December 2023

Camarillo PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Hours Mon. - Thurs. 10 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Fri. - Sun. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Highlighted Programs & Events: Adults



Silent Book Club

Sunday, December 3 / 3 p.m. / Conference Room

Shhh, we're reading! Do you love the idea of a book club but hate being told what book to read? Then this is the book club for you. Bring whatever book you want and enjoy quietly reading with fellow book lovers. Everyone will have the chance to share what they are reading.



Wednesday, December 6 / 10:30 a.m. / Community Room

Research your family history in these monthly workshops. Open to all levels.





Rock Painting (All Ages)

Saturday, December 9 / 3 p.m. / Community Room

Burnt out from work, school and the holidays? Paint rocks with us!



Meditation and Mindfulness Box Craft

Sunday, December 10 / 3 p.m. / Community Room

Feeling frazzled this time of year? Make a meditation and mindfulness box that you can use during moments of stress.







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Camarillo Health Care District: Speaker Series

Monday, December 11 / 12 p.m. / Community Room

Join the Camarillo Health Care District for "Do You Know Your Housing Rights," presented as part of the "Elder Legal Answers Your Questions On..." series. This is the last in the 2023 series. Visit the Camarillo Health Care District's website to watch videos of all the presentations from the series.

Movie & Craft: The Muppet Christmas Carol (All Ages)

Thursday, December 21 / 5 p.m. / Community Room

Watch a Christmas classic and make a Muppet craft with us!



Programs & Events: RFBC



Jr. CEO Marketplace at Santa's Village

Saturday, December 9 / 9 a.m. / Community Center Park, 1605 E. Burnley St., Camarillo

Support local budding artists, makers and entrepreneurs while getting your holiday shopping done early at Santa's Village in Community Center Park. Our marketplace booth features tweens and teens that have gone through the Jr. CEO program, which teaches young people how to take their ideas and start a small business. Discover a handmade treasure while helping local youth learn about entrepreneurship, and don't forget to bring your cash for purchases.

This program is sponsored by the Russell Fischer Business Collection (RFBC), Foundry 805 and the Boys & Girls Club of Camarillo.

Professional Digital Headshots

Tuesday, December 12 / 12 p.m. / Community Room

Enhance your professional portfolio with a digital headshot compliments of the Russell Fischer Business Collection (RFBC). Small business employees, entrepreneurs, job seekers and anyone else with an online profile are welcome to drop in for this first come, first served event. Photography will be provided by Ventura County's Motionshooter Photography.

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Visit the library's online Event Calendar for more info: camarillolibrary.org/events. The City of Camarillo Public Library will be closed on December 25 (Christmas Day).



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Kids' Take & Make Crafts (Ages 5-12)

All Day / Children's Area

Stop by the Children's Desk on Saturdays for a new weekly craft to complete at home!

Saturday, December 2 – Paper Finger Puppets

Saturday, December 9 – Paper Gingerbread House

Saturday, December 16 – Jingle Bell Door Hanger

Saturday, December 30 – New Year Party Horn



Tween Silent Book Club (Ages 8-12)

Saturday, December 2, 9 and 16 / 2 p.m. / Tween Area

Shhh, we're reading! Bring a book you're currently reading and read for twenty minutes with fellow tweens. Everyone will have a chance to share what they like about their book. First-time attendees will get to pick a book of their choice to keep!





Family Storytime (All Ages)

Sunday, December 3, 10 and 17 / 2 p.m. / Pirate Ship

Listen to engaging stories for the whole family and enjoy a simple craft afterwards!

CoderDojo (Ages 8-12)

Sunday, December 3 & 17/3 p.m. / Homework Center

Learn web development and Python with CoderDojo! This project-based club led by teens meets on the first and third Sunday of each month. Bring your own device or use one of our computers.





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Storytime with Santa (All Ages)

Monday, December 4 / 5:30 p.m. / Community Room

'Tis the season for Storytime with Santa! Gather round as Santa & Mrs. Claus tell holiday tales and sing holiday songs from 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. Afterwards children can visit with Santa and take photos. Register on our online Event Calendar.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Camarillo Library.





Holiday Storytime

10:30 a.m. / Pirate Ship

Tuesday, December 19 (Ages 1-3) Thursday, December 21 (Ages 3-5)

Listen, move, play and sing along! Our storytimes are full of spectacular stories, fingerplays and songs, along with early literacy tips for caregivers.

Highlighted Programs & Events: Teens

Teen Crafternoons (Ages 13-18)

4 p.m. / Young Adult Center

Crafternoons is an awesome series of afterschool craft activities.

Tuesday, December 5 – Cork Characters

Tuesday, December 12 - Gnomes

Tuesday, December 19 – Let it Snow...flake





Hunger Games Escape Room (Ages 13-18)

Saturday, December 16 / 11 a.m. / Community Room

Do you have what it takes to escape The Hunger Games? Use clues and solve puzzles to escape, and may the odds ever be in your favor.

The Teen Advisory Board presents its sixth annual escape room—registration is required. Participants can register as an individual or in groups; each group can have up to four people. For more information, email Young Adult Librarian Vanessa Perez at vperez@camarillolibrary.org.



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