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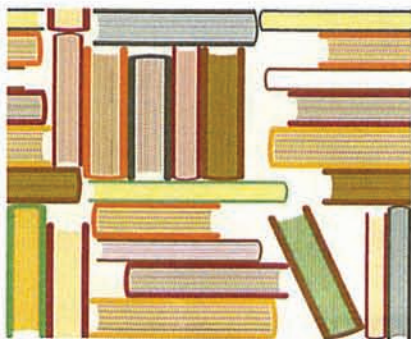
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Library Information

Telephone: (650) 851-0560
 Website: www.smcl.org
 Mon. to Thurs. 11 am - 7 pm
 Fri. - Sat. 11 am - 5 pm

WHAT DO THE FRIENDS DO?

The Friends support and enhance the services and programs of the Portola Valley Library. For almost fifty years, the Friends group has raised money to sponsor library programs and cultural events such as the Annual Poetry Contest, and the Summer Reading Program for children and adults. We pay for lectures, workshops, and cultural events and provide money to purchase best-sellers and other current fiction and non-fiction books (located in the Friends' Alcove). The Friends organization is set up as a nonprofit corporation, a 501(c)(3) charitable corporation run by a volunteer Board of Directors. Membership dues and donations to the organization are tax-deductible.



BOOK DONATIONS AND SALES

Please consider the Friends when you have gently-used books, CDs, DVDs or books on tape to donate. We have a used-book sale in the Library every day in the Friends' Alcove! Monies raised help finance the Friends' Collection and Library programs.

14th ANNUAL POETRY CONTEST

Sponsored in honor of the Roush Family, a poetry reception was hosted on May 20th to hear all of the winning poems. Thank you to our judges and congratulations to the young poets!

FROM THE BRANCH MANAGER:

Hello Portola Valley! I am so impressed by this community's love of the library. Last year, 91,000 visitors checked out 95,000 books, CDs, DVDs and other library materials – that's almost 22 items per Portola Valley resident checked out through the year! Library programs for children and adults were attended by over 7,500 people. I feel very lucky to work with enthusiastic staff in a gorgeous building for a community that obviously treasures the library as a valuable resource. All of this good work would be impossible without the ongoing support of the Friends, who fund the great library programs and services that the whole community appreciates.

Please let me know if you have questions or feedback about the library. I look forward to seeing you here!

Nicole Pasini
 Branch Manager
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FIND IT! AT PORTOLA VALLEY LIBRARY

The Portola Valley Library has reorganized our nonfiction books in order to make browsing and finding books simpler and more intuitive. Come give our nonfiction collections for adults and children another look – we think you'll find something you'll like!



Keep Up with Portola Valley Library Events! Please register for events by calling: (650) 851 0560 or email: portolavalley@smcl.org
 Visit the library online at www.smcl.org to view upcoming events, manage your library account,
 and like us on Facebook to see the library's events and recommendations!

Lego Club – 11 to 12 pm on Saturday 8th June, 20th July, 17th August, 14th September – For children aged 5 – 9. We provide the Legos, you create!

Non-Fiction Book Group meets on the 3rd Thursday of every month from 1 pm to 2 pm
 Toddler Storytime: Tuesdays at 10:30 am
 Bilingual Babies and Books Storytime - 4th Monday of every month at 11 am
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The Surfing Magician. Comedy magic show for all ages, as seen on Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk!
 Dive the Horn Guy. Blend of music education with entertainment for the whole family.
 Marshmallow Pop Program. Decoration of marshmallow treats, ages 9 and up.
 Something Ridiculous: Juggling Sensation, for all ages.
 Toddler Cooking Class: No Bake Sunflower Cookies with Jeni Clancy from Parents' Place.
 Rice: Food and Folk Art, with Linda Janklow of peopleOlogie. For ages 4 and up.
 Friends of the Portola Valley Library Book Sale, at the Town Picnic.
 Summer Reading Program: Reading is Delicious! for patrons of all ages. Read and win prizes!

PORTOLA VALLEY LIBRARY'S SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: SUMMER 2013



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Your donations will help us continue to sponsor the popular children and adult programs, special events, computer access and support, and supplement the Friends' book, DVD and audio CD collections. Inside you will find a tear-off membership form & envelope to renew your membership or become a FOPVL member. Your support of a valuable community resource is greatly appreciated. Thank you!



“Perhaps no place in any community is so totally democratic as the town library.
 The only entrance requirement is interest.” Lady Bird Johnson