



STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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May Events at the Oakdale Library

Community members are invited to take advantage of the free programs taking place at Oakdale Library this month, beginning with the Cool Bookmarks Craft on Wednesday, May 11 at 3:30 p.m. Teens will learn how to make bookmarks out of duct tape and paint chips.

LEGO Days will take place on Thursday, May 12 and 26 at 3:30 p.m. Finished LEGO creations will be displayed at the library. Children under the age of 4 are welcome to participate, however they must have direct parental supervision at all times.

The NAMI* Connection Recovery Support Group will meet at the library on Tuesday, May 17 at 5 p.m. (National Alliance on Mental Illness) This free, peer-led support group is designed to help adults living with mental illness. Participants can gain insight from hearing the challenges and successes of others. The group is led by NAMI-trained facilitators who follow a structured model to ensure that everyone in the group has an opportunity to be heard.

On Tuesday, May 24 at 11:30 a.m. the Oakdale Library Book Club will meet to discuss *The Big Year* by Mark Obmascik. Book clubs allow community members to expand their knowledge of books through meaningful discussions with others.

Children and teens can kick off the Summer Reading Challenge with a big round of giant games at the library on Wednesday, May 25 at 3:30 p.m. Giant versions of Jenga, Tic Tac Toe, Dominoes, and more will be available.

A free Internet Basics class will be offered on Tuesday, May 31 at 10:30 a.m. This program will introduce participants to the Internet and teach them how to search the World Wide Web. Advance registration is required; please contact the Oakdale Library at (209) 847-4204 to sign up.

Craft programs, Wee Move and Play, LEGO Days, and the Oakdale Library Book Club are sponsored by the Friends of the Oakdale Library. The Oakdale Library is located at 151 S. First Ave. in Oakdale. For more information, please call the Oakdale Library Branch Supervisor, Wayne Philbrook, at (209) 847-4204.

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