



Children's Events

Winter

December 2018 - February 2019

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 p.m.

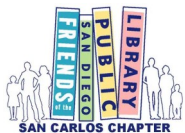
Tuesday & Wednesday: 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

(Closed from Dec. 17 through Jan. 3 for school break)

Everything you need to help you succeed!

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

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:

Dec. 25, 2018

Jan. 1, 2019

Jan. 21, 2019

Feb. 18, 2019



Public Library



San Carlos Branch Library



Special Events

- **Lit Comes to Life: The Runaway Latkes**
Saturday, Dec. 8 • 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.
Kids from the audience are invited to act out scenes from a storybook! At this event, we will bring to life a Hanukkah story, "The Runaway Latkes," by Leslie Kimmelman. A fun way for kids to build oral skills! Presented by teacher & actress, Stacey Wein. All ages.
- **Holly Jolly Book Surprise**
Entire month of December
Unwrap a good read! Our library elves have wrapped up some great kids' books that are ready for you to borrow. You won't know what book you're getting until it's checked out! Open the surprise when you get home and enjoy. Ages 12 & under.
- **All About Harbor Seals**
Wednesday, Jan. 16 • 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Did you know that seal birthing season is right around the corner? In this interactive program, you will learn what kind of animal a harbor seal is, what seals do, and how to tell the difference between a seal & a sea lion. Presented by the Seal Society. Ages 5-10.
- **Robotics Showcase Extravaganza**
Saturday, Feb. 24 • 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Robotics teams from local schools & community groups will display their robotic creations in the lower parking lot on the corner of Jackson & Golfcrest. Inside the library, join us for robot crafts and bristlebot fun. All ages.

Series

- **Kids' Science: Challenge Island**
4th 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:
 - **Jan. 23: Parisian Eiffel Tower**
Learn about the history & architecture of the Eiffel Tower. Then use the engineering design process to build the tallest tower.
 - **Feb. 27: African Animal Safari**
Learn about the savannah, wetland, and jungle habitats of Kenya. Then design and create an adventurous safari course.



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. (except Jan. 22)
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 5-10.
- **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.
- **1,000 Books Before Kindergarten**
Ongoing Program—Ask for details at the desk
A literacy program for pre-readers! Register online at www.sandiego.gov/1000books, and track the books that you and your child read together. Reach milestones & earn rewards! Ages 0-5.