

STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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May Events at the Newman Library

This May, the Newman Library will free host programs for children, teens and families.

On Tuesday, May 4 at 10 a.m., ages 17 and under are invited to celebrate Star Wars Day by finding the library's hidden Yoda. Each participant who finds Yoda will receive a button while supplies last.

Family Fun Day will be held on Saturday, May 6 at 10 a.m. The library will provide coloring materials (paper, colored pencils and crayons) and various board games for families to enjoy. Participants are welcome to bring their own coloring materials.

Children can take part in a craft for Mother's Day on Tuesday, May 9 at 3 p.m. Crafters will make cupcake cards out of cupcake liners and buttons.

The library will host LEGO® Days on Thursdays, May 11 and 25 at 3:30 p.m. Participants will have the opportunity to create LEGO® displays for the library. Children under the age of 4 must have direct parental supervision.

Toddlers and preschoolers can enjoy "Wee Move and Play" on Fridays, May 12 and 26 at 10 a.m. This program features an hour of music, movement, and sensory play.

"STEAM* Craft: Newspaper Tower" will be held on Saturday, May 13 at 1:30 p.m. (*Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) This craft will begin with a reading and discussion on the topic of buildings. Children will then build structures out of newspaper and tape. Participants will simulate wind storms to test their buildings' structural integrity. This program is designed for ages 5 to 12.

A graduation button craft will be held on Saturday, May 27 at 1:30 p.m. Teens are invited to choose from a variety of designs to make buttons to keep or gift to graduates.

Newman Library is located at 1305 Kern St. in Newman. For more information, please call the Newman Library branch supervisor, Thomas Kaps, at (209) 862-2010.

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