



**El Cajon Branch Library**  
201 E Douglas Ave, CA 92020  
Phone: (619) 588-3718

## August 2015

**Library Hours**  
M-Th: 9:30AM – 8PM  
FS: 9:30AM – 5PM; Sun: 12 – 5PM

### CHILDREN

**Summer Crafternoon.** Come join us for a story and a craft. *Monday-Thursday, August 3-13, 1 PM*

**Little Listeners' Storytime.** Stories and songs for babies and toddlers ages 3 and under. *Tuesdays, 10 AM*

**Books & Boogie Storytime.** Join us for stories, music, and a simple craft for ages 2-5. *Wednesdays, 10 AM*

**Baby Storytime.** Join us for storytime for parents & babies between ages 0-18 months. *Fridays, 10 AM; August 17 and 31 in English and August 10 and 24 Bilingual (Spanish and English).*

**Arabic Writing Class.** Kids (grade K-6th) learn how to read and write Arabic. *Fridays, August 7 and 14, 1 PM*

**El Cajon Exploratorium.** Explore science and art through fun, hands-on activities! Projects can be messy-please dress accordingly. For ages 4 & up. *Saturdays, 1 PM*

### TEENS

**Action Teen Advisory Council (ATAC).** If you're a teen, age 14 -17, who'd like to help out at the library, please stop by our ATAC meetings! *Fri-Sat team meets Saturday, August 8, 12 PM; Sun-Thurs team meets Tuesday, August 18, 4:30 PM*

**Teen Anime Club.** Watch anime with fellow fans. Ages 12-19. *Tuesdays, 6 PM*

**Teen Dungeons & Dragons.** *Thursdays, 5 PM*

**College Survival Course: Dorm Living 101.** Get advice from college grads & a list of dorm essentials. Discover easy, delicious microwave recipes. *Thursday, August 6, 5:30 PM*

### FAMILIES

**Musical Movie Matinee.** Enjoy a fun family film! Call branch for details. *Sundays, August 2 and 9, 2 PM*

**Acoustic Showcase: Joe Rathburn.** Positive tunes that uplift the soul. *Sunday, August 16, 2 PM*

**Family Game Night!** Enjoy board games with your family...fun for all ages! *Mondays, 6-7 PM*

**Chess Club.** Learn or improve your game. All ages and skill levels welcome. *Tuesdays, 4-6 PM and Saturdays, 1-3 PM*

**Backgammon Club.** All ages and skill levels welcome. *Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4-6 PM*

### ADULTS

**ESL/English Classes.** For information or to register call Grossmont Adult School at 619-401-9750. Classes meet at the library. *Resumes in September.*

**Gateway Arabic Computer Classes.** Call Safa at 619-469-2151 for more information. *Resumes in September.*

**English Conversation Café.** Practice your English language skills in casual conversation. Please arrive on time. *Wednesdays, 10-11:30 AM Resumes in September.*

**Citizenship Class.** Practice for the U.S. citizenship exam and interview. Learn the 100 civics questions and receive information about the citizenship application. Call 619-588-3740 for info. *Saturdays, 10:00 AM*

**Laubach ESL Class.** Learn English in a friendly setting. *Saturdays, 11:30 AM – 1 PM*



### ADULTS

**Resource and Interest Meeting.** Feeling distressed/overwhelmed? Discover free resources and information available to you. *Monday, August 10, 2:00 PM*

**Creative Crafters.** Paper craft note cards. *Monday, August 3, 12 PM*

**SilverSneakers Yoga.** Learn safe moves and breathing exercises. Chair support provided. *Mondays, 12 and 2 PM. On August 3 the 12 PM class is cancelled.*

**Zumba.** Dance to the beat! *Mondays, 6 PM*

**Creative Writing.** For writers of all ages! In every class you'll produce some new writing and we'll read one short contemporary piece. *Monday, August 3 and 17, 6 PM*

**Veteran Services.** Assistance with claims preparation, appeals, public assistance and VA medical care, homeless issues, filing for benefits. *Every second and fourth Monday, August 10 and 24, 9:30 AM-1 PM*

**Senior Mobile Technology Lab.** Learn how to use e-mail, Facebook, YouTube, and other social networking platforms to keep in touch with friends and family. *Monday, August 10, 1:30 PM*

**Family Health Centers of San Diego Informational Table.** Provides referrals to no-cost services for homeless individuals without health insurance. *Mondays (except the first Monday), 1-5 PM.*

**La Maestra Community Health Centers Information Table.** Specialist will offer CalFresh, Medi-Cal, and Covered CA program information and sign-up assistance. *1st Tuesday, August 4, 10:30 AM-12:30 PM*

**Medicare Information Table.** Find out information about this important government program. *Tuesday, August 11, 10:30 AM*

**Whodunit Book Club.** Armchair sleuths discuss the works of mystery writers. *Tuesdays, 11 AM*

Aug 4 Contains a "measure of time" in the title

Aug 11 Contains a senior sleuth (over age 65)

Aug 18 A Victorian mystery

Aug 25 Scavenger Hunt (read a mystery)

**DMV Review Class.** A review session to help prepare for the Department of Motor Vehicles written test. This class will be conducted in Arabic. *Thursday, August 20, 6 PM*

**Fleet and Family Support Workshops.**

Aug 6 Flying Space-A. Learn how to navigate and travel using low-cost military Space Available Flights. Discuss how to sign up, important documents, and tips for a successful travel experience. *Thursday, 2:30 PM*

Aug 13 Resume Writing. Make sure your resume stands out. Get the latest tips and techniques to wow employers with an organized, effective, and winning resume. *Thursdays, 2:30 PM*

Aug 20 Financial Planning for Your Retirement. Understand how to build a budget, master your credit, defeat your debt and begin investing. *Thursday, 2:30 PM*

Aug 27 Transferring Within CONUS: More Resources & Less Stress for Your Next PCS! Be ready for your next Permanent Change of Station (PCS) move within the Continental United States (CONUS) by ensuring you have the latest information on your next duty station, financial entitlements, and secrets of reducing moving stress. *Thursday, 2:30 PM*

**Senior Dominoes.** Join us for dominoes and friendly conversation! *Thursday, August 13, 1PM*

**Gardeners' Get-Together.** Meet other gardeners and learn more about growing in our climate. *Second Thursday, August 13, 4:30 PM*

**Job Searching Techniques with the East County Career Center.** Learn strategies for finding the perfect job with staff from the East County Career Center. *Thursday, August 27, 1 PM*

**East County Writers.** San Diego Writers, Ink offers a one hour drop-in group for writers. All you have to do is show up and write! *Friday, August 7 and 21, 10 AM*

**East County Stamp Club.** Learn more about philately (stamp collecting). Bring your collection or just come hang out. *Saturday, August 8 and 22, 11 AM*

**Local Author/Publicist Sarka-Jonae Miller.** Sarka-Jonae Miller writes the Ask an Author column for the East County Magazine. She is a local author, book marketing manager, publicist, and columnist. Bring your questions regarding the writing craft, getting published, and everything in between! *Saturday, August 15, 3:30 PM*

**Fine Free Friday.** This month's Fine Free Friday is August 28th. Outside drop boxes are available to return overdue items on the last Friday of the month that the item was due and we'll waive late fees. Link+ items are not eligible.

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>Friends of the Library Bookstore</b>                      M: 11-5; Tue: 10-4:30; W: 10-5;                      Thur: 11-4; F: 10-4; Sat: 10-4;                      Sun: closed                 </div>						<p>1</p> <p>10am Citizenship Class 11:30am Laubach ESL Class 1pm El Cajon Exploratorium 1pm Chess Club</p>
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\*Registration Required- see staff to sign up.

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