

Issue #41



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

- Aug 7 3:00 Amazing Reptile Show
- Aug 9 3:00 Back to School Event
- Aug 10 2:00 Capturing your Creativity with Haiku
- Aug 12 3:30 Science in Action
- Aug 22 4:00 Lakeside Book Club discusses "Before We Were Yours" by Lisa Wingate
- Aug 24 2:00 Rock Painting with Dawn
- Aug 26 3:30 Science in Action with Sorbie
- Aug 27 3:30 Back to School Teen Tuesday
Nintendo fun
- Aug 29 3:30 Back to School S.T.E.A.M. Explorers
- Aug 30 3:30 Kids Career Day at Bilingual Storytime
- Aug 31 2:00 Starting and Maintaining a Garden

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.

August 9th is National Book Lovers Day!

August 2019

INTRODUCING LAKESIDE LIBRARY'S NEW BRANCH MANAGER

Hello Lakeside! My name is Mary Elder and I am the new Branch Manager of the Lakeside Branch Library. I am so excited to get to know the Lakeside community and thrilled to be on the ground floor of opening our new library over the next two years! I look forward to meeting you all as you come into the library. In the meantime, here is a little bit about me:



My daughter and I moved here from Tucson, Arizona, in June of this year, and we live in El Cajon. I have been a public librarian for nearly four years and was an elementary school librarian for six years beforehand. I received both my bachelor's degree in English literature and my master's degree in information resources and library science from

the University of Arizona. I am a mom to two fabulous kids who are 18 and 20, and two incredible stepchildren who are 15 and 17. Although I have lived most of my life in Tucson, I have wanted to live in the San Diego area since my first visit at the age of 13. Some of my favorite things to do are bake, read, go to the beach, head to the mountains, spend time with my fiancé and our family, and geek out over Harry Potter, Disney, and all things Marvel.

The Lakeside community has already been so warm and welcoming, and I appreciate all of you. If we haven't had a chance to meet yet, come on down to the library!



Lakeside FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY



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 August 14, 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

Board Members:

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Secretary/Grants:	Michael Evans-Layng
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Newsletter:	Sharon Smith
Educational/Community Liaison:	Nina Drammissi
Social Media:	Heather Gutierrez
Marketing/Promotional:	Jennifer Ceballos
Members-at-Large:	Martha Morrison Paula Tillery

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 6, 4:00 – 9:30 – Fundraiser at Yogurt Barn and winning raffle ticket for the country cow quilt will be drawn.

September 23, 5:00 – 9:00 - Fundraiser at Boll Weevil with raffle baskets, silent auctions, and Origami Owl jewelry

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.



When one book closes, another one opens -- sometimes I don't even wait that long.

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

Sharon Galbo - Individual
LeAnna Braun - Individual



Currently we have 113 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.

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

"There are many little ways to enlarge your child's world. Love of books is the best of all."
– Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis

BOLL WEEVIL FUNDRAISER

July 15th was a great time for fundraising for the Lakeside Friends of the Library. For those who came and ate/drank...thank you! For those who bought raffle tickets or bid on silent auction baskets you were wonderful. To Jenn Jordan from Origami Owl Jewelry, thank you for sharing part of your sales from your great jewelry line with Lakeside Friends of the Library.

A great time was had by the many friends and families who came out, the great women from the Woman's Club of Lakeside, some Optimist friends, Equestrian and El Monte Valley supporters who came out, new library branch manager, Mary Elder and her family, library staff, Eric Jones, Dawn Espedal, and Christina Patterson and family, and Kiwanis and Lakeside VFW members, plus Boll Weevil owner, Victor Tongco and staff....many thanks for your donations and great food and service.

Next up for us, I hope you will join us for our big quilt raffle (tickets will be available) and summer fun on August 6th from 4:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at Yogurt Barn. Our quilt drawing will be at 8:00 p.m. What a perfect way to end a summer afternoon and evening with some great yogurt from Lakeside's very own Yogurt Barn. So come on down and cool off with yummy yogurt, you might just go home with a new quilt.

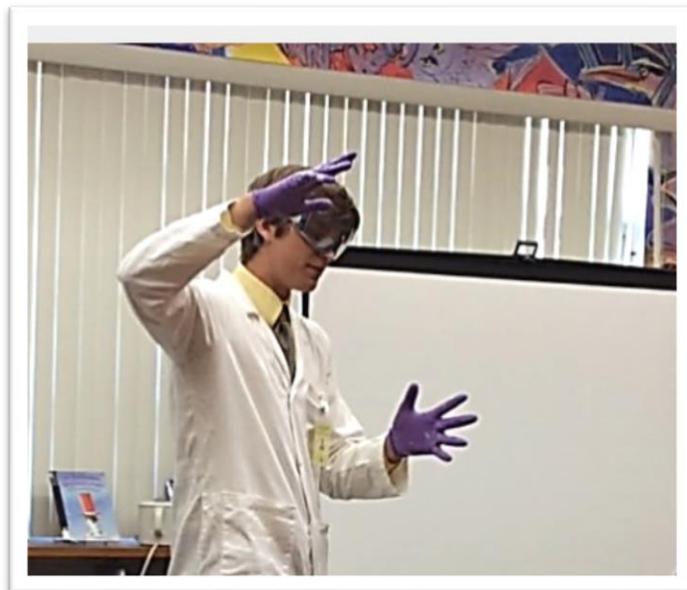
UCSD STUDENT CREATES INTERACTIVE SCIENCE PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN

by Suejin Lim – SD Union Tribune – July 18, 2019

The Science in Action summer program at the Lakeside branch of the San Diego County Library aims to interest kindergarten through fifth grade students in the STEM field through safe science experiments. "By exposing kids to the sciences at a young age, maybe we can inspire some of them to join the STEM field," said Jonathan Sorbie, 18, a Lakeside Branch Library employee who created the program.

Sorbie, who majors in general chemistry at UCSD, created the science program to help out his branch. "We're very fortunate to have Jonathan Sorbie here working at the Lakeside Library," said Eric Jones, library technician. "If it wasn't for him, we wouldn't have been able to flesh out a program like this."

The program is offered every two weeks until the end of September from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Mondays, with a different theme for experiments each time. The events average about 20 people including parents. Every time is a completely different program," Sorbie said. "Fundamentally, we want to stay with concepts that kids can really understand."



Sorbie takes about a week and a half to organize and gather materials needed for each session, and he works to simplify complicated concepts for attendees. His expertise in science allows him to demonstrate unusual experiments. "They generally don't get to see higher level experiments in their classes," he said. These experiments offer insight into the importance of science.

"Science is a foundation of learning and understanding the world around us. I'm a firm believer that science in practice and learning is important, and I think having that basis of understanding the world around you will be very beneficial to the children around here," Jones said.

Sorbie hopes that his work is paving the way for students' future academic endeavors. "I think it's really important that we get kids thinking about the sciences when they're young because what happens inevitably," Sorbie said, "is kids get to high school, early college, and they don't really know what to do because they don't know what's out there."



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LITTLE FREE "TREE" LIBRARY

An Idaho artist gave a 100-year-old dying cottonwood tree new life by transforming it into a charming "little free (tree) library." The rotting tree was becoming dangerous, but rather than cut it down completely she decided to make it into something the whole neighborhood could enjoy.

The library is complete with a porch light, a little roof and steps up to a glass door that swings open to the illuminated bookshelf inside:

In the spring she plans to plant groundcover and "cheerful perennials" around it, she writes on Facebook. "Art (in any form) quite simply makes the world a cooler place to live in," she adds.

The woman says her tree is freshly registered on Little-FreeLibrary.org.



Bingo Wednesday night, August 7th and 21st 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. is Lakeside Chess Club



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!

