



## STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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### March Events at the Nick W. Blom Salida Regional Library

The Nick W. Blom Salida Regional Library will offer free programs for children and adults this March, beginning with free tax preparation assistance from Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) volunteers on Mondays from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. VITA volunteers are trained by the IRS. Please call the library at (209) 543-7315 to reserve a spot, as space is limited. The last day for tax preparation at the Salida Library will be April 4.

Community members are invited to join the Salida Library Book Club on Tuesday, March 8 at 10 a.m. for a discussion of *Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood* by Rebecca Wells. Interested parties can visit the library's circulation desk to take advantage of the copies available for checkout, though please note that supplies are limited. Call Isabel at (209) 543-7315 for more information.

"Wee Move and Play" will be held on Tuesday, March 8 at 4 p.m. This program features an hour of music, movement, and sensory play for toddlers and preschoolers.

The Friends of the Salida Library will hold a used book sale on Thursday, March 10 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, March 12 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Shoppers can choose from a wide range of books for all ages, at bargain prices.

Children are invited to Stay and Play, Play and Learn after Story Time on Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. Participants can enjoy music, movement, and sensory play.

The Modesto Money Mavens will host a free couponing class on Saturday, March 12 at 3:30 p.m. Participants will learn how to find bargains and save money.

Family Dinner and Movie Night will take place on Tuesday, March 15 at 6 p.m. Families are invited to bring a picnic dinner to a showing of the Disney Pixar animated film, *Inside Out*. Participants are encouraged to bring a blanket on which to sit, and children may come in pajamas. The library will provide a beverage and popcorn.

A free Computer Basics class will be held on Thursday, March 17 at 10 a.m. This basic introduction to computers will include an explanation of the parts of the computer, a tour of Windows, and simple tasks.

Children are invited to build and play with LEGOs on Tuesday, March 22 at 4 p.m. DUPLO blocks will be available for children under the age of 4, however they must be supervised by a parent or adult guardian. Children's programs are sponsored by the Friends of the Salida Library. The Salida Library is located at 4835 Sisk Road. For more information, please call the Salida Library's Branch Supervisor, Carol Blomquist, at (209) 543-7353.

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