

March 2025

Color Code: All Ages BLUE | Children & Families ORANGE | Grades K-5 GREEN | Teens TEAL | Adults GREY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 2-4p 3D Printing Appt
2	3 11a Tai Chi 1p Book Group	4 10:30a Family Storytime 11a-1p 3D Printing Appt 3:30p 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	5 10:30a Preschool Storytime	6 10:30a Baby Bounce Storytime 3:30p 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	7 11a Creative Writing Group 3p Lego Club	8 2-4p 3D Printing Appt
9	10 11a Tai Chi 6p Sound Meditation (Registration Required)	11 10:30a Family Storytime 11-1p 3D Printing Appt 3:30p SMC Parks Tidepool Explorations 4p Paws for Tales (Registration Required) 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	12 10:30a Preschool Storytime 11:30a Knitting Workshop	13 10:30a Baby Bounce Storytime 3:30p Snow Queen with the Academy of Ballet 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	14 11a Creative Writing Group 3p Lego Club	15 2-4p 3D Printing Appt 3p Chinese Calligraphy (In-Person Registration Required)
16	17 11a Tai Chi	18 10:30a Family Storytime 11-1p 3D Printing Appt 12p Computer Basics: Computer Security 3:30p 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	19 10:30a Preschool Storytime 3p Women in STEAM: Beetle Lady	20 10:30a Baby Bounce Storytime 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	21 11a Creative Writing Group 3p Lego Club	22 11a Armchair Travel: Ireland 2-4p 3D Printing Appt 2:30p Mindfulness and the Art of Looking
23	24 11a Tai Chi 3:30p Live Music with The Sampaguitas: Philippine Folk Songs and Inspired Originals	25 10:30a Family Storytime 11a Stylized Women's Portraits in Watercolor (In-Person Registration Required) 3:30p Live Music with Violinist, Mads Tolling 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	26 10:30a Preschool Storytime	27 10:30a Baby Bounce Storytime 3:30p 4-6p 3D Printing Appt	28 11a Creative Writing Group 3p Lego Club	29 10a Women's Self Defense Seminar (Registration Required) 2-4p 3D Printing Appt
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Storytimes

Family - Tuesdays at 10:30 am

Preschool - Wednesdays at 10:30 am

Baby Bounce - Thursdays at 10:30 am

SMC Parks Tidepool Explorations

Tuesday, March 11 at 3:30 PM

Dive into adventure and discover what lives in the intertidal zone! Explore tidepools and learn from San Mateo County Parks how animals survive in one of the harshest habitats in the world. We will investigate a Tidepool Mystery Box together as well as make a tidepool craft, all while learning about local places to visit tidepools. This program is for elementary school kids in 2nd-5th grades.

Paws for Tales

Second Tuesday of the Month at 4:00 PM

Do you have a reluctant reader? Sign your child up to have their own session to practice reading with a therapy dog at the library. Register for your 10-minute slot at smcl.org/pawsfortales

Snow Queen with Academy of Ballet & Etiquette

Thursday, March 13 at 3:30 PM

This program is for young children aged 3-7. Join us for an active program inspired by the ballet Snow Queen. Sneak away on DEMI POINTE like the Summer Princess, TWIRL like the embittered Snow Queen who looks for her sister. LEAP like Kai, who runs from Jack Frost and STRETCH like the the Arctic Wolves who dodge to find Kai and his love Gerda. This story, by Hans Christien Andersen, is also the basis for the movie Frozen! As the story unfolds, your child will also learn technique and classroom manners.

Women in STEM: Beetle Lady - Bugs of Pokémon

Thursday, March 13 at 3:30 PM

The creator of Pokémon, Satoshi Tajiri, spent his childhood collecting bugs in the Japanese countryside. His love of bugs can be seen throughout Pokémon from the buggy pocket monsters that were inspired by real insects and arachnids, to the Pokémon attacks and abilities that actually exist in the real world. Come learn with the Beetle Lady all about the bugs that inspired Pokémon and how the game of Pokémon and the science of Entomology are alike!

Sound Meditation

Monday, March 10 at 6:00 PM

This 60-minute sound meditation will start with a brief introduction to sound bowl/meditation followed by a sound bowl meditation experience. Guests should bring a yoga mat and something warm to keep them comfortable. Reserve your spot at smcl.org/events

Chinese Calligraphy

Saturday, March 15 at 3:00 PM

Chinese calligraphy is a treasure of traditional culture, combining artistic expression with profound cultural significance. This workshop is designed for adults, integrating the basics of calligraphy, cultural stories, and creative artmaking. Register in person at the front desk!

Computer Basics: Computer Security

Tuesday, March 18 at 12:00 PM

In this introductory class on Computer Security Basics, you'll embark on a journey to safeguard your digital world. We'll start by demystifying fundamental security concepts, ensuring you grasp key terms like malware, viruses, and trojan horses. You may bring your own device if you like.

Armchair Travel: Ireland

Saturday, March 22 at 11:00 AM

Experience the duality of rural and big city Ireland through the eyes of the Fitzgerald brothers!

Live Music with The Sampaguitas

Monday, March 24 at 3:30 PM

Based in the San Francisco Bay Area, The Sampaguitas sing Filipino folk songs and inspired originals in three-part harmony.

Stylized Women's Portraits in Watercolor

Tuesday, March 25 at 11:00 AM

Adults, join us for a special watercolor workshop in celebration of Women's History Month! Suitable for all skill levels, this workshop provides all materials - just bring your creativity! Register in person at the front desk.

Live Music with Violinist, Mads Tolling

Tuesday, March 25 at 3:30 PM

Join us for our Spring 2025 Live Music Series with Violinist, Mads Tolling and his pianist, a duo performance. Mads Tolling, an internationally renowned violinist and composer, is a two-time Grammy Award-Winner and his recordings have received rave reviews in The Washington Post and The San Francisco Chronicle.

Women's Self Defense Seminar

Saturday, March 29 at 10:00 AM

This seminar is a 2-hour reality-based crash course in both the physical and psychological response to violence. The focus is on basic awareness skills, boundary setting strategies and instinctive combative techniques that function under stress. This seminar is open to all. Reserve your spot at smcl.org/events

Tai Chi

Mondays at 11am

Join Tai Chi instructor Ben Dineen in the Native Plant Garden as he leads a sixty-minute class open to all ability levels.

Book Group

1st Monday of the Month at 1pm

Join us for a discussion of select fiction and non-fiction books on the first Monday of the month. Find out the book of the month at the front desk.

Knitting Workshop

2nd Wednesday of the Month at 11:30 AM

Beginner and intermediate knitting workshop for anyone who wants to learn how to knit and/or practice their techniques. All are welcome!

Creative Writing Group

Fridays at 11am

Join our creative writing group to exchange constructive, encouraging feedback with other writers and readers. All are welcome!

Mindfulness & the Art of Looking 4th Saturday of the Month at 2:30pm

Expand your observation process through mindfulness practices to help increase awareness and mindful presence.