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# STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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## Día de los niños/ Día de los libros celebrations at Stanislaus County Libraries

This spring marks the Stanislaus County Library's 10th year of celebrating Día de los niños/ Día de los libros, or Day of the Child/Day of the Book. Día is a national celebration, held annually in the spring, which emphasizes the importance of literacy for every child, regardless of linguistic or cultural background.

The Stanislaus County Library began celebrating Día in 2006 with a Dinner Theater program at the Modesto Library. The program has grown to become a multicultural event featuring programs such as Story Time, crafts, activities, performers, book giveaways and informational booths. This year, each library will feature a Story Time program and STEAM activity. (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) In addition, each child will receive a commemorative activity book and a free new book, through the Stanislaus READS! Initiative.

# **Modesto Library**

Saturday, April 2, 10 a.m.–1 p.m. 1500 I St., (209) 558-7810 \*Additional book giveaway provided by Friends of the Modesto Library.

#### **Waterford Library**

Tuesday, April 5, 3:30 p.m. 324 E. St., (209) 874-2191

# **Riverbank Library**

Saturday, April 16, 1-3 p.m. 3442 Santa Fe St., (209) 869-7008

#### **Hughson Library**

Tuesday, April 19, 3 p.m. 2412 A Third St., (209) 883-2293

#### **Keyes Library**

Wednesday, April 20, 1 p.m. 4420 Maud Ave., (209) 664-8006

# **Ceres Library**

Thursday, April 21, 3:30 p.m. 2250 Magnolia, (209) 537-8938

# **Newman Library**

Saturday, April 23, 1 p.m. 1305 Kern St., (209) 862-2010

# **Denair Library**

Thursday, April 28, 3 p.m. 4801 Kersey Rd., (209) 634-1283

# Oakdale Library

Saturday, April 30, 11 a.m. 151 S. First Ave., (209) 847-4204

#### **Turlock Library**

Saturday, April 30, 2 p.m. 550 Minaret Ave., (209) 664-8100

# Nick W. Blom Salida Regional Library

Tuesday, May 3, 4 p.m. 4835 Sisk Rd., (209) 543-7315

#### **Patterson Library**

Saturday, May 7, 12-2 p.m. 46 North Salado, (209) 892-6473