY:

YOUR LIBRARY CARD

Ever since we had arrived in the United States, my classmates kept asking me about magic carpets. "They don't exist," I always said. I was wrong. Magic carpets do exist. But they are called library cards.

— Author Firoozeh Dumas



Bookmobile	Gilroy	Morgan Hill
Campbell	Los Altos	Saratoga
Cupertino	Milpitas	Woodland

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LEARN ABOUT YOUR LIBRARY:

YOUR LIBRARY CARD

A Library Card...

- Is free!
- Lets you borrow books, movies, music, magazines and more
- Provides you with free access to the Online Library, available 24/7 through the library's website
- Is available to all ages



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LEARN ABOUT YOUR LIBRARY:

YOUR LIBRARY CARD

In FY 20/21, Cupertino Library patrons' library cards provided them with over **\$30 million** worth of value!

Sign up for a library card today at:

scclid.org/card/



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LIBRARY HIGHLIGHT

COMMUNITY OUTREACH



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CELEBRATING
DIWALI



Thank you to the Friends of the Cupertino Library for sponsoring our Diwali rangoli!

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STATS &
NUMBERS

OCTOBER



86,581 ITEMS
CHECKED OUT



5,657 NEW
STUDENT
CARDS



468 GO GO
BIBLIO VISITORS



27,514
VISITORS TO
THE LIBRARY



13,612 WI-FI
HOURS USED

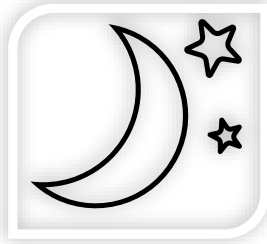


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MONSTERS AND
CARROTS IN OUR
CHILDREN'S
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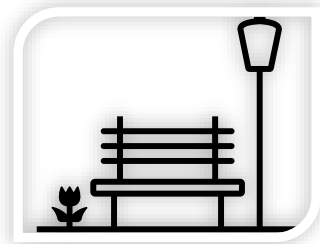
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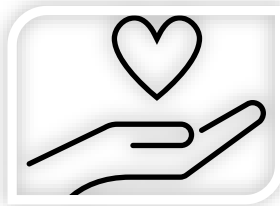
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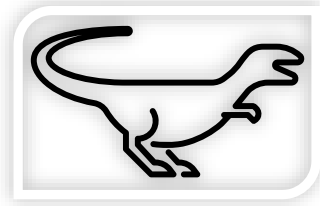
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Caregiving Events



Celebrate Dinovember



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UPDATE - NOVEMBER 2021

CUPERTINO LIBRARY



EVENING HOURS EXPANSION



Starting the week of November 1, Cupertino Library will add evening service hours. Please stop by Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, when Cupertino Library will be open until 9:00 pm. Learn more at scclcd.org/informed.

POP OVER TO A PARK



Cupertino Library's Go Go Biblio will make stops at city parks this fall! Check out where you can meet the library on our [Facebook page](#), and don't forget to bring your library card when stopping by to check out books, movies and more.

LIBRARY LENDING



In October, 11,896 patrons borrowed items from Cupertino Library, making up 24% of total borrowers for SCCLD. We hope to see our patrons at the library this November to check out all we have to offer!

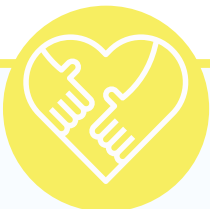
MEDITATION MATTERS

Find calm this fall with [Headspace](#), available for free with your library card. Thank you to the [Cupertino Library Foundation](#) for your support to purchase additional Headspace accounts for SCCLD patrons! [Enroll now](#) on our website.



CAREGIVER COURSES

November is National Family Caregivers Month. Join us online for two programs, [Caregiving 101](#) and [How to Speak with Your Doctor](#), presented by a Family Consultant. [Register](#) for these events, held on November 15 and November 22.



DISCOVER DINOVEMBER

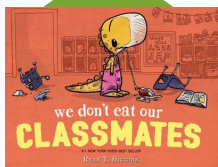
Celebrate "Dinovember" in our Cupertino Library Children's Room with fun activities each week! Stop by our Children's Desk to pick up dinosaur activity sheets, learn dinosaur lingo, create a dinosaur story, and go on a dinosaur scavenger hunt.



STAFF PICKS - NOVEMBER 2021

SPOTLIGHT ON FOOD

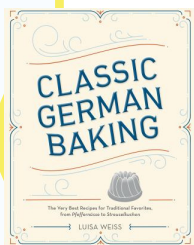
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LIBRARIAN ELIZABETH RECOMMENDS...

We Don't Eat Our Classmates by Ryan T. Higgins - A hilarious picture book about a hungry t-rex who is having a little trouble keeping her friends at school. Sometimes we need a little reminder of some proper manners to make sure we all stay friends. For young readers; also available as an eBook.

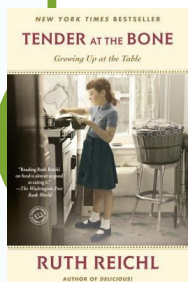
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LIBRARY ASSISTANT MELISSA RECOMMENDS...

Classic German Baking: The Very Best Recipes for Traditional Favorites, From Pfeffernüsse to Streuselkuchen by Luisa Weiss - Full of good cookie and bread recipes that would be perfect for holiday baking. My favorite recipe is for Rosinenzopf, a braided loaf of raisin bread that is great for breakfast toast, easy to make and has never let me down.

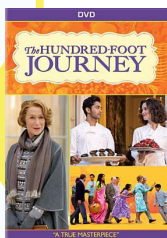
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SUPERVISING LIBRARIAN ROSLYN RECOMMENDS...

Tender at the Bone: Growing Up at the Table by Ruth Reichl - A restaurant critic for the New York Times and editor-in-chief of Gourmet magazine, Reichl witnessed the cooking revolutions of the 70s and 80s and writes about all of it with verve and passion. Start reading it today and you'll discover a fascinating person whose stories will make you want to start cooking right away. For adult readers.

<https://sccl.bibliocommons.com/item/show/63182118>



LIBRARIAN JENNY RECOMMENDS...

The Hundred-foot Journey - A culinary prodigy opens a restaurant across the street from a traditional French restaurant owned by an uptight proprietor. A bitter feud quickly escalates, and the only hope for a peaceful resolution comes from a surprising idea. To find out what the surprise is, check out the DVD from the library.

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Use your library card for access to our entire online library, available 24/7, including eBooks, audiobooks, downloadable movies, music, magazines, newspapers, international content, online learning, research and more.

Don't have a library card? Visit Cupertino Library or sign up for an eCard online at scclld.org/card-application/.

November 2021
Library Stakeholder Report
Jennifer Weeks, County Librarian

Evening Hours Starting November 1

We are happy to announce we will offering evening hours starting November 1.

These changes will help working adults, families and students by increasing access in our communities. All of our libraries are open to browse the full collection, use public computers and printers, reserve an available meeting room, and utilize library resources and services.



Open Hours as of November 1:

Campbell Express Library (No change) Monday – Thursday, 10am – 9pm Friday, Saturday, 10am – 6pm	Milpitas Library Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Saturday, 10am – 6pm Wednesday, Thursday, 10am – 9pm
Cupertino Library Monday, Friday, Saturday, 10am – 6pm Tuesday --Thursday, 10am – 9pm	Morgan Hill Library Monday, 1pm – 6pm Tuesday, Wednesday, 12pm – 9pm Thursday – Saturday, 10am – 6pm
Gilroy Library Monday – Wednesday, 1pm – 9pm Thursday – Saturday, 10am – 6pm	Saratoga Library Monday, Tuesday, 10am – 9pm Wednesday -- Saturday, 10am – 6pm
Los Altos Monday, Thursday -- Saturday, 10am – 6pm Tuesday, Wednesday, 10am – 9pm	Woodland Library Monday – Wednesday, 1pm – 6pm Thursday – Saturday, 11am – 5pm

Patrons can place a hold online and pick up their materials at any of our libraries. [Programs for all ages](#) are available Monday-Saturday. We are offering Homework Help for K-12 students who live within our library district through mid-December. Our [online library](#) is available 24/7. And, for those who do not have a library card with us, you can [apply online for an eCard](#), or come see us at any of our libraries to apply for a full-use card.

We look forward to seeing you at the library!

Celebrate Diwali in November

Diwali, also known as the Festival of Lights, starts on Thursday, Nov. 4.

This holiday is celebrated in parts of India as well as in Hindu communities worldwide. People decorate their homes with lights and Hindu temples with small earthenware oil lamps. They also exchange gifts, including sweets and greeting cards. Special offerings are made to the goddess Lakshmi, who is believed to bring happiness.

Visit our website and place a hold on one of the many [children's books](#) we have about Diwali. Also check out our free online resource, [CultureGrams](#), where you can find international geographic information about 200+ countries in the world.

In addition, a beautiful rangoli sand artwork was created on October 30 at the Cupertino Library courtyard. A time-lapse video will be captured and shared on the [SCCLD YouTube channel](#) later in November for all to enjoy as this masterpiece is in progress.



National Novel Writing Month

November marks [National Novel Writing Month](#).

This campaign started in 1999 as a challenge: write 50,000 words of a novel in 30 days. It has since grown worldwide, with thousands of people determined to write every day.

The library has resources that can help you. Check out this [helpful list](#) for aspiring novelists. Then join us on Saturday, November 6 for a virtual event. Flash Fiction: Writing the Shortest Stories can help you write a story under 1,000 words. Register [here](#).

Homework Help with SCCLD

Local schools are back in session and as many students struggle after almost a year and a half of distance and/or hybrid learning, SCCLD is ready to help our local students be successful this school year.



SCCLD is offering Homework Help in partnership with Bay Area Tutoring Association (BATA). The current session runs through mid-December. Virtual homework pods are available for grades K-6.

For 7th-12th grades, we are offering in-person homework help with a maximum of 24 participants. Masks are required, and students are welcome to join at any time during the session to receive assistance.

Bay Area Tutoring Association academic coach to student ratio is a maximum of 1:8. All participants must live within the Santa Clara County Library District.

VIRTUAL

Grades K-6th

THROUGH DECEMBER 17

Monday/Wednesday 3:30 pm to 5:00 pm

Tuesday/Thursday 3:30 pm to 5:00 pm

Registration Required:

[Eventbrite.com/e/165336210055](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/165336210055)

IN-PERSON – No Registration Required

Grades 7th-12th: Milpitas Library

THROUGH DECEMBER 17

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Events and Programs at the Library

November is full of fun and informative programs for all ages. Great news, many of these programs are in-person ([in blue](#)). Here are some of the highlights for November but a more complete list of virtual and in-person events is attached to the November report.

Outdoor Family Storytime with Los Altos Library

Tuesdays, November 2 & 9, 10:15 – 10:45 a.m. (presented in English)

Tuesdays, November 2 & 9, 11 – 11:30 a.m. (presented in Mandarin)

We are partnering up with the Los Altos History Museum to offer outdoor storytimes. Find us at the back of the museum by the benches and windmill. Please bring your own blanket, cushion or low folding chair to sit on the ground.

Online ESL Conversation Club

Tuesdays, November 2, 9, 16, 1 – 2 pm (Register for Zoom link)

Wednesdays, November 3, 10, 17 & 24, 6 – 7:15 pm (Register for Zoom link)

Thursdays, November 4, & 18, 11 am – 12:15 pm (Register for Zoom link)

Practice your English listening and speaking skills in a virtual platform. Meet new friends and learn English together.

Family Fun Fridays at Morgan Hill Library

Fridays, November 5, 12, & 19, 10:30 – 11 a.m. (weather permitting)

Join us on the lawn for family fun with your little ones. We will have stories, music, movement and more!

Ask a Dietitian: Diet for Diabetes Prevention

Friday, November 5, 10 – 10:45 a.m. (presented in Mandarin) Friday,

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Children's Program: Dot Art at Gilroy Library

Saturday, November 27, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Join us in the courtyard to make dot art on eucalyptus bark. Explore making shapes or patterns using contrasting colors.



SANTA CLARA COUNTY LIBRARY

DISTRICT NOVEMBER 2021 EVENTS

Events listed in blue are in-person events

****All libraries will be closed and services unavailable on Thursday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day and Thursday & Friday, November 25 & 26 for Thanksgiving****

Free In-Person Homework Help at Los Altos, Milpitas, and Gilroy Libraries

Mondays-Thursdays, 3:30 -- 5 p.m.

Free homework help for students in grades 7-12 living in Santa Clara County. Get help in math, history, science and English. Register to guarantee your spot. Walk-ins are welcome as space allows.

Snack Break at Morgan Hill Library

Mondays-Thursdays, 3 – 4 p.m.

Kids 18 and under are invited to stop by the library for a snack.

Snack Break at Gilroy Library

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Visit the children's area near the Nest room to grab a snack.

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Kid's Art Club

Tuesday, November 2, 4 – 5 pm

It's Dino-vember! Grab some watercolors, salt, thick watercolor paper and some [dinosaur templates](#) and join us on Facebook or YouTube.

Safe Space Meeting for LGBTQ+ Youth at Morgan Hill Library

Tuesdays, November 2 & 16, 4 – 6 p.m.

Join us for in-person support group meetings that provide a safe space for LGBTQ+ youth (ages 13-25) to play games, participate in group activities and discussions, and build community. No registration necessary.

Knitting and Crochet Meetup at Gilroy Library

Thursdays, November 4 & 18, 1 – 4 p.m.

Stop by for a drop-in knitting and crochet circle where you can bring your projects, ask questions, receive help share ideas and meet new people. The meetup will be upstairs in Quiet Study B.

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Diversión Familiar Fiesta at Morgan Hill Library

Saturdays, November 6, 13, 20, & 27, 10:30 – 11 a.m. (weather permitting)

¡Únase a nosotros en el césped para divertirse en familia con sus pequeños! ¡Cuentos, música, movimiento y más!

Proposition 19 Going Forward

Saturday, November 6, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Learn about Proposition 19 and how to mitigate a negative impact as you plan your finance and estate.



Make Slime at Gilroy Library

Saturday, November 6, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Meet us in the courtyard to make ooey, gooey, stretchy slime! In case of rain, you'll be provided with a different take-home craft activity.

Flash Fiction: Writing the Shortest Stories

Saturday, November 6, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

This workshop will teach writers of all levels how to get started writing stories under 1,000 words.

Creating Writing with the Reading Program

Saturday, November 6, 1 – 2:30 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Learn about National Novel Writing Month, learn about resources that will help write a creative story and discuss some important elements of storytelling. Parents and children in Grade 3+ are encouraged to attend.

Decorate a Fall Wreath at Gilroy Library

Saturday, November 6, 2 – 3:30 p.m.

We invite teens and adults to stop by the Gilroy Library and decorate a fall wreath. All supplies will be provided.

Virtual Film Discussion

Saturday, November 6, 6 – 7 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

We will be discussing the film, California Typewriter: A Love Letter to a Dying Technology. Watch the film using our free video streaming service, [Kanopy](#), then join us for discussion.

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Join us for in-person support group meetings that provide a safe space for LGBTQ+ youth (ages 13-25) to play games, participate in group activities and discussions and build community. No registration necessary.

Online Bookshare

Tuesday, November 9, 7 – 8 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Join us for our monthly bookshare. Let us know what you are reading and get recommendations from other genres.

Live Outdoor Concert with Los Altos Library

Saturday, November 13, 11 – 11:45 p.m.

Join us at the Hillview Soccer Field for a live outdoor concert with singer/songwriter Sean Mendelson. Bring a blanket or low chairs to sit on.



Master Gardeners at Morgan Hill Library

Saturday, November 13, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Now is the time to think about areas to plant California wildflowers. Learn about the beauty and benefits they provide to your garden. The event will be held in the patio.

Farm to Forks: Fall Cooking

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Virtual Travel Program: Pacific Coast Road Trip

Tuesday, November 16, 7:15 – 8:30 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Take a virtual and very scenic drive up the Pacific Coast along Highway 101 from the Bay Area to Washington State.

Ergonomics and Injury Prevention at Los Altos Library

Wednesday, November 17, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Learn how simple changes to your lifestyle can save you hours of pain and suffering.



Teatime Book Chatter at Saratoga Library

Thursday, November 18, 1 – 2 p.m.

We will be reading *Apples Never Fall* by Liane Moriarty. Sign up at the Adult Reference Desk. The meeting will take place in the Community Room.

The Discovery of a Masterpiece

Thursday, November 18, 6 – 7 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Mallory Mortillaro serves as the Curator of Collections for the Hartley Dodge Foundation in New Jersey. While cataloging the artwork housed inside of the memorial, she uncovered a masterpiece that had been lost to the art world since the 1930s. Hear her story in this special event.

Book Discussion Group

Thursday, November 18, 7 – 8:30 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

We will be reading and discussing *Song of Solomon* by Toni Morrison.

Virtual Film Discussion

Saturday, November 20, 6 – 7 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

We will be discussing the film, *Jiro Dreams of Sushi*. Watch the film using our free video streaming service, [Kanopy](#), then join us for discussion.

Caregiver Workshop II

Monday, November 22, 2 – 3 p.m. (Register for Zoom link)

Part 2 of this workshop will teach you how to identify and use more effective communication techniques with health care professionals in order to be a better advocate on behalf of your loved one.

Children's Program: Dot Art at Gilroy Library

Saturday, November 27, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Join us in the courtyard to make dot art on eucalyptus bark. Explore making shapes or patterns using contrasting colors.