



# Children's Events

Fall

September - November 2017

## Do Your Homework @ the Library!

### Got Homework?

Students in grades K-8 can get FREE personalized assistance at the San Carlos Branch Library throughout the school year.

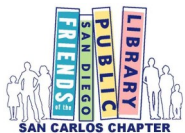
### Hours:

Monday & Thursday: 3:00 - 6:00 pm  
Tuesday & Wednesday: 3:00 - 7:00 pm

Everything you need to help you succeed!

For more information about all of our programs and services, please visit:

[www.SanCarlosFriendsoftheLibrary.org](http://www.SanCarlosFriendsoftheLibrary.org)



## Library Hours

Monday.....9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Tuesday.....11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
Wednesday...11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
Thursday.....9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Friday.....9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday.....9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

All City libraries will be closed on the following observed holidays:

Sept. 4, 2017  
Nov. 10, 2017  
Nov. 23, 2017



San Carlos Branch Library



## Special Events

- **Nature Adventures: Creepy Creatures**  
Wednesday, Oct. 4 • 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Join us as we learn about bats, spiders, insects, and snakes. We will also sing songs, examine specimens, and make crafts. Presented by Linda Hawley, Ed.M., trail guide at Mission Trails Regional Park. Ages 4-9.

- **In-N-Out Reading Program**

Saturday, Oct. 7 - Saturday, Nov. 18

Kids ages 4-12 who read 5 books will receive a certificate for a free hamburger from In-N-Out. Earn up to 3 certificates! Sign up at the front desk.

- **Trash Day @ the Library!**

Friday, Oct. 20 • 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

Join us for stories, crafts & a chance to see a trash truck up close. Plus, meet Diego, our community sanitation driver! Storytime takes places at 10:00 a.m., and all other activities follow. Geared toward ages 1-5, but fun for the whole family.

- **Artifact Junction**

Saturday, Nov. 25 • 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Learn about the tools that archaeologists use and famous archaeological sites. Plus, take advantage of this rare opportunity to examine actual artifacts! We will pass around objects such as grinding stones and arrowheads, and talk about what they were used for. Presented by the San Diego Archaeological Center. Ages 4-10.

## Series

- **Kids' Science: Challenge Island**

Last Wednesday • 4:00 - 5:15 p.m.

Challenge Island encourages creativity, critical thinking, and social skills while instilling a love of science and engineering. Ages 8-12. Registration required. Call (619) 527-3430 to sign up for any of the following sessions:

- **Sept. 27: Egg Drop Cliff**

Learn about mermaid's purses, and create your own egg protector that includes a parachute.

- **Oct. 25: Great White Bridges**

Learn about the power of triangles, and create a truss bridge from gumdrops and toothpicks.

- **Nov. 29: Blow Cart Beach**

Learn about the aerodynamics of a shark's tail, and design a wind-powered car to race around a track with a few puffs.

All library events are  
**FREE!**

## Recurring Events

- **Children's Yoga + Stories**

Tuesdays • 4:00-4:45 p.m.

A storytime that incorporates scarves and movement. Please bring a mat or towel. Ages 3-8.

- **Youth Chess**

2nd & 4th Tuesdays • 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Learn how to play chess, or hone your skills! All levels welcome. Ages 18 & under.

- **After-School Special**

Wednesdays • 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Funny books, silly songs & creative crafts! A chance to learn & socialize in a casual setting. Ages 4-9.

- **Process Art**

Thursdays • 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Kids experiment with different art supplies and mediums, and grown-ups get simple art ideas to take home. Ages 3-8.

- **Storytime for Young Children**

Fridays • 10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

An interactive storytime for toddlers and preschoolers. Afterwards, make a fun craft.

- **Canta y Baila Conmigo**

2nd & 4th Saturdays • 11:00 - 11:30 a.m.

(except Oct. 14 & Nov. 25)

Music and movement in Spanish for children and caregivers! All language levels welcome. Ages 0-8.