



STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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March Events at the Riverbank Library

Visitors to the Riverbank Library this March can enjoy free crafts and activities for children, as well as free tax preparation assistance and a book club program for adults.

The public is invited to receive free tax preparation assistance from Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) volunteers, trained by the IRS. Sessions will be held at the Riverbank Library through March 29 on Wednesdays from 4 to 7:30 p.m. Please call the library at (209) 869-7008 to reserve a spot, as space is limited.

Children and their families are invited to a Dr. Seuss party in celebration of the author's birthday on Thursday, March 2 at 3 p.m. Participants will make Thing 1 and Thing 2 bookmarks and craft hats inspired by the Cat in the Hat. Children who find the Cat in the Hat hiding in the library will win a prize. A birthday cake will be provided by the Friends of the Riverbank Library.

The Mayor's Book Club will be held on Monday, March 6 at 11 a.m. Mayor Richard O'Brien will read a story to preschool age children and their families at the library following Story Time.

Children can take part in the "Crazy 8s Math: Funky Fractals" program on Tuesday, March 21 at 3:30 p.m. This program is designed to teach math concepts through fun, hands-on activities. Participants will learn about fractals, or repeating patterns of shapes, by building them out of colorful waxy string.

The Riverbank Library Book Club will meet on Tuesday, March 28 at 4 p.m. to discuss *The Story of Edgar Sawtelle* by David Wroblewski. Library book clubs provide an opportunity for community members to expand their knowledge of books through meaningful discussion with others.

The Riverbank Library is located at 3442 Santa Fe St. in Riverbank. For more information, please contact the Riverbank Library branch supervisor, Victoria Holt, at (209) 869-7008.

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