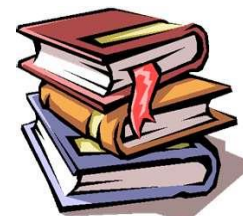


Library Chats...

for the love of books



Friends of the Chatsworth Library Newsletter

Chatsworth Branch Library: 21052 Devonshire St., Chatsworth, CA 91311

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LIBRARY HOURS	(818) 341-4276
Mondays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Tuesdays	12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Wednesdays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Thursdays	12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Fridays	9:30 am – 5:30 pm
Saturdays	9:30 am – 5:30 pm
Sundays	Closed
Major Holidays	Closed

SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES:

See newsletter for a list of scheduled events.

Or visit our Friends Calendar at www.laplchatsworthfriends.org

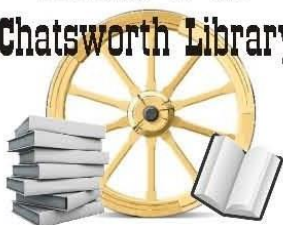
LIBRARY STAFF

Senior Librarian: Jan Metzler

FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY OFFICERS

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Member-at-large:	Donna Boswell
Member-at-large:	Joe Monsour

Friends of the
Chatsworth Library



Join us at our Giant Book Sale

Saturday, Jan 19th
10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Plenty of New–Used books to read!

Our quarterly Giant Book Sale is almost here. It's time to get some like-new books at special prices. We once again have thousands of books we have been collecting to make available to the public and our members.

As usual we have almost new hard-bound books and a huge selection of paperbacks to stock up on for your reading pleasure, at a fraction of the cost of new books. Hardbound books are \$1.00 and paperbacks are only 50 cents each.



MEMBERS ONLY: Drop by Friday, **Jan 18th** from **2:00 to 4:00 pm** as we set up for the Saturday book sale. We will sell books Friday afternoon to members only, so drop by to help us set out the books and see what we have to offer at this special preview sale.

If you miss this one, our next book sale will be April 20, 2019.

President's Report

President - Ann Vincent

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL.....

Our Library continues to offer a variety of programs for all age groups to enjoy and get involved with. They range from pre-school storytelling with Chris, our Children's Librarian, to assistance with homework supplies (including laptops) from our Student Zone Helper after school, along with our Thursday Afternoon movies once a month featuring recently released hits and much more. Thank you for your support as we work to raise funds to create fun programs for our library.

We would like to acknowledge the passing of JoAnn Stipkovich, a longtime member and Friend of the Chatsworth Library. She will be missed!

Ann Vincent

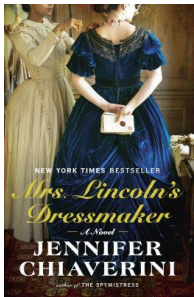
Library Book Club

Chairman – Clara Woll

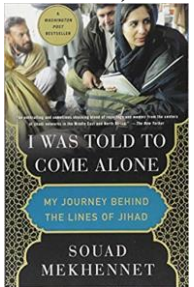
The Chatsworth Library Book Club meets the first Wednesday of every month from 1:30-3:00 PM in the Library Meeting Room, 21052 Devonshire Street, phone 818-341-4276. Our members choose the books that they want to read, so we cover a large variety of subjects, both fiction and non-fiction. Our discussions are fun and insightful. The books can be ordered from the Library. Come join us! Our next book will be:

January 2, 2019 – Open Forum – Please come prepared to share information about a book you have read that you think would be of interest to others.

February 6, 2019 – Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker by Jennifer Chiaverini – Fiction-2013 – 358 pages. The story of freedwoman Elizabeth Hobbs Keckley, who meets first lady Mary Todd Lincoln in Washington D.C. and becomes her personal dressmaker and confidante.

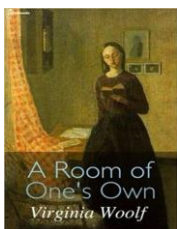


March 6, 2019 – I was told to come alone: my journey behind the lines of jihad – by Souad Mekhennet – Call # 322.42092 E55 Me – 2017 - 354 pages. A memoir of the Washington Post reporter who identified Jihadi John. She is a Muslim, born and educated in Germany. She introduces us to the human beings behind the ominous headlines.



April 3, 2019 – Mystery Month – Please come and share information about a mystery you have read and think others would enjoy.

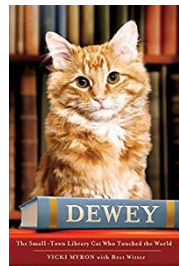
May 1, 2019 – A Room of One's Own – by Virginia Woolf – Call # 828.W 913 – 1991 – 125 pages. Woolf expounds on the importance of women having financial independence in order to be creative. She believes this is particularly important for writers.



June 5, 2019 – The Paris Wife: a novel by Paula McLain Fiction – 2011 – 320 pages. The heart-wrenching story of ambition and betrayal that captures the love affair between Ernest Hemingway and his first wife Hadley.



July 3, 2019 – Dewey: the small town library cat who touched the world by Vicki Myron- Call # 636.8 M 998 – 2008 – 277 pages. Stories of an amazing cat that was dropped as a frostbitten kitten into an Iowa library book drop one cold night. He became a cat who seemed to know who needed his love and tenderness most.



Thursday Afternoon Movies

Chairpersons – Zena and John Thorpe

January 24, 2019, Thursday, 1:30 pm
Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again



PG-13 | 1h 54min | Comedy, Musical, Romance July 2018

Five years after the events of Mamma Mia! (2008), Sophie prepares for the grand reopening of the Hotel Bella Donna as she learns more about her mother's past.

February 28, 2018, Thursday, 1:30 pm
Jurassic World Fallen Kingdom



PG-13 | 2h 8min | Action, Adventure, Sci-Fi 2018

When the island's dormant volcano begins roaring to life, Owen and Claire mount a campaign to rescue the remaining dinosaurs from this extinction-level event.

Seated Yoga / Stretch / Core / Strength!

Wednesday & Friday Mornings
10:30AM to 11:30AM

On Wednesdays, we rotate Seated Yoga, Seated Stretch and Seated Core. On Friday, we have Seated Strength. Everyone uses water bottles from the meeting room refrigerator as the weights! Pick up a branch calendar to see what is scheduled. We're inviting everyone to come take a fun seated exercise class!

Library Staff Presents

Sat 10:30am STAR READING WITH MARY
Bring your children to hear Miss Mary read a story and give an occasional craft.

Wed 10:30am TINY TOTS STORY TIME with Miss. Susan

Friday 12 noon FREE ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLASS

Join us for English Conversation Classes, No registration required.

February 5 - Tues 3:30 pm UKE CAN DO IT - Three-Week Classes

Learn the basics of the ukulele, with a three week class with acclaimed musician and teacher Celia Lawley. Beginners welcome; all materials provided.

Also at our Chatsworth Library -- **Aerospace in the Valley** **Jan 14, Monday 6:30-7:30 pm - THE SKUNK WORKS**

Please join us for the first in our series of two presentations of "Aerospace in the Valley" as we learn about the famous Lockheed Skunk Works which were based in the San Fernando Valley before they moved to Plant 42 in Palmdale California. Bob Ream who worked at Lockheed Aircraft for 45 years will pull aside the curtains of secrecy and give us a rare glimpse into the super-secret black budget aircraft.

Jan 23, Monday 6:30-7:30 pm - HISTORY OF ROCKETDYNE

Join us for the last of our presentations of "Aerospace In the Valley" as we learn the history of the Rocketdyne Santa Susana Facility. Come and hear Ray Vincent of the Chatsworth Historical Society as he recounts the history of the place where the rockets which propelled Americans into orbit and kept our nation safe were developed and tested.

Presented by:

Chatsworth Branch Library, Valley Relics Museum & Chatsworth Historical Society

LIBRARY FOUNDATION of Los Angeles

21 Collections: Every Object Has a Story



The collections will be on display at the Central Library, Getty Gallery - Friday, September 28, 2018 to Sunday, January 27, 2019. The display 21 Collections: Every Object Has a Story is an exhibition that examines the role collections play in telling our personal stories, those of our communities and Los Angeles at large.

Following the theme of Stories for this month the Dept of Cultural Affairs of LA is sponsoring this event at the Chatsworth Library:

Saturday January 26 1:00pm **SAILING THROUGH A SEA OF TALES** Presented by Fantasy Story Theater

The zany team of Lorrie Oshatz and Theresa Amy puts a fresh spin on folktales, fables and rhymes from around the world. Many of your favorite stories will spring to life using a variety of engaging props, costumes and masks. The unique interactive storytelling experience will be sure to captivate any audience, so bring the family.

FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY

Goals:

To assist the Library and Staff by raising funds to acquire additional books and providing program opportunities that enhance the educational outreach to our community.

How you can help:

Donate used books that may be added to the shelves of the library or sold by the Friends to raise funds to purchase books, library aids or sponsor community programs. Donated Books, CD's, and DVD's can be dropped off at the Library and are tax deductible.

How can you join FRIENDS?

Mail the form included in this newsletter to the address shown. Members receive the quarterly Friends Newsletter "Library Chats" and invitations to special book sales and events.

Our Newsletters are now available on our Website (www.laplchatsworthfriends.com):

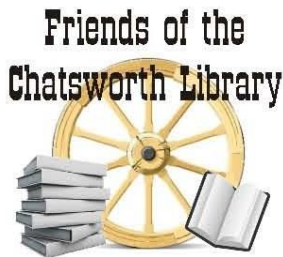
In an effort to save postage and printing costs, our newsletters are now posted on our website for easy access. If you would like to save us the cost of printing and mailing a newsletter to you, please send an email to chatsworthfriends@gmail.com and request to be taken off the list that is printed and mailed. We will add you to our email list and email future newsletters to you, plus you can always get a copy on our website. Every dollar counts!

Participate in our Monthly Friends Meetings:

Scheduled the second Tuesday of the month from 7 to 8 pm at the library. Please Note: We do not meet in July, August and December.

Volunteer to help staff our Book Store Room:

Contact the Reference desk or email chatsworthfriends@gmail.com to find out how to schedule time to help sell books to the library patrons.



Thank you for your participation, it makes it possible for all of us to continue to provide a valuable service to our community.

Membership forms are available in this newsletter and will also be available at the Book Sale.

If your dues are due and you receive your newsletter by email... we will send you an email to let you know.

*However if there is an * on your mailing label? Then it's time to RENEW your membership.*



FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY

We invite you to join or renew your membership to support our outstanding library and the community it serves. Return this cutoff with your membership dues and/or contribution made payable to:
Friends of Chatsworth Library, 21052 Devonshire Street, Chatsworth, CA 91311

New Member

Yearly:

Life Membership:

Renewal

Individual \$5.00

Supporting Membership \$25.00

\$ 100.00

Family or Organization \$10.00

Contributing Membership \$50.00

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