



STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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March Events at the Newman Library

Visitors to the Newman Library this March will find a number of fun and educational programs for all ages.

Children can design paper bag puppets on March 3 at 4 p.m. Crafters will have the opportunity to personalize their puppets with googly eyes, pom-poms, stickers, and more. This craft is sponsored by the Friends of the Newman Library.

Preschoolers through second graders can take part in the Crazy 8's Math Club, a program which helps children learn basic math skills in a fun, engaging environment. The program will be held every Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. during the month of March. Children can take part in "Spy Training" on March 4. Participants will break codes to find hidden treasure. On March 11 children will build marshmallow launchers out of popsicle sticks and rubber bands and then measure how far the marshmallows fly. Children will measure how far their stuffed animals travel on March 18 during the "Zip Line Zoo" program. On March 25 children will learn about probability through their play with bouncy dice.

Adults are invited to attend a free photography program on March 10 at 6 p.m. This program will teach participants how to get the most out of the cameras on their digital devices. The program will offer tips on how to use smartphones and tablets to take high quality photos.

All ages can enjoy the LEGO program on March 12 at 3:30 p.m. This hands-on activity promotes creativity and collaboration. LEGO days are sponsored by the Friends of the Newman Library.

"Paper Roll Bugs" will take place March 21 at 1:30 p.m. Using a paper roll, children will build and personalize their "bugs" using a selection of craft materials.

The library will host a "Teen Books" program on March 24 at 4 p.m. Teens will learn about popular teen literature, including new books, upcoming books in a continuing series, and books soon to be published. The program will also include a look at the library's collection of young adult eBooks, available for checkout on the free 3M Cloud Library App. Participants are invited to bring their electronic devices for hands-on learning.

The Newman Library is located at 1305 Kern Street in Newman. For more information, please call (209) 862-2010.

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