



#### FROM THE CITY LIBRARIAN'S CORNER

Welcome to Summer at the Library. Our Summer Reading Program is going on right now. We have daily crafts, weekly performances and weekly prize give-a-ways for those that are participating in the Summer Reading Program.

For inquires regarding the summer program, please visit us.

The new library on Green Tree Blvd. is currently under construction and is on pace to be finished near the end of 2025. The 24-hour library kiosk is now up and running at Sunset Ridge Park. You must have a library card to use the Kiosk.

Arnold Castro, City Librarian



Hello Friends,

Hope everyone is surviving our heat wave. In addition to the Summer Reading Program, our library has many other activities for our children and teens.

We are also holding our \$5.00 a bag book sale on July 9 and continuing to stock the Little Free Libraries that the FOVL sponsors.

We urge parents to not only participate in the many library programs and services but to also encourage your children to read at home. Reading is so fundamental to learning basic skills.

Remember to pick up the "BOOK PAGE" when you're in the library. We are hoping to recruit some of you as new FOVL members.

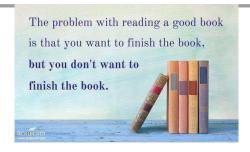
Enjoy your summer.

FOVL President, Bill Pyle

"Everybody can be great... because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love."

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

IT'S A LIBRARY CARD.



Life is richer when you read, read, read.

## **BOOK SALE**

JULY 9, 2024

9 am - 3 pm

\$5.00 Per Bag



#### FRIENDS

#### OF THE VICTORVILLE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Victorville Library is a group of volunteers who work to stimulate public interest in the library and promote the resources, services and needs of the library.

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## Gently Used Books Are Needed

the Friend's Book Store

Our thanks to "Peoples Care for partnering with the FOVL in stocking and caring for our Little Free Libraries located at Hook Park, Brentwood Park and now at Las Haciendas Park.

The Friends of the Victorville Library continues to work at "Building our Reading Literacy"





Las Haciendas Park Library
Donated by Miranda Smith
Stocked by Friends of the
Victorville Library & People's Care

# JOIN US! SEND IN YOUR MEMBERSHIP TODAY!

Student, Senior, Veteran \$10 Individual \$20 Family \$30 Business \$30

## **New City Library Update**

The official ground-breaking for our new library was held on May 22. Pictured are members of the City Council, City Manager and city staff. Monet Construction, Inc is doing the remodeling and expansion construction of this \$8.6 million + project with completion in late 2025. With the receipt of a \$9 million grant from the State of California the project is well-funded. Monies from Measure P will also be utilized. Our library will almost double in size to 17,000 plus sq. ft.



Join us today and help us bring joyful science, technology, education, art and mathematics to our youth.

READ A BOOK TO A CHILD LISTEN AS A CHILD READS A BOOK



### READING IS FUNDAMENTAL!

A Book Kiosk has been installed at Sunset Ridge Park with 235 items. With the insertion of your library card, books can be easily borrowed.

It is open 24/7.

The Kiosk will also accept the return of books.



NEXT FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEETING — TUESDAY, JULY 16, 2024 — 3PM

**BRING A PROSPECTIVE MEMBER** 

Open Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 6:00 pm and Saturdays 9:00 am - 3:00 pm







Sat				F.O.L. 50% off Books	
	9	13	20	27	
Fri	2024	12 Blocks & Cars 12:00 pm—3:00 pm	19 Blocks & Cars 12:00 pm—3:00 pm	26 Blocks & Cars 12:00 pm—3:00 pm	
Thu	$\begin{vmatrix} 3 &   & 4 &   & 5 \end{vmatrix}$ Programming will return on January 8, 2024	11 Kinder Prep 10:00 am—11:00 am Tech Session 10:00 am—11:30am Citizenship Session 12:00 pm—1:30 pm	18 Kinder Prep 10:00 am—11:00 am	25 Kinder Prep 10:00 am—11:00 am Tech Session 10:00 am—11:30 am Citizenship Session 12:00 pm—1:30 pm Teen Tech Space 3:00 pm—5:00 pm	
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