

# Alpine Library Events

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## May 2019



### Library Hours

Mon & Wed: 9:30 AM - 6 PM

Tue & Thu: 9:30 AM - 8 PM

Fri & Sat: 9:30 AM - 5 PM

Sun: Closed

## For Kids

### Storytimes

#### **Cuentame Cuentos (Ages 2-5 years)**

*1st Mondays at 10:30 am*

Storytime in Spanish and English followed by fun, educational activities.

#### **Toddler Playdate (Ages 1-3 years)**

*Mondays (except 1st Mondays) at 10:30 am*

Meet other parents and caregivers, and watch the littles enjoy our collection of active toys and games. Hula Hoops! Music! Bubbles! Fun!

#### **Storybox Theatre/Kamishibai (All Ages)**

*1st Tuesdays at 10:30 am*

Japanese-style storytelling with professional actor Walter Ritter.

#### **Preschool Play (Ages 3-5 years)**

*Tuesdays (except 1st Tuesdays) at 10:30 am*

Learn School Readiness skills through fun and play.

#### **Preschool Storytime & Imagination Station (Ages 3-5)\***

*Wednesdays at 10:30 am*

Enjoy songs and stories followed by arts & crafts!

#### **Toddler Storytime & Recess (Ages 18-24 Months)**

*Thursdays at 10:30 am*

Enjoy simple stories, rhymes, and music followed by playtime.

#### **Baby Storytime & Playtime (Ages 0-18 Months)**

*Fridays at 10:30 am*

Simple reading, rhymes, music, and meeting with other families!

#### **Family Activity Hour (All Ages)**

*Saturdays at 10:30 am*

Join us on Saturday mornings for family activities for all ages.

### After-School Activities

#### **Ruff Readers (Early Readers)**

*Tuesdays at 3:30 pm, except for the first Tuesday of the month*

Read to a therapy dog! Drop in, or sign up in advance.

#### **STEAM Power Hour (Grades 1-5)\***

*Wednesdays at 3:30 pm*

Fun with science experiments, coding and more.

#### **Friday Fun & Games**

*Fridays at 3:30 pm*

Something different each Friday: games, arts & crafts and more!

## For Teens

#### **Afterschool Hangout (Grades 6-12)**

*Weekdays from 3-5 pm*

Hang out in our Resource Room after school. Snacks OK. Homework OK.

Wasting time OK. You do you.

#### **Teen Activity Hour (Grades 6-12)\***

*Wednesdays at 3:30 pm*

Fun activities, games and crafts for teens.

#### **Gaming Lounge (Grades 5-12)**

*Thursdays at 3:30 pm*

PS4 & Wii U gaming on the big screen in the Resource Room.

## For Adults

#### **Alpine Book Club**

*Saturday, May 18 at 10 am*

This month we will discuss *The Shoemaker's Wife* by Adriana Trigiani

#### **Mystery Book Club**

*Tuesday, May 21 at 5 pm*

This month's book is *Property of a Noblewoman* by Danielle Steel.

#### **Tech Help Drop-In**

*Wednesdays from 1-3 pm*

Frustrated and confused?

Get help with using a computer, tablet or smartphone.

#### **Gentle Strengthening & Restorative Stretch (Ages 18+)\***

*Saturdays at 9:45 am*

A mat exercise class that incorporates body alignment and resistance, core strengthening, balance work and restorative stretching. Fitness beginners welcome. Bring an exercise mat and water.

#### **Laughter Yoga**

*Wednesdays at 10 am*

Laughter yoga is a fun, gentle way to feel better and get in touch with your body. This class is geared for adults with developmental disabilities and their caregivers, but all are welcome.

## For Everyone

#### **Watercolor for Beginners (Ages 16+)\***

*Fridays, May 10 and 24 at 10 am*

Watercolor painting workshop for beginners and up. Freestyle with basic techniques. Space is limited, so come early! All supplies provided.

#### **Alpine Garden Club**

*Thursday, May 8 at 6 pm*

Make new friends and learn more about gardening in our climate!

This month's presentation is on composting, presented by the Solana Center.

#### **Kingdom Quilters Sit & Sew**

*Thursday, May 9 from 10 am-2 pm*

*Saturday, May 25 from 11 am-4 pm*

Join us for quilting to benefit children and babies in need here and abroad.

#### **Crochet Corner**

*Wednesdays at 3 pm*

Beginners & experts welcome. Bring your own materials or use ours.

## Special Events

#### **The History of San Diego's Railroads**

*Thursday, May 16 at 6 pm*

The Pacific Southwest Railway Museum Association will present a talk on the fascinating history of railroading in San Diego. The presentation will feature photos and stories about the 1919 completion of the San Diego & Arizona Railway, which was financed by entrepreneur John D. Spreckels at a cost of \$18 million, or roughly \$123,000 per mile. The SD&A rail line was called the "Impossible Railroad" by engineers of its day due to the immense logistical challenges, which included extreme terrain requiring 2.5 miles of bridges and trestles and 21 tunnels, including 11 miles through the treacherous Carrizo Gorge, an area where cliffs dropped more than 1,000 feet to the bottom!

#### **Library Birthday Party!\***

*Tuesday, May 21 at 3:30 and 6 pm*

Celebrate the third anniversary of our new library building!

At 3:30 we'll have a party for kids with party games, refreshments, and balloon animals. Then at 6:00 the Alpine Chorale will perform for all ages, and cake will be served!



#### **Jazz at the Library: The Bassett Brothers\***

*Thursday, May 23 at 6 pm*

The Bassett Brothers are an identical twin guitar duo whose performances showcase a wide range of music from medieval to Metallica. Sean and Ian have played as a duo since the age of fourteen. Their diverse repertoire includes music from the Renaissance, Baroque, and Classical eras and spans to more contemporary genres like rock, blues, and heavy metal. Through a mix and match of varied styles, the brothers provide unique interpretations of concert hall classics.

#### **Rural Arts Project Classes!**

Thanks to a special grant from the U.S. Institute of Museum and Library Services, we are having a series of free art classes for all ages! All materials will be supplied, and no experience is necessary.

##### **For Kids:**

- Drawing: Wednesday, May 29 at 3 p.m.
- Sculpting: Wednesday, June 19 at 3 p.m.
- Printmaking: Wednesday, July 17 at 3 p.m.

##### **For Teens: (Note: these are all in May!)**

- Drawing: Wednesday, May 8 at 3 p.m.
- Sculpting: Wednesday, May 15 at 3 p.m.
- Printmaking: Wednesday, May 22 at 3 p.m.

##### **For Adults:**

- Drawing: Saturday, May 18 at 2 p.m.
- Sculpting: Saturday, June 15 at 2 p.m.
- Printmaking: Saturday, July 20 at 2 p.m.



\* Made possible by the Alpine Library Friends Association

**May 2019**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><b>Many thanks to the Alpine Library Friends Association!</b></p> <p>Visit the ALFA Bookstore and help support our collection and programs.</p> <p><b>Mondays</b> 10 AM - 4:30 PM</p> <p><b>Tuesdays</b> 10 AM - 7:30 PM</p> <p><b>Wednesdays - Saturdays</b> 10 AM - 4:30 PM</p> 			<p><b>1</b></p> <p>10:00 AM Laughter Yoga</p> <p>10:30 AM Preschool Storytime &amp; Imagination Station</p> <p>1:00 PM Tech Help Drop In</p> <p>3:00 PM Crochet Corner</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM STEAM Power Hour</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Toddler Storytime &amp; Recess</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Tween/Teen Gaming Lounge</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Baby Storytime &amp; Playtime</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Friday Fun &amp; Games</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p>9:45 AM Gentle Strengthening and Restorative Stretch</p> <p>10:30 AM Family Activity Hour</p>
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<p><b>19</b></p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Toddler Playdate</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Preschool Play</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Ruff Readers</p> <p><b>3:30 PM Library Birthday Celebration: Kids' Edition</b></p> <p>5:00 PM Mystery Book Club</p> <p><b>6:00 PM Library Birthday Celebration: The Alpine Chorale in Concert</b></p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>10:00 AM Laughter Yoga</p> <p>10:30 AM Preschool Storytime &amp; Imagination Station</p> <p>1:00 PM Tech Help Drop In</p> <p>3:00 PM Crochet Corner</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p><b>3:00 PM Art Class for Teens: Printmaking</b></p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Toddler Storytime &amp; Recess</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Tween/Teen Gaming Lounge</p> <p><b>6:00 PM The Bassett Brothers in Concert</b></p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p><b>10:00 AM Watercolor for Beginners</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Baby Storytime &amp; Playtime</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Friday Fun &amp; Games</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>9:45 AM Gentle Strengthening and Restorative Stretch</p> <p>10:30 AM Family Activity Hour</p> <p><b>11:00 AM Kingdom Quilters Sit &amp; Sew</b></p>
<p><b>26</b></p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p><b>Closed for Memorial Day</b></p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Preschool Play</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Ruff Readers</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>10:00 AM Laughter Yoga</p> <p>10:30 AM Preschool Storytime &amp; Imagination Station</p> <p>1:00 PM Tech Help Drop In</p> <p>3:00 PM Crochet Corner</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p><b>3:00 PM Art Class for Kids: Drawing</b></p> <p>3:30 PM Teen Activity Hour</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>10:30 AM Toddler Storytime &amp; Recess</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Tween/Teen Gaming Lounge</p>	<p><b>31</b></p> <p>All Day Fine Free Friday</p> <p>10:30 AM Baby Storytime &amp; Playtime</p> <p>3:00 PM Afterschool Hangout</p> <p>3:30 PM Friday Fun &amp; Games</p>	