

Coming Up

@ the Library



The Tulare County Public Libraries



October – December 2005

All story times and the study center at Visalia have started up again.

October

Sat., the 1st – from 10am to 2pm - Friends of the Library Book Sale in the courtyard at the Visalia Library. Books for adults for \$1 and lots of children's books for 25 cents each.



Mon. evening, the 27th - Halloween Carnival – Special Halloween evening for kids at the Visalia Library starting at 6:30 PM.

Teen Read Week – Oct. 17th - 23rd (See the American Library Association's Teen's Top Ten list of favorite books for 2004 - other side)

November

Sat., the 5th - from 10am to 2pm - Another Friends of the Library book sale in the courtyard at the Visalia Library. Money from the Friends' book sales help buy equipment and books for the libraries, and support the summer reading programs and adult programs.

Wed. morning, Nov. 3rd at 10:30, & Mon. Evening, Nov. 7th at 6:30 - "Election Day" story times at the Visalia Library - Kids, come and vote for your favorite story.

December

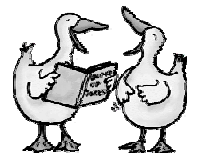
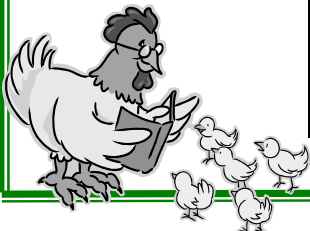
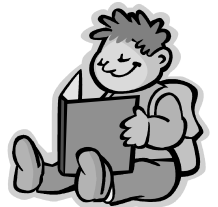


Sat., the 3rd - from 10am to 2pm - Yet another Friends of the Library book sale in the courtyard at the Visalia Library. Look for that extra Christmas gift!

Thurs., the 15th at 6:00 pm – Story Time Santa will be at the Visalia Library.

Tulare County Library Story Time Programs for Children

Branch	Day(s)	Time
Alpaugh	Tuesday	10:00 a.m.
Dinuba	Wednesday	10:30 a.m.
Earlimart	Monday	10:00 a.m.
Exeter	Friday	10:30 a.m.
Ivanhoe	Thursday	3:30 p.m.
Lindsay	Wednesday	10:30 a.m.
Orosi	Wednesday	10:30 a.m.
Pixley	Wednesday	11:00 a.m.
Springville	Wednesday	2:15 p.m.
Strathmore	Tuesday	10:15 a.m.
Three Rivers	Thursday	10:30 a.m.
Tipton	Thursday	10:30 a.m.
Visalia	Thursday	10:30 a.m.
	1st & 3rd Monday each month	6:30 p.m.
Woodlake	Wednesday	10:30 a.m.





Need help with homework?

Free After School VUSD Study Center @ the Library

Mon. Tues. & Wed. afternoons from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Upstairs in the Visalia Library conference room.

The Visalia Unified School District Study Center provides academic assistance to all students in the school district.

American Library Association's 2004 Teen's Top Ten Booklist

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| 1. <i>Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix</i> by J.K. Rowling | Fantasy |
| 2. <i>Eragon</i> by Christopher Paolini | Fantasy |
| 3. <i>Pirates!</i> by Celia Rees | Historical Fiction |
| 4. <i>Trickster's Choice</i> by Tamora Pierce | Fantasy |
| 5. <i>Inkheart</i> by Cornelia Funke | Fantasy |
| 6. <i>A Great and Terrible Beauty</i> by Libba Bray | Supernatural |
| 7. <i>The Goose Girl</i> by Shannon Hale | Fantasy |
| 8. <i>Princess in Pink</i> by Meg Cabot | Realistic |
| 9. <i>The Earth, My Butt, and Other Big Round Things</i> by Carolyn Mackler | Realistic |
| 10. <i>Curse of the Blue Tattoo</i> by L.A. Meyer | Historical Fiction |

Teens voted for their favorite young adult books on the ALA website during Teen Read Week, 2004

The Annie Mitchell History Room in the Visalia Library keeps Visalia High School year books and has several gaps that need filling. If you have yearbooks that you could donate call the Library History room for more information.

You may have noticed the fence around the old library building. The next step in our building project, the removal of lead paint and asbestos tile from the old library building, is now being accomplished without exposure to public or staff. We apologize for the loss of a number of our parking places during this time.

Visit the Library web page at www.tularecountylibrary.org Using your library card bar code number and your pin number, look at your own account to see what you have checked out and when your books are due. Click on "library catalog" and then "My Account".

Visit the Visalia/Tulare County Library Foundation web site at: www.tclibraryfoundation.org . Gifts to the Visalia/Tulare County Library Foundation help fund important library projects and services. The Foundation is a non-profit organization and gifts to it are tax deductible

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