# April 2024



Sunday 1:00-5:00	Monday 11:30-8:00	Tuesday 11:30-8:00	Wednesday 9:30-6:00	Thursday 9:30-6:00	Friday 9:30-6:00	Saturday 9:30-6:00
	1 CLOSED	2 4-7 Chess at the Beach	3 10-10:30 Outdoor Kids Dance Party	4 3-5:30 Ukulele Time	5	6 10-4 Free Tax Prep
			11-5 <b>Book Sale</b> : ½ Price!			
	Cesar Chavez Day (observed)		12-2 Gardening Exchang	re		
	(observed)		2-3 Afternoon Crafting			
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	10:03-12:23 Eclipse Viewing Party	4-7 Chess at the Beach	10-10:30 <b>Outdoor Toddler Storytime</b>	10:30-11 Virtual Storytime	2-3 Author Talk: Mary Lenox	1-4 Free Tax Prep *Late start on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday
	11-5 Book Sale		11-5 Book Sale	4-5 Book Group:	4-5 Spring into STEAM:	Late start on 2 Saturdays
	1-2:30 Adult Craft: Mandala Mondays		2-3 Afternoon Crafting	A Woman of No İmportance	Portable Planetarium— Explore the Night Sky	
	3-3:30 Spanish Storytime					
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
2-3:30 Vegan Cooking: National Pecan Day	11-5 Book Sale	12-2 Stitchin' Time	10-10:30 Outdoor Kids Dance Party	11 Friends Meeting *earlier time	5:30-7:30 Artist's Reception: Sihyeon Park	2-4 Library NExT: Pirate Science
	1-2:30 Adult Craft: Mandala Mondays	4-7 Chess at the Beach	11-5 Book Sale	3-5:30 Ukulele Time		
	3-3:30 Mandarin Chinese Storytime		2-3 Afternoon Crafting			
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	11-5 Book Sale	4-7 Chess at the Beach	10-10:30 Outdoor Toddler Storytime	10:30-11 Virtual Storytime	1-2:45 <b>Picture This:</b> <i>WALL-E (2008, G, 98 min)</i>	
	1-2:30 Adult Craft: Mandala Mondays	4-6:15 <b>Picture This:</b> Erin Brockovich (2000, R, 131 min)	11-5 Book Sale			
	3-3:30 Spanish Storytime		2-3 Afternoon Crafting			
28	29	30 4-7 Chess at the Beach		Aut Exhibition	Sibyoon Dayle	
	11-5 Book Sale		<b>Art Exhibition: Sihyeon Park Vujà dé':</b> April 2—June 6			
	1-2:30 Adult Craft: Mandala Mondays		'Vujà dé' (a far on both Kor	iar but new feeling) is all about Sihyeon Park's perspective an and American cultures. She combines representative		
	3-3:30 El Día de los Niños/ El Día de los Libros Storytime		Korean paintings, symbolic images of the U.S., and her personal story.  **Artist's Reception: Friday, April 19, 5:30-7:30pm**			

#### **Monthly Events for Adults**

**Book Discussion** A Woman of No Importance by Sonia Purnell. **2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday, April 11,** 4-5pm. May: Mecca by Susan Straight.

**Chess at the Beach** All ages & skill levels are welcome to play casual games in the library. **Tuesdays**, 4-7pm.

**Gardening Exchange** Bring your plants, plant cuttings, seeds, homegrown fruits and veggies, and cut flowers to the Cass Street Plaza to swap with local gardeners! 1st Wednesday, April 3, 12-2pm.

**Ukulele Time** Group sing & play-along for everyone who is interested in playing (or learning) the ukulele. 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays, April 4 & 18, 3-5:30pm.

**Vegan Cooking: National Pecan Day** Explore delicious plant-based food in this culinary demo! Tastings for first 30 attendees. **2**<sup>nd</sup> **Sunday, April 14,** 2-3:30pm.

#### **Fine Arts**

**Adult Craft: Mandala Mondays** Learn about the symbolism of mandalas then create your own. This is a 4-week series, where the mandalas get more complicated each week. Please register online for each session. **Mondays, April 8, 15, 22 & 29,** 1-2:30pm.

**Author Talk** Celebrate National Poetry Month with a reading by Dr. Mary Lenox from her latest book, <u>Seeing the Sacred in the Ordinary: Inspirational Poems of Love, Memory, Light, and Hope</u>. **Friday, April 12,** 2-3pm.

**Stitchin' Time** Knit, crochet, or sew with friendly crafters. Bring your own projects or experiment with supplies we'll provide. **3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday, April 16,** 12-2pm \**NEW*\*

## Picture This:

# Honor Earth Day with Environmental Films



Tuesday, April 23 at 4-6:15pm Erin Brockovich (2000, R, 131 min) A sassy, low -level law-office worker who becomes obsessed with a case involving a California utility company that's accused of polluting the drinking water in a small town. Starring: Julia Roberts, Aaron Eckhart, Albert Finney, Marg Helgenberger, Cherry Jones.



Friday, April 26 at 1-2:45pm WALL-E (2008, G, 98 min) Oscar-winning CGlanimated delight, set on a wasteland Earth circa 2800, where the last robot on the planet, a centuries-old trash compactor named WALL-E, romances a sleek, high-tech android. Starring: Ben Burtt, Elissa Knight, Jeff Garlin, Fred Willard, John Ratzenberger.

### Friends of the PB Library

Book Sale Support your library while shopping for bargain books and movies on the Cass Street plaza! On Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> most items will be ½ priced! Mondays & Wednesdays 11-5

**Friends Meeting** Get involved and offer input on our library's future. **Thursday, April 18**, 11am (earlier time).

#### **Children's Corner**

**Afternoon Crafting** Join us on the Patio for arts & crafts activities. **Wednesdays**, 2-3pm.

Mandarin Chinese Storytime Join Ms. Mei as she presents stories, songs and crafts in Mandarin. 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays, April 15, 3-3:30pm.

Outdoor Kids Dance Party Toddlers learn basic dance and movement skills while dancing to popular children's songs. Held outside on the Taylor Greene. 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, April 3 & 17, 10-10:30am.

**Outdoor Toddler Time** Children can enjoy simple stories, songs and community. Held outside on the Taylor Greene. **2**<sup>nd</sup> & **4**<sup>th</sup> **Wed., April 10 & 24,** 10-10:30am.

**Spanish Storytime** Enjoy bilingual stories and songs for children! **2**<sup>nd</sup> **& 4**<sup>th</sup> **Mondays, April 8 & 22,** 3-3:30pm.

**Virtual Storytime** Join us on Zoom for a fun and interactive story time. Register at *sandiego.librarymarket.com*. **2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays, April 11 & 25,** 10:30-11am.

#### **STEAM Programs**

**Eclipse Viewing Party** Join us on the Cass St. Plaza to view the Solar Eclipse! Bring your glasses, or we'll have viewers to share. There will also be a craft activity for kids. **Monday, April 8,** 10:03am-12:23pm.

**Spring Into STEAM:** *Portable Planetarium—Explore the Night Sky* Kids aged 9-12 can take an out-of-this-world journey inside the portable planetarium! Online registration required. **Friday, April 12,** 4-5pm.

**Library NExT: Pirate Science** Ahoy! Life as a pirate requires scientific ingenuity. Students in grades 3-5 will learn about the traditional suite of nautical arts, including celestial navigation, sword fighting, weather prediction, knot tying, ship construction, and sailing. Online registration required. **Saturday, April 20**, 2-4pm.

#### El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros

Day of the Child/Day of the Book is a yearly celebration of children, families, and reading. Join us for a special story time featuring diverse versions of popular fairy tales. **Monday, April 29,** 3-3:30pm.

#### **Free Tax Prep Assistance**

**Free Tax Prep** Volunteers from AARP's Tax-Aide program help prepare your income taxes. Appointments at the PB Library are all full, so those needing tax help should call 211 or ask library staff for a tax services referral list. **Saturday, April 6,** 10am-4pm, & **Sat., April 13,** 1-4pm.

#### **Holiday Schedule**

Mon., April 1—CLOSED: Cesar Chavez Day (observed)



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# **EVENTS**



Spring into STEAM is the San Diego Public Library's science-focused series of programs for students aged 9-12 years old. This year's theme is SPACE OUT. Attend SiS programs across SDPL, including **Portable Planetarium** at the PB Library on 4/12.

## **Library Hours**

Monday	11:30am - 8pm
Tuesday	11:30am - 8pm
Wednesday	9:30am - 6pm
Thursday	9:30am - 6pm
Friday	9:30am - 6pm
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Sunday	1pm - 5pm

