

Lakeside
Friends of the Library



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The library offers great programs for the community every day. Here are just a few of the highlights for this month:

- Oct 12 3:30 Science in Action with Sorbie
- Oct 18 1:00 DMV Test Preparation Class
- Oct 19 2:00 Games and Gaming for Teens
- Oct 21 2:30 3-D Printing workshop
- Oct 24 4:00 Lakeside Book Club
- Oct 25 All day Fine Free Friday
- Oct 26 3:30 Science in Action with Sorbie
- Oct 26 2:00 Rock Painting with Dawn
- Oct 31 All day Trick or Treat at the Library

All programs are free and subject to change or cancellation. Check the Website sdcl.org for more information or call 619-443-1811 for details about any event.

Library Hours: Mon, Thu: 9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
Tue, Wed: 9:30 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.
Fri, Sat: 9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.



October 2019

TOUCH-A-TRUCK

Lakeside Chamber of Commerce every year for the last 3-4 years has held an event in Lakeside called Touch-A-Truck. This year, September 22nd, we were so lucky to have the San Diego County Bookmobile attend our event. Our very own Jennifer Ceballos, from our Lakeside Friends of the Library, manned an information table and sold our "I'd Rather be Reading" t-shirts which you can also purchase at our library for \$15.00.

She was able to tell many people from all over San Diego about our new library coming to Lakeside and pass out calendars for our current library.

I ask you...have you ever been inside the Bookmobile??? No, many had not. Our libraries have two of these vehicles which go to outlying areas. People can reserve books just like a regular library, they have a great children's section, DVD's, audio books, and magazines.

I loved it and I can see how beneficial this is for many communities...we were told about how they go to Warner Springs and outlying mobile home parks...bringing the love of libraries everywhere.



Terry and Jennifer with the bookmobile



BOARD MEETINGS



The Friends of the Lakeside Library meets on the second Wednesday of the month at 6:00 p.m. at the library. The next meeting will be October 9, 2019. All members are welcome! Contact us to ask questions or to volunteer your time. We can be reached at 619-631-5614. Leave a message and someone will return your call, or e-mail us at lakesidecafriends@gmail.com

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Our General Membership Meeting will be held on Nov. 7th at 6:15 pm in the library. All current members are invited to attend. The 2020 budget will be presented as well as proposed calendar of events. This is a wonderful opportunity to find out what our group does and for you to get involved with, as there are always ways to help. Light refreshments will be served. Hopefully there will also be news about the new library design and schedule.

Mark your calendars for November 16th. Cafe 67 will once again be hosting our fundraiser. We will be collecting toys for the Lakeside Helps Center annual toy drive. We will have a great raffle prize or two. This event is an easy way to renew your Friends membership. We give you a free raffle ticket for renewing your membership or joining and for bringing a new toy (\$5 value or more). It's a great time to gather friends and family and have a meal together.

T-SHIRT SALES

"I'd Rather Be Reading" T-Shirts are now available for purchase in both men's and women's sizes for \$15. They are in the library and make a great gift for any book lover.



MEMBERSHIP

We are grateful for all of our Lakeside Friends. We hope that you will continue to support this group. Becoming a member will keep you informed about library activities including progress toward the new library. There are many benefits to becoming a member of the Lakeside Friends of the Library. Members receive this newsletter, receive the latest updates on the new library, are entitled to free opportunity drawing tickets at designated events, get specials at book sales, may attend Board meetings and are invited to the yearly general membership meetings. Monetary donations of \$500 or more shall be granted Lifetime Membership and all its privileges.

NEW MEMBERS

No new members this month, so please invite your friends and family to join!

Currently we have 114 members. You can renew your membership in person at the library, on our new website lakesidecafriends.org, or mail your check with your name, address, phone number and type of membership to Lakeside Friends of the Library, 9839 Vine St., Lakeside, CA 92040.

Thank you for supporting the Lakeside Friends of the Library.



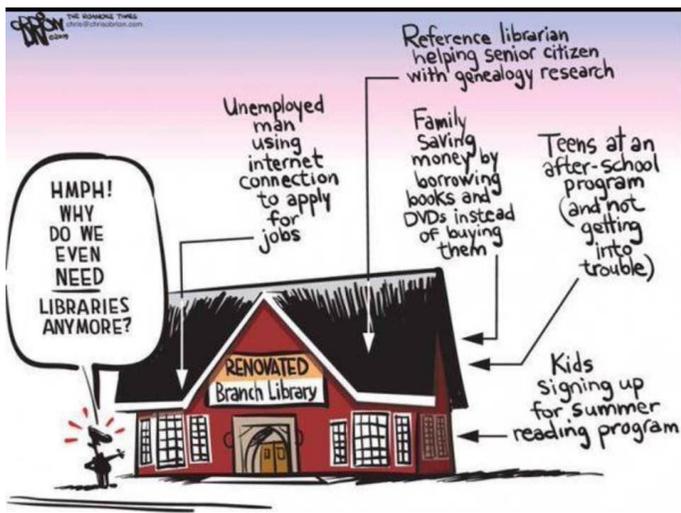
BOLL WEEVIL FUNDRAISER

Our fundraiser on September 23, 2019, was a big success thanks to all the people who helped out and those that came to eat and buy raffle tickets.

A huge thank you to Victor Tonga and staff from our Lakeside Boll Weevil for your contributions and great assistance in making this event a success. We can't thank enough those of you who are new and our regulars for coming out to financially continue to support our fundraising for our Lakeside Friends of the Library. As you are learning every dollar earned goes into either programming for our current library and new library, or to extra's for the new library.

Those who donated items to raffle off or as a silent auction, you make fundraising a sweet success. Jenn Jordan who brought her Origami Owl Custom Jewelry, thank you once again we appreciate the beautiful items you bring and your share back with us. Donation thank yous go to many...including Boll Weevil, Local Skateshop, Julia Cook's Massage (she has donated for every event we have done), Sycuan Casino for their golf package, Mary Elder and her homemade Carmel Apple Pie, Barbara Trent (Lakeside Artist), Judy Scheurer Belle Roche Estate Jewelry, and many others. To the members of the Lakeside Friends of the Library who solicited donations and built raffle baskets... thank you.

Bottom line what did we raise? Really close to \$1,400. Thank you. Much love to this community!



TOWN HALL MEETING

State Assemblyman Brian Jones had a Town Hall Meeting in Lakeside on August 22, 2019. He invited local non-profits to participate including Lakeside Friends of the Library. Out new head librarian, Mary Elder, and Terry Burke-Eiserling (Lakeside Friends), joined together to talk about great library programming, our new library, and encouraging membership and participation.

Mary Elder was one person everyone wanted to meet and get to know as the community is aware that her presence and participation in the new library is exciting for all of us. We spoke to many people who are excited about a new library. Not just Lakeside locals, many people from East County attended this Town Hall meeting. Successful on many levels for all.



Terry, Brian Jones, Mary Elder

"Don't ever apologize to an author for buying something in paperback, or taking it out from a library (that's what they're there for. Use your library). Don't apologize to this author for buying books second hand, or getting them from bookcrossing or borrowing a friend's copy. What's important to me is that people read the books and enjoy them, and that, at some point in there, the book was bought by someone. And that people who like things, tell other people. The most important thing is that people read..."

— Neil Gaiman

CONTRIBUTION JARS



Please patronize these local merchants. We appreciate all they do for the Lakeside Friends of the Library!!

Cafe 67 ~ Copy Corral ~ Yogurt Barn

Lakeside Café ~ Allie's Gifts ~ Boll Weevil

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AmazonSmile is a website operated by Amazon with the same products, prices, and shopping features as Amazon.com. Please sign up for the Lakeside Friends of the Library donation program through Amazon.com. Every time you purchase from Amazon they will donate to our fund for the NEW Lakeside Library.

DIGITAL DIVIDE

There are about 5 million households in rural areas without broadband internet. According to a Pew Research Center report, only two-thirds of rural Americans have access to broadband. This gap has been called the digital divide, and policymakers are increasingly making efforts to get the majority of Americans access to high-speed internet, focusing primarily on rural areas.

But these efforts overlook the fact that there are 15 million households outside of rural America where people don't have broadband internet. When people don't have the internet at home or are unsure how to use digital tools, they turn to their local library--no matter where they are in the country. Librarians are at the forefront of understanding our digital divide, and they know it's far more complicated than having, or not having, internet.

Taken from Google Podcast called How Libraries Are Bridging the Digital Divide.

"My grandma always said that God made libraries so that people didn't have any excuse to be stupid."

— Joan Bauer, *Rules of the Road*



Bingo Wednesday night, October 2nd and 16th from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. **It's free!!** Snacks and prizes are provided by the library and the bingo players. Come join us for fun and games.



There are several different story time opportunities at the library: Kids in Action on Mondays, Preschool Play on Tuesdays, Baby story time on Wednesdays, Preschool S.T.E.A.M. story time on Thursdays, and Toddler story time on Fridays. Grab your kids or grandkids and enjoy!



One-on-One Computer Help is offered at eight different times. Take advantage of this service. Check the calendar for dates & times.

Every Thursday at 4:30 p.m.
Lakeside Chess Club



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Book Club meets on the 4th
Thursday at 4:00 p.m.

Please visit our website www.lakesidecafriends.org and like us and follow us on Facebook. Thank you!