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April Events at the Keyes Library

There are many exciting crafts and events occurring at the Keyes Library during the month of April. Visit the Keyes Library to experience all that the library has to offer.

During the month of April, children can participate in the "Be a Super Reader!" Reading Bingo game. Participants will mark bingo squares, representing various reading suggestions, for each reading session of 15 minutes or more. Children will receive a prize for each Bingo column completed. All participants who reach blackout will be entered into a drawing to win a Batman backpack filled with superhero goodies! The winner will be announced on Superhero Day, May 1.

For the cooking enthusiast, the Keyes Library continues its popular recipe exchange throughout April. Customers are encouraged to pick up the recipes of the month and drop off a favorite recipe for a chance to be chosen for the recipe of the month in May.

The library will host events this month that highlight the importance of recycling. Denise London from the Stanislaus County Environmental Resources Agency will conduct a special Story Time on April 2 at 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. that teaches children about the importance of recycling. At 1 p.m. the same day, the library will celebrate Money Smart Week with a piggy bank craft made from recycled materials. Children can make a cute bank from a recycled water bottle while parents learn tips on teaching their children the value of saving money.

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Those who enjoy gardening will find the Plant a Seed and Read! Event on April 14 rewarding.

Gardeners of all ages are invited to a seed swap from 3 to 5 p.m. Participants will be able to trade seeds and tips with fellow gardeners, as well as learn how to grow and save seeds. During this program, children will have the opportunity to plant seeds in a container to take home with them.

Rounding out the celebration of spring is a bunny craft on April 17. At 3 p.m. children can make a cute bunny from toilet paper rolls. This unique craft demonstrates how to recycle household items by turning them into works of art.

The Keyes Library is located on 4420 Maud Avenue in Keyes. For more information, please call (209) 664-8006.

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