

### Stanislaus County Library

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# **Hughson Library to celebrate World Space Week**

Children and teens can go out of this world with space-themed crafts and activities

The Hughson Library will offer two craft programs in celebration of World Space Week this month.

The celebration will begin with the "Galaxy Quest Activities" program on Tuesday, Oct. 8 from 3 to 5 p.m. Children can make a variety of crafts, including DIY telescopes and anti-gravity bottles. There will also be a collaborative LEGO® solar system building project for participants to enjoy.

On Thursday, Oct. 10 from 3 to 5 p.m. children and teens can build, fly and explore a variety of rockets. The program will feature plastic bottle rockets, footprint rockets, balloon rockets, and a large cardboard rocket.

"We're excited for Hughson Library to join in the celebration of World Space Week, an international event that promotes the importance of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math)," said Heather Bailey, Hughson Library supervisor. "Our celebration will incorporate STEM programming so that children and their families can experience the science of space from the comfort of their local library."

These events are sponsored by the Friends of the Hughson Library. The Hughson Library is located at 2412 A Third St. For more information, please contact Heather Bailey at 209-883-2293.

Information about regularly occurring library programs can be found at www.stanislauslibrary.org, under the "Events and Classes" tab.

#### **About the Stanislaus County Library**

The Stanislaus County Library engages all members of the community and offers access to information, knowledge, and the tools for innovation and personal development. With 13 locations throughout the county, the Library offers free access to a diverse collection of materials, computer access and Wi-Fi, Story Times, programming for all ages, and more. To learn more about the Library's wide array of programs and services, visit www.stanislauslibrary.org.

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