

Newsletter of the Friends of the Woodland Public Library

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2015 MOODLAND PUBLIC BRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

Celebrate heroes this summer at this years " Every Hero has a Story" Summer Reading Program. We will have weekly outdoor programs, outside performer events, and of course, lots of prizes for reading!

Saturday, June 6, 1 pm Summer Reading Kickoff

Party for all participants. Hot dogs, watermelon, a bouncy house, and fun in the sun to start the program!

Tuesdays, 2 pm Weekly Programs

Outdoor events including crafts and activities, special performers in the Leake Center and more!

June 15-August 7 Prizes for reading

BABIES AND TODDLERS -

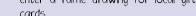
Parents engage with children in early literacy activities to receive a free prize and board book.

KIDS — Prizes are set up arcade style, which means readers get tickets for

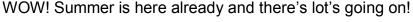
reading which they can use to buy from a large selection of toys and games.

TEENS — Complete challenges to receive prizes including your own chosen book, movie tickets, and a chance to win an

ADULTS — Adults will read books to enter a raffle drawing for local gift



cards.



Summer reading kicks off on June 6th so get ready to be rewarded for reading! One of my favorite things. Details on page 4.

We will be having our annual meeting on June 11th and will be ushering in a new board. Proposed slate of officers is: President—Retha Robertson, VP—Randy Russell, Treasurer—Diana Dearmore and Secretary—Rebecca Bunn. Come to the meeting and meet the new board, enjoy some delicious Indian food and a wonderful presentation by local author Meera Klein (details on page 7).

This is also the fiscal year end, so that means it's time to renew your membership (form on page 6). Everyone renewing (or joining) before June 30 will receive a \$5 book buck good at any Friends book sale.

Reminder: the book room is closed during the month of July, so be sure to stock up on your favorite books at the May and June sales!

Have a wonderful, safe summer. Don't forget the sun screen and your book! - Diana Dearmore, Editor.

FOL UPCOMING **EVENTS**

The Friends' schedule of upcoming events.

May Event: "Last Thursday" Book Sale - open to everyone! Thursday, May 30th 4 pm - 6:30 pm

June Events: Annual Membership Meeting

June 11th at 5:30 pm. Author Meera Klein will be visiting. There will be light appetizers, a short meeting and books to discuss, purchase and get signed. More information on page 7 and our website. www.woodlandfol.org www.meeraklein.com

"Second Saturday" Book Sale - open to everyone! Saturday, June 13th 9 am - 12 noon

"Last Thursday" Book Sale - open to everyone! Thursday, June 25th 4 pm - 6:30 pm

July Events: PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE ARE NO BOOK SALES DURING THE MONTH OF JULY.

August Events:

"Second Saturday" Book Sale - open to everyone! Saturday, August 8th 9 am - 12 noon

"Last Thursday" Book Sale - open to everyone! Thursday, August 27th 4 pm - 6:30 pm

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Book Room Update

The book room will be closed for sales during the month of July. We will be cleaning and organizing and getting ready for another year of great sales. Sales will be back in August. We will be having a several training and work days in July instead. If you are interested in participating, please email us at woodlandfol@yahoo.com and we will include you on the email list. Or call us at 666-0545 and leave a message. We will get back to you once the dates have been determined.

New for next year, we are asking everyone to sign in when they come to work in the book room. Starting in July, there will be a clipboard for you to sign in with your name, how many hours you work and which sections you worked on. This will help us keep track of volunteer hours for the library (very helpful in grant writing) and also let us know where we need get some additional help.

If you've always wanted to get involved with the book sales, this is a great time to volunteer. And, of course, many heartfelt thanks to our current group of wonderful loyal sorters that keep us going!



WOODLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY FAMILY LITERACY "PAINT NITE" FUNDRAISER

"Paint Nite" is a fun night out. Invite your friends to come paint in the Carnegie. All supplies and professional instruction by artist Carrie Posey is included. Come out, have some fun, support a good cause AND take home your version of the picture to the left, "Whimsical Birds".

Date: June 05, 2015 **Start Time:** 6:30 PM

Cost: \$45

To purchase tickets to this event, please use the link below: https://www.paintnite.com/pages/events/view/woodland/871844



Teens on the Go!!

*First ever Reading Club at WHS

- National Library Week
- Summer Reading Program



Woodland teens hosted their first Reading Club for Special Needs at Woodland High in May. This event partnered general education students with special education students and they read books and painted pictures together (see above picture)..

The teens also helped with the National Library Week celebration which included a performance by the Ballet Folkorico de Beamer.

Teens will have an opportunity to volunteer with the Summer Reading Program and be a local Hero! In addition to volunteering, there is a Teen Summer Reading Program where teens complete challenges to earn free books, movie theatre passes and a chance to win an iPad Mini. All details are on the library website at http://www.cityofwoodland.org/gov/depts/library/summerreading2015/default.asp

If your teen is interested in volunteering or participating in the in Summer Reading Program, please stop by the library to fill out an application or email the teen librarian. Thanks you!





The Teen Summer Reading
Program is brought to you
by the library's Teen
Advisory Board pictured at
left with the UC Davis
EAOP Team, Mayor Tom
Stallard, Council-Member,
Angel Barajas and Teen
Librarian, Rhea
Fabricante. Summer
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SUMMER READING... NOT JUST FOR THE KIDS. YOU CAN BE A SUPER HERO TOO!!!



ADULTS
18 YEARS OLD
AND UP

Program starts June 6, 2015. The Woodland Public Library is again holding its annual "Read for Fun" summer reading program for adults. Come revisit your childhood summer reading program and be rewarded for the joy of reading! This year's program runs from June 6 through August 1, 2015. Participants can fill out an entry form for every three books read or listened to and drop it by the library. Entry forms can also be picked up at the library. In early August, we will have a prize drawing from the entries submitted. Prizes consist of gift certificates from local businesses.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDA	Y THURSDA	Y FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Note: A free lunch will be served outsi Friday June 8 — July 31 for children up			JUNE	6 Kickoff Party 1 pm Leake Courtyard
	-	9 Drummm SHOW Leake Room 2 pm	10	11	12	13
WHITE OF	15	16 Be a Science Hero! Program Colored Liquid Bottles Balloon Penny Spinner Bubble Fun Magnetic Car Races South Lawn 2 pm	17	18	19	20 End of first reading period (40 tickets maximum)
2015 woodland	n	23 Be a Space Herol Program Foil Space Art Etching Galaxy Slime Table Constellation Sewing Cards Rocket Balloon Races South Lawn 2 pm	24	25	26	23
SUMMER		30 Xtreme Science Magic SHOW Leake Room 2 pm	JULY	2	3	4 End of second reading period (40 tickets maximum)
READING CALENDAR	6	7 Be a Nature Hero! Program Bird Seed Ornaments Clothespin Animals ZunZun Water Display Flower Pot Decorating South Lawn 2 pm	8	9	10	11
CALINDAR	13	14 Be an Art Herol Program Puzzle Piece Decorating idewalk Chalk Magazine Coasters Play Dough Fun South Lawn 2 pm	15	16	17	18 End of third reading period (40 tickets maximum)
	WEEKS	21 Magician Brian Scott SHOW Leake Room 2 pm	22	23	24	25
	BOOK WE	28 Be a Local Herol Program Dog Treats Project for Fourth and Hope Letters to Heroes Donate Food to the Food Bank South Lawn 2 pm	29	30	³¹ AUGUST	1 End of fourth reading period (40 tickets maximum)

"Every Hero Has a Story"

We are gearing up for the Summer Reading Program in the library as May draws to a close. Regular story times will continue throughout the summer, as well as a new evening story time on Thursdays at 6 PM where kids can wear their pajamas. The afterschool program will go on hiatus at the end of May for the summer, except for Lego Club, which will be moved to Saturdays.

The theme for the Summer Reading Program this year is "Every Hero Has a Story", and the kickoff party for children will be on Saturday. June 6th at 1 PM on the South Lawn. We will have bounce houses, games, free hot dogs and popcorn, and Jamba Juice smoothies for \$2. Kids can register for the free program starting on that day as well as throughout the summer.

Beginning on June 9th, there will be weekly Tuesday afternoon programs at 2 PM, with performers in the Leake Room or activities on the lawn. We have teen volunteers assisting with weekly programs and helping with the tickets and prizes throughout the summer.

There is something for everyone. Please join us.

It's free to read! And win!!

The Friends' new fiscal year is almost here...

...and that means that unless you are a lifetime member or recently renewed, your membership will lapse on June 30, so please renew today to continue as a member in good standing.

We have made renewing your membership as easy and convenient for you as possible. In this newsletter (on page 6) is a renewal form that you can fill out and mail with your check to the Friends at: PO Box 545, Woodland, 95776. You can also drop off at the library. You can also go to the Friends website www.woodlandfol.org and either download a copy of the form to complete and mail in or renew your membership on-line using PayPal.

The continued support of the Friends means so much to the library and its' programming. One of the main sources of our income is membership dues that we collect annually.

Thank you for your continued support through your membership renewal.



Senior(65 or older)/Student— \$10

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Family/Couple—\$25

Get a Jump on next year!! It is almost TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP

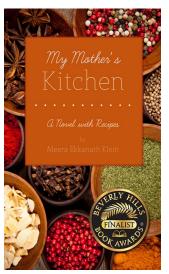
Thank you for being a member of the Friends and supporting the oldest operating Carnegie Library in California. Your Friends' membership and involvement help to sustain and enhance the work of the library and contributes to the cultural and civic life of the community. **Membership dues are due on or before June 30 each year.** Please take a few minutes to complete the form below to continue your membership benefits. You may make your check out to:

Friends of the Woodland Library (FOL) and mail to: FOL PO Box 545 Woodland, 95776 You may also pay your dues by going to www.woodlandfol.org and using PayPal, where you can use your debit or credit card, even if you don't have a PayPal account!

Individual—\$15

Business/Patron—\$50 Lifetime (per person) —\$250 Name: ______ Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: ____ Telephone: ____ Please list the names of those included in your Family/Couple membership: (only family members residing at one address, please): We hope you will want to participate on one or more of our committees, projects and special events. Please take a few minutes to indicate the ways in which you would like to help. I am interested in participating in the following activities: Special Events: Help plan/organize a special event/author visit or work on specific tasks related to the event. **Board of Directors:** Serve on the Friends of the Library board of directors. Publicity: Prepare press releases for submission to local media, Chamber and City calendars, and various websites. **Newsletter:** Be an editor, reporter, and/or photographer for the newsletter (published at least quarterly). Book sales. There are two ways to help: 1) sorting and shelving donated books and 2) working on sales day Please circle the one/s you are most interested in. Mystery Night: Help with set-up/clean-up, food/wine, silent auction, organize volunteers, programs, "crew" for the production, other. It takes many people with different skills and interests to make this event a success. **Volunteer Coordinator:** Help us coordinate our volunteers for special events, activities and book sales. Organizational Support: Computer work, pick up donations, mailings, other general support tasks, such as telephoning members to provide updates, encourage participation, etc.

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Author Meera Klein to speak at the Friends' Annual Meeting Wednesday, June 11 5:30 pm in the Leake Center



The Friends of the Library annual membership meeting and author presentation will be held on Thursday, June 11, in the Leake Room at the Woodland Library, 250 First Street. You must be a member to attend this event. There will be membership applications and renewals available at the door. All new and renewing members whose applications are received before June 30, 2015 will receive a \$5 book buck good at any FOL book sale in the upcoming year.

There will be a social "meet and greet" with the author starting at 5:30pm. Then there will be a short business meeting starting at 6:00, where the new officers will be installed. This will be followed by the author's presentation.

Meera Ekkanath Klein, author of the award-winning *My Mother's Kitchen* will speak. Ms. Klein, a resident of Northern California, honed her writing skills in a busy newsroom. She learned the art of Indian cooking from her mother while growing up in Southern India. *My Mother's Kitchen* combines these two skills to create a fascinating tale, which includes some wonderful Indian recipes. This novel was a finalist in the 2015 Beverly Hills International Book Awards in the multi-cultural category. This book has received praise from reviewers, such as Jonah Raskin, author of *Field Days, A Year of Farming, Eating and Drinking Wine in California* who noted:

"Meera Ekkanath Klein brings the rich flavors and the sumptuous tastes of India to life in her first book, **My Mother's Kitchen**. Part cookbook, part fiction, it introduces American readers to a world rarely glimpsed in the West. Klein offers easy-to-follow recipes and lifts the veil that has often concealed Indian life. Her memories of India, where she was born and raised, lift this book far above the ordinary. A must-read for mothers and daughters eager to try new spices, **My Mother's Kitchen** paints a portrait of an ancient culture of rare beauty and mouth-watering food."

Ms. Klein will speak, answer questions from the audience and offer attendees a sample of an appetizer from her book. Her books will be available for sale and signing (checks and cash only).

Please join us on Thursday, June 11, for this very special event! Meet your new officers for the upcoming 2015-2017 term, enjoy some delicious Indian food and drink and spend some time with your Friends. See FOL web site **www.woodlandfol.org** for more information.

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OPPORTUNITIES BELOW

BOOK SORTING VOLUNTEERS
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INTERNET BOOK SALES
BOOK SALES DAY COORDINATOR
NEWSLETTER EDITOR
MEMBERSHIP CHAIR
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR
MYSTERY NIGHT CHAIRPERSON
MYSTERY NIGHT PLAYWRITE
AUTHOR/PROGRAMS CHAIR

Email us: woodlandfol@yahoo.com or Call us: 530-666-0545 if you're interested

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If you know of anyone who wants to get involved with a fun bunch of people AND support a worthwhile cause, direct them to the Friends! There are one time and on-going opportunities available.

THERE ARE A LOT OF OPPORTUNITIES WITH SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

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Friends' Board Members

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Annual June
Meeting on June
11th, 5:30 pm