

# Santa Clara City Library

## The Page Turner

### Collect Your Prize for Our Summer Reading Challenge 2020!

Did you participate in the 2020 Reading is Magic Summer Reading Challenge? If you completed 25 hours of reading, make sure to head over to [sclibrary.beanstack.org](http://sclibrary.beanstack.org) and log all of your reading time. Then come during Curbside Pickup at Central Park Library to collect your prize: an exclusive 2020 Reading is Magic tote bag anytime in August! If you have an appointment to pick up your library holds at Mission Branch Library or Northside Branch Library, you may also collect your prize at the same time. Great job reading!



### DUAL ENROLLMENT: HOW TO EARN COLLEGE CREDIT WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL

**Monday, August 24**  
**7 PM**

Get a jump start on college! Learn how you can earn transferable college credit when you are still in High School. High school students can potentially have one or more years of college completed by the time they graduate high school. Learn more about Dual Enrollment from our friends at Mission College and how their program works, how many credits you can take, application process, and prerequisites that might be involved. Registration is required.

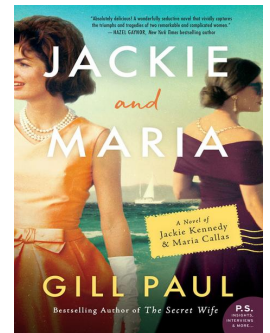
### COUNT 'EM UP STORYTIME

**Tuesday, August 25**  
**10:30 AM**

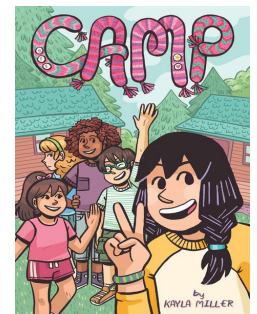
Get ready for numerous songs and stories all about numbers and counting! Join us to practice counting in this numbers based storytime! You can count on us to have a good time!



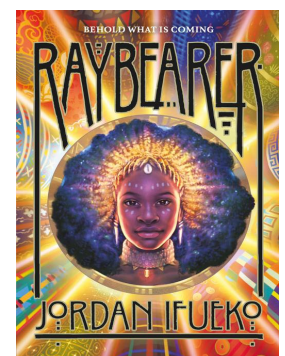
### New eBooks Available Now!



Jackie and Maria  
by Gill Paul



Camp  
by Kayla Miller



Raybearer  
by Jordan Ifueko

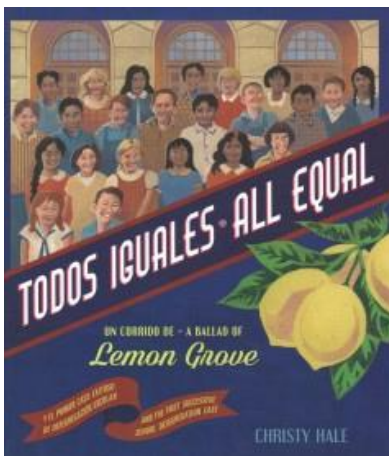
# CITY OF SANTA CLARA BELOW MARKET PURCHASE (BMP) PROGRAM ORIENTATION & APPLICATION WEBINAR

**Tuesday, August 25**

**1 PM**

Learn about the City of Santa Clara Below Market Purchase (BMP) program for homeownership. Housing Trust Silicon Valley is the BMP administrator for the City of Santa Clara. This webinar is REQUIRED for homebuyers interested in applying for an available BMP home in the City of Santa Clara.

## MEET AUTHOR CHRISTY HALE OF TODOS IGUALES / ALL EQUAL



**Tuesday, August 25**

**2 PM**

Meet Christy Hale, award-winning author and illustrator of the picture book Todos Iguales/All Equal. Todos Iguales is a bilingual children's book that tells the true story of the first successful school desegregation case in the United States, which took place in Lemon Grove, CA. Todos Iguales: Un corrido de Lemon Grove/All Equal: A Ballad of Lemon Grove is written and illustrated by Christy Hale and published by Lee & Low Books. It received three starred reviews and was named a Notable Children's Book by the American Library Association. Please join us for this book talk followed by a Q&A.

## MANAGING EXPENSES IN TIGHT MONTHS

**Tuesday, August 25**

**5:30 PM**

Has your income been affected by COVID-19? Are you struggling to balance your income and expenses? At this 30-minute workshop, you will learn money management strategies that will help you keep up with your finances, even if you experience a loss in income or an emergency expense. Stay after the presentation for a Q&A session.

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## **Hoopla Highlights**



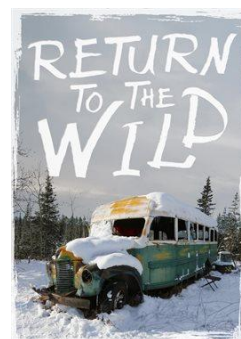
Movie:

All Roads Lead To Rome



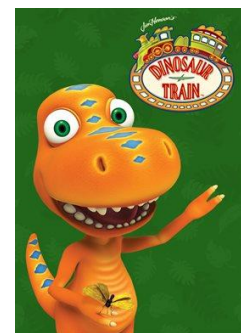
Television:

Joy Of Painting With Bob Ross



Documentary:

Return To The Wild



Kids:

Dinosaur Train

# EVALUATING PRESCHOOL/CHILDCARE OPTIONS DURING COVID-19



**Tuesday, August 25**

**7 PM**

With shelter-in-place restrictions changing, you may be considering your childcare options. How do you balance the need for ongoing childcare with your concerns about health and safety during these uncertain times? Learn how preschools are preparing to serve children, what young children need most for their social and emotional development, and participate in an engaging conversation with other parents about how to make a decision that fits your family's unique needs.

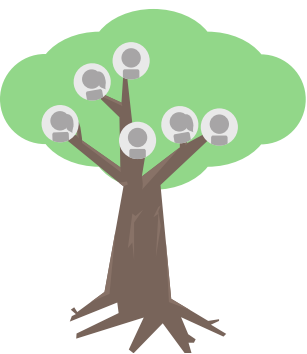
For Adults ONLY. Eventbrite registration is required.

This program is sponsored by Santa Clara City Library Foundation and Friends, Parents Place, and Las Madres Neighborhood Playgroups.

## GENEALOGY BASICS - SPECIAL INTEREST GROUP

**Wednesday, August 26**

**10 AM**



Join Santa Clara County Historical and Genealogical Society genealogy consultants for a Genealogy Basics Special Interest Group (SIG). If you are new to genealogy, returning to genealogy or simply want to review the basics, this group is for you. The group will meet monthly and will start with a short presentation or demonstration on a topic of importance to beginner genealogists. Following that, the facilitator will open the session for questions, comments and discussion.

To sign up for the SIG meeting if you haven't attended a previous session, send an email to [LibraryGenealogyConsultant@sccchgs.org](mailto:LibraryGenealogyConsultant@sccchgs.org) to obtain the meeting link.

## STEAM LAB: WATER SCIENCE



**Wednesday, August 26**

**2 PM**

Continue celebrating summer with a second round of summer STEAM labs! This time, we will be testing some awesome experiments with water, food coloring, and other household items.

## Get Your Next Reads from Our Librarians!

*What should you read next? Just ask our librarians! Our Bookmatch service is a quick, easy way to get your next book recommendations from experts on books. Just fill out our short survey to tell us a bit about books you've liked or disliked in the past*





# YOUR FAVORITE (ONLINE) TRIVIA



**Wednesday, August 26**

**7 PM**

We are going back through our vault of questions to present to you an online version of trivia. You can participate by yourself, with your family at home, or meet in a breakout room in Zoom and play with friends. Each team will digitally submit an answer sheet per round (Theme, Movie, Picture, General and Music), and scoring updates will be given throughout the evening. The winner gets to celebrate at home, however they see fit! The questions are written for an adult audience, but children and teens are welcome to play along.

Teams who wish to attend this online program must register through Eventbrite to receive a link to the event. Team Captains can register and send out the link to their teammates, or all teammates can register separately.

## ONLINE BOOK CLUB



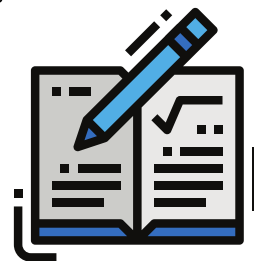
**Thursday, August 27**

**10:30 AM**

The Central Park Library's book club meets (almost) every 4th Thursday of the month to discuss books online! If you would like to join the discussion, please email [hlutke@santaclaraca.gov](mailto:hlutke@santaclaraca.gov) for the Zoom login.

We will be reading Laura Lippman's *Lady in the Lake* for this meeting!

## VIRTUAL MOCK SSAT & ISEE EXAM (FOR AGES 9-14 ONLY)



**Saturday, August 29**

**9 AM**

SSAT, or Secondary School Admissions Test, and the ISEE, or Independent School Entrance Examination, are standardized examinations used by admissions professionals at private elementary, middle, and high schools. Students will be given an option on which exam they'd like to take. You must arrive on-time as we will not let in the virtual room after 8:45 a.m. This is to simulate what it is like to take the actual test.

For Ages 9-14 ONLY.

Registration needs to be under your tween/teen's name so they can score the exam.

## CENSUS DIGITAL ESCAPE ROOM



**August 17th - September 4th**

**Online Anytime!**

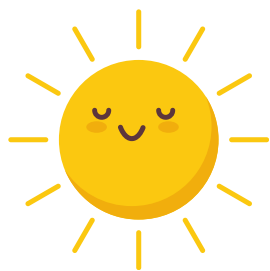
You've filled out your 2020 Census form for your family, but you haven't had a chance to mail it. From your bedroom window, you see the mail carrier coming down the street. You need to put the form into the mailbox to deliver it on time, but your older sibling decides to play tricks on you, making it difficult for you to reach the mailbox. Try your best to solve these puzzles and mail your 2020 Census form before the mail carrier arrives!

## Featured Storytime Online



Enjoy this cute take on the classic Mexican game of Lotería with Ms. Bea!  
¡Disfruta de esta linda versión del clásico juego mexicano de Lotería con Ms. Bea!

## Featured Sing Along Online



Join us for this sizzling Storytime Sing-a-long Summer's Here.

## Accessing Safari Books Online

Safari contains technical and business eBooks from publishers such as O'Reilly, Peachpit Press, and Que.

You can access the tutorial on our Youtube Page along with many other tutorials about library eResources!

## DIY CORNER

## ORIGAMI BOOKMARK CORNER

Welcome back to our Adult Crafting Series! This week we are learning about how to make an Origami Bookmark Corner. We hope you enjoy this tutorial.



*Questions? We Are Here to Answer!*

Have a question for the Library?

Call us Monday - Friday from 10am - 2pm at (408) 615-2900

Email us at [librarians@santaclaraca.gov](mailto:librarians@santaclaraca.gov)



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