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Director of Library
Services: Linda Eldred

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Melanie Vaughn



Hours of Operation
Monday: 11:00 - 6:00
Tuesday: 11:00 - 6:00
Wednesday: 11:00 - 6:00
Thursday: 10:00 - 8:00
Friday: 11:00 - 5:00
Saturday: 11:00 - 3:00

April 2018

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Calendar of Events

Monday, April 2- Book Group @ 10:30
Palette Pals @ 1:00

Wednesday, April 4- Early Out
Wednesday @ 2:00

Thursday, April 5- Story Time @ 10:30
Knitters @ 1:00
Adult Coloring @ 5:30

Sunday, April 8- Sunday Crafternoon @ 1:00

Monday, April 9- Palette Pals @ 1:00

Wednesday, April 11- Early Out
Wednesday @ 2:00
Library Board Meeting @ 6:30

Thursday, April 12- Story Time @ 10:30
Knitters @ 1:00
Good Old Country w/Harold Gray @ 6:00

Saturday, April 14- Friends of the Library Book Sale @ 11:00

Monday, April 16- Palette Pals @ 1:00

Wednesday, April 18- Early Out
Wednesday @ 2:00

Thursday, April 19- Story Time @ 10:30
Knitters @ 1:00

Monday, April 23- Palette Pals @ 1:00

Wednesday, April 25- Early Out
Wednesday @ 2:00

Thursday, April 26- Story Time @ 10:30
Knitters @ 1:00

Monday, April 30- Palette Pals @ 1:00

Friends of the Library Sale

It's time for the Friends of the Library spring book sale! Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 14 for great deals on books, movies, and more! The sale will take place all through our open hours on Saturday, so doors open at 11 and close at 3. All proceeds directly benefit the library, whether it be new materials or fun programs. Don't miss this!

Good Old Country

HAROLD IS BACK! One of our favorite concerts makes its' return on Thursday, April 12 at 6:00 pm. We love to have a crowd for this toe-tapping event, so come early to get a good seat! He won't be back until July, so you won't want to miss him!

Art Piece

We are loving the community input on what to name our beautiful and unique art piece that is on display in the lobby. If you haven't seen it yet, please come take a look! You won't find anything like it anywhere else. It was volunteer made and many many hours were put into it. The last day to submit names for the piece will be Wednesday, April 11th, with the decision coming Thursday, April 12th. Don't miss your chance to name a little piece of Springville Memorial Library!

Book Review

Shanghai Girls by Lisa See

This historical novel starts in 1937 when Shanghai was known as the “Paris of Asia”. Sisters Pearl and May enjoy what Shanghai has to offer, and never dream that it will ever change. Reality hits them when their father gambled away their wealth and to repay the debts, he must sell the girls as wives. Around this time, Japan invades China, hitting Shanghai with bombs and changes the sisters’ lives. This story starts in China and travels to the west coast of United States. Building a life in Chinatown, California with husbands they barely know, and enduring prejudice while trying to hold on to their traditions tells an amazing story. This is an amazing novel that takes you into the world war II era in California and China. –Linda Eldred

“{A} moving historical novel... {Lisa} See is a gifted writer, and in Shanghai Girls she again explores the bonds of sisterhood while powerfully evoking the often nightmarish American immigrant experience.” – *USA Today*

This book was read by the Library book group for March 2018

A Case of the Mondays?

If Mondays get you down, consider making one or two of them brighter! The Monday Nighters and Garden Club are seeking new members! They each meet one Monday a month here at the library. Call us and we can get you in touch with the group you’d like to join!

New Materials!

NEW FICTION

Anatomy of A Miracle by Jonathan Miles
As Bright as Heaven by Susan Miessner
Carnegie’s Maid by Marie Benedict
The Fallen by David Baldacci
The Flight Attendant by Chris Bohjalian
The Light We Lost by Jill Santopolo
Unbury Carol by Josh Malerman

NEW NON-FICTION

The Healing Power of Essential Oils by Eric Zielinski
I’ll Be Gone in the Dark: A True Crime Story by Michelle McNamara

NEW JUVENILE FICTION

Recess is a Jungle! By Jack Chabert
Sam Battles the Machine! By Jack Chabert
School Freezes Over! By Jack Chabert
Wonder by R.J. Palacio
The Bad Guys in: Alien VS Bad Guys by Aaron Blabey

NEW DVD’S

Central Intelligence
Foxcatcher
Jason Bourne
Murder on the Orient Express
The Shape of Water
Thor: Ragnarok

A Wrinkle In Time

Now a major motion picture, the book A Wrinkle In Time by Madeleine L’Engle is available for checkout, in both written and graphic novel format. Come read it before you see it!