

**HEMET PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
REGULAR MEETING  
Friday, January 18, 2019  
300 E. Latham  
Hemet, CA 92543**

**MINUTES**

**\*\*\*Please silence your cell phones during the duration of the meeting.\*\*\***

**CALL TO ORDER/ Flag Salute** Vice President Kuehl called the meeting to order at 10:02 am. Roll call was taken, Vice President Keuhl, Trustees Day, Peterson and Covi were in attendance. President Seaton asked to be excused for health reasons. Trustees approved his absence. Also in attendance were Council Member Krupa, Sr. Librarian Caines, Deputy City Manager Christopher Lopez and his guest, Eileen Hart

**PRESENTATIONS AND INTRODUCTIONS** – Deputy City Manager Christopher Lopez introduced himself and his guest, Eileen Hart

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**

Anyone who wishes to speak before action is taken on the following items may do so at this time. The Board generally cannot take action on items not on this agenda.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

- 1. **Approval of Minutes** – December 21, 2018
- 2. **Expenditure Report** – December, 2018
- 3. **Performance Report** – December, 2018

Approved as submitted

**ANNOUNCEMENTS, COMMUNICATIONS AND REPORTS**

- 1. **President’s Report** – Noah Seaton
- 2. **Trustees’ Reports** - Library Trustees and council member Krupa requested that Kathye bring a report regarding in kind use of the use of the second floor so that a recommendation may be passed on to the Council Ad-Hoc committee for a better and more realistic awards for applicants.
- 3. **City Council Report** - Council Member Krupa  
**Keuhl**- no report  
**Covi** - presented information from Friends of the Library  
**Day** - Library in Philadelphia cold and sterile but great acoustics  
**Peterson** – no report
- 4. **Sr. Librarian’s Report** – Kathye Caines see attached for highlights. Kathye excused herself at 10:25 am and did not return. Council Member Krupa continued with minutes.
- 5. **Misc. Reports** - Friends of the Library, Library Foundation, others.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Events for February
2. Digital Newsletter
3. Donation of school shelving Kathy will write a letter to the HUSD expressing our appreciation.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

1. Get Your Comics On! Vol 2 Kathy reported on this exciting event. Here's to Vol. 3!
2. Budget Discussion Kathy will be bringing preliminary information and hope to present to the board something solid in March.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The next regular scheduled meeting will be held on  
Friday, February 15, 2019  
10:00am, Second floor  
300 E. Latham Ave.  
Hemet CA 92543

Summary of Sr. Librarians Report

- 📌 Get your comics on Vol. 2
  1. Door count 780
  2. Added Borrowers 71 new borrowers
  3. Brought in 582.75 for friends of the Library
  4. Spent \$1000
  5. 3 banners
  6. 2 art classes
  7. We have already begun to discuss Vol. 3
  
- 📌 I Got it... Now what – drop in for devices 1-19-2019
- 📌 Kiosk back in service
- 📌 Cubie 2 back in service
- 📌 Next month Budget discussion and recommendations
- 📌 Thanks to friends and foundation for their donations toward Summer Reading, **A Universe of Stories**
- 📌 Staff report regarding financial allocation for public servers going to council 1-22-2019
- 📌 Assistance League Hands Around the Library event 1-30-2019
- 📌 AARP will be providing Tax Aid with signups beginning 1-30-2019
- 📌 Genealogy Book Sale tomorrow
- 📌 Hemet News is now available up to 1958!
- 📌 New York times is in testing we will be releasing to the public soon.
- 📌 1-24 Collin Kartchner talk to Parents and students about the dangers of too much screen time.
- 📌 Thanks to Hemet Unified School district for donation of 5 ranges of shelving!
- 📌 Next month discussion regarding the use of Library meeting areas and governmental agencies and non profits.
- 📌 Ethics training 1-30-2019 2 pm.

COLLECTION			TOTAL	LIBRARY USE	19-Jan
ITEMS HELD - FIRST OF MONTH			<b>104,752</b>	LIBRARY USE	
ITEMS ADDED			615	NUMBER OF DAYS OPEN	18
ITEMS WITHDRAWN			-236	MONTHLY CUSTOMER COUNT	17,008
ITEMS HELD - END OF MONTH			<b>105,131</b>	AVERAGE DAILY	945
	<b>ADULT</b>	<b>JUV</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	INTERNET COMPUTER USERS	5,014
TOTAL CIRCULATION	19		22,407	AVERAGE DAILY	279
FICTION	4,911	7,692	<b>9,529</b>	Database Users	37,565
NON-FICTION	2,005	861	2,866	AVERAGE DAILY	2,087
PERIODICALS	447	30	477	LITERACY CENTER USERS	142
Spanish	121	297	418	Website Visits	914
Literacy	66	-	66	<b>TECHNICAL SERVICES</b>	
<b>SUBTOTAL - PRINT</b>	<b>7,550</b>	<b>5,806</b>	<b>13,356</b>	CATALOGED ITEMS ADDED	398
BOOKONTAPE /CD-READALONGS	502	73	575	DONATED MATERIALS ADDED	68
ebooks	1,023	205	1,228	<b>VOLUNTEER HOURS DONATED</b>	
MUSIC CD's	109	18	127	LIBRARY	301
DVD's	5,531	1,590	7,121	LITERACY	133
<b>SUBTOTAL - NON-PRINT</b>	<b>7,165</b>	<b>1,886</b>	<b>9,051</b>	FRIENDS	582
<b>SELF-CHECK : CHECKOUTS -</b>			<b>15,731</b>	HERITAGE ROOM	513
Kiosk	556		556	<b>TOTAL HOURS DONATED</b>	<b>1,528</b>
<b>LIBRARY PROGRAMS</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b># of programs</b>		Monthly FTE Volunteers	10
PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	128	4		<b>FINANCES - INTERNAL</b>	
SCHOOL-AGE PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	135	3		Save our Library	\$ 135.35
TEEN PROGRAM ATTENDANCE	3	1		FINES	\$ 2,529.61
<b>ADULT PROGRAM ATTENDANCE</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>20</b>		RTA Bus Passes	\$ 1,449.90
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>total</b>	RTA Bus Pass Admin	\$ 75.10
June	June	July		COPIES	\$ 672.45
lunch				Passports	\$ 2,225.00
snack				<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>	<b>\$ 7,087.41</b>
total meals				Total Circulation	<b>22,407</b>
* will be updated next month				Average Daily	<b>1,245</b>
				Hourly Circulation	155.6

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Expenditure Status Report  
City of Hemet  
1/1/2019 through 1/31/2019

110 GENERAL

Account Number	Adjusted Appropriation	Expenditures	Year-to-date Expenditures	Year-to-date Encumbrances	Balance	Pct Used
6100 LIBRARY SERVICES						
1100 SALARIES & WAGES	321,100.00	25,568.30	192,838.67	0.00	128,261.33	60.06
1200 SALARIES PART TIME	105,489.55	5,854.99	41,035.50	4,489.55	59,964.50	43.16
1250 TEMPORARY AGENCY STAFF	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1300 SALARIES OVERTIME	0.00	0.00	104.82	0.00	-104.82	0.00
1305 COMP TIME USED	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1310 COMP TIME PAID	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1400 OTHER FRINGE BENEFITS	12,300.00	1,600.98	12,129.85	0.00	170.15	98.62
1405 PERS Pension	117,100.00	9,577.76	74,348.41	0.00	42,751.59	63.49
1410 HEALTH PLANS	81,100.00	7,072.86	50,050.02	0.00	31,049.98	61.71
1415 WORKERS COMP CONTRIBUTION	40,200.00	0.00	20,100.00	0.00	20,100.00	50.00
1420 Special Pay	9,500.00	92.32	692.40	0.00	8,807.60	7.29
1425 PTO + Holiday	12,100.00	0.00	13,346.89	0.00	-1,246.89	110.30
1430 UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS	1,100.00	0.00	550.02	0.00	549.98	50.00
1450 RETIREE MEDICAL PREMIUMS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
1499 PERSONNEL SAVINGS	-24,800.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-24,800.00	0.00
Total SALARIES & FRINGE BENEFITS	675,189.55	49,767.21	405,196.58	4,489.55	265,503.42	60.68
2100 UTILITIES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2200 TELEPHONE/COMMUNICATION	15,092.50	3,192.46	3,773.03	10,232.50	1,086.97	92.80
2220 BOOKS-ADULT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2221 BOOKS-ADULT REFERENCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2222 BOOKS-JUVENILE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2223 BOOKS-YOUNG ADULT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2224 BOOKS-FOREIGN LANGUAGE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2225 BOOKS-PERIODICALS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2226 BOOKS-AUDIOVISUAL	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2227 BOOKS-JUVENILE REFERENCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2228 BOOKS-BESTSELLERS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2229 DATABASES - PATRON USE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2250 OFFICE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	1,000.00	0.00	3.74	0.00	996.26	0.37
2260 SOFTWARE PURCHASES	0.00	0.00	0.00	20,150.00	-20,150.00	0.00

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Account Number	Adjusted Appropriation	Expenditures	Year-to-date Expenditures	Year-to-date Encumbrances	Balance	Pct Used
2270	0.00	0.00	0.00	33,018.16	-33,018.16	0.00
2400	42,140.00	433.22	6,041.74	0.00	36,098.26	14.34
2450	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00
2460	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2550	25.00	0.00	25.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
2560	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00
2565	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2622	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2623	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2710	4,600.00	915.00	1,300.28	47,080.00	-43,780.28	1,051.75
2714	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2800	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total OPERATING SUPPLIES & SERVICES	63,457.50	4,540.68	11,143.79	110,480.66	-58,166.95	191.66
3611	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3612	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3613	277,000.00	0.00	138,348.00	0.00	138,652.00	49.95
3616	800.00	0.00	400.02	0.00	399.98	50.00
3617	1,500.00	0.00	750.00	0.00	750.00	50.00
3640	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3680	230,100.00	0.00	115,050.00	0.00	115,050.00	50.00
Total INTERNAL SERVICE CHARGES	509,400.00	0.00	254,548.02	0.00	254,851.98	49.97
4100	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4200	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4300	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total DEBT SERVICE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5300	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5400	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total CAPITAL OUTLAY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total GENERAL	1,248,047.05	54,307.89	670,888.39	114,970.21	462,188.45	62.97
Grand Total	1,248,047.05	54,307.89	670,888.39	114,970.21	462,188.45	62.97

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363 LIBRARY FACILITIES

Account Number	Adjusted Appropriation	Expenditures	Year-to-date Expenditures	Year-to-date Encumbrances	Balance	Pct Used
6100 LIBRARY SERVICES						
2220 BOOKS-ADULT	32,300.00	3,492.78	11,447.74	7,509.84	13,342.42	58.69
2221 BOOKS-ADULT REFERENCE	2,000.00	0.00	1,027.30	0.00	972.70	51.37
2222 BOOKS-JUVENILE	14,000.00	2,705.83	7,422.14	0.00	6,577.86	53.02
2223 BOOKS-YOUNG ADULT	6,000.00	485.09	1,826.95	0.00	4,173.05	30.45
2224 BOOKS-FOREIGN LANGUAGE	2,500.00	715.53	1,311.39	0.00	1,188.61	52.46
2225 BOOKS-PERIODICALS	9,500.00	0.00	4,497.00	0.00	5,003.00	47.34
2226 BOOKS-AUDIOVISUAL	44,000.00	1,706.26	16,756.42	11,324.78	15,918.80	63.82
2227 BOOKS-JUVENILE REFERENCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2228 BOOKS-BESTSELLERS	25,000.00	1,414.30	7,101.74	0.00	17,898.26	28.41
2229 DATABASES - PATRON USE	7,700.00	0.00	7,775.00	0.00	-75.00	100.97
2230 Books & Materials - Literacy Program	4,000.00	0.00	2,388.40	0.00	1,611.60	59.71
2250 OFFICE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	5,000.00	422.56	422.56	0.00	4,577.44	8.45
2260 SOFTWARE PURCHASES	12,000.00	0.00	0.00	12,000.00	0.00	100.00
2710 PROFESSIONAL/SPECIALIZED SERV	500.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00
2775 Investment Premiums Paid	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total OPERATING SUPPLIES & SERVICES	164,500.00	10,942.35	61,976.64	30,834.62	71,688.74	56.42
4100 DEBT SERVICE PRINCIPAL PAYMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4200 DEBT SERVICE INTEREST PAYMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
4300 FISCAL AGENT ADMINISTRATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total DEBT SERVICE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5300 OTHER IMPROVEMENTS	29,008.66	0.00	0.00	29,008.66	0.00	100.00
5400 MAJOR MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total CAPITAL OUTLAY	29,008.66	0.00	0.00	29,008.66	0.00	100.00
Total LIBRARY FACILITIES	193,508.66	10,942.35	61,976.64	59,843.28	71,688.74	62.95
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>193,508.66</b>	<b>10,942.35</b>	<b>61,976.64</b>	<b>59,843.28</b>	<b>71,688.74</b>	<b>62.95</b>

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160 LASALLE ENDOWMENT

Account Number	Adjusted Appropriation	Expenditures	Year-to-date Expenditures	Year-to-date Encumbrances	Balance	Prct Used
6100 LIBRARY SERVICES						
2250 OFFICE SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	30,000.00	1,547.30	14,199.64	1,291.40	14,508.96	51.64
Total LASALLE ENDOWMENT	30,000.00	1,547.30	14,199.64	1,291.40	14,508.96	51.64
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>30,000.00</b>	<b>1,547.30</b>	<b>14,199.64</b>	<b>1,291.40</b>	<b>14,508.96</b>	<b>51.64</b>

**From:** Jennifer McNeal  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 07, 2019 9:38 AM  
**To:** Library  
**Subject:** winter read-a-thon statistics

Total number of participants= 123

Total number of books read= 1045

**PARTICIPANTS:**

Registered Only	5 books	10 books	15 books
47	4	11	61

**AGES:**

3 yrs	4 yrs	5 yrs	6 yrs	7 yrs	8 yrs	9 yrs	10 yrs	11 yrs	12 yrs	13 yrs
13	7	15	8	15	11	18	10	8	10	6

Unknown age =2

Jennifer McNeal  
Hemet Public Library  
300 E. Latham  
Hemet, CA 92543  
(951) 765-2471  
Hours: Wed & Thur 9-7  
Fri & Sat 9-6

## Children's Spring Activities



### Ongoing Programs:

#### **Preschool Storytime**

Thursdays @ 11-11:45 (no storytime Feb. 21<sup>th</sup> or April 4<sup>th</sup>)

Stories, songs, and crafts geared for children ages 3-5 & mommies and daddies too!

### Special Events:

#### **Valentine Crafts**

February 2 @ 2-4

Crafts for children ages 3-12

#### **Family Storytime**

February 22 @ 4:30

Stories for the whole family to enjoy

#### **Western Science Academy Robotics Team**

February 28 @ 4

Learn all robots through hands-on activities!

#### **Dr. Seuss Celebration**

March 2 @ 2

Seuss stories and games

#### **Family Storytime**

March 22 @ 4:30

Variations on *The Three Little Pigs*

#### **Spring Crafts**

April 6 @ 2-4

Welcome Spring with fun crafts (ages 3-12)

#### **Earth Day Celebration**

April 20 @ 2

Stories and planting!

### **\*\*In-N-Out Reading Club\*\***

*March 2– April 13*

**Kids age 4-12**

Read 5 books to receive a certificate for a free hamburger at *In-N-Out* – earn all 3!



Sign-up at the Reference Desk

#### **Science on the Go!**

May 4 @ 2-3

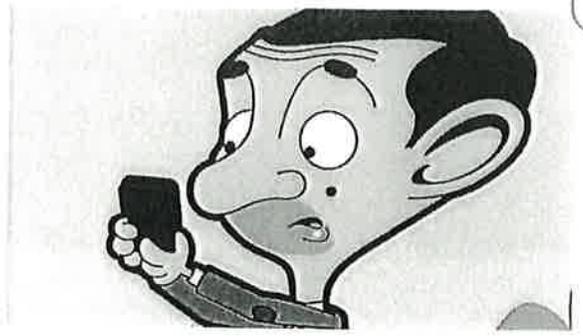
*Bringing the Outside In* through hands-on fun, live animals, & a presentation.

#### **Family Storytime**

May 18 @ 3:30

Stories and a craft





**Need help figuring  
out how to use that  
new phone or  
tablet?**

**Join our volunteers  
for some one on  
one instruction time**

**February 15<sup>th</sup>**

**@ 1pm**



**Hemet Public Library**

**300 East Latham Ave**

**Hemet, CA. 92543**

Sunset Rotary  
Festival of Fights

Oct 20, 2018

Breakdown of Costs

Refundable Deposit	Date	Time in	Time out	Total hours	Hourly costs	Dollars Spent
	10/18/2018 setup	3:00 PM	4:00 PM	1	106 hourly	\$ 106.00
	10/19/2018 setup	9:30 AM	10:00 PM	12.5	106 hourly	\$ 1,325.00
	10/20/2018 setup	9:30 AM	6:00 PM	8.5	106 hourly	\$ 901.00
	10-20 event	6:00 PM	11:00 PM	5	522 - 3 hours afterwards	\$ 772.00
	10-20 cleanup	11:00 PM	12:00 AM	1	106 hourly	\$ 106.00
	10-21 cleanup	10:00 AM	12:00 PM	2	106 hourly	\$ 212.00
				30		\$ 3,422.00
<b>Award</b>						<b>\$ (999.00)</b>
<b>Overage</b>						<b>\$ 2,423.00</b>

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Ramona Humane Society Cost breakdown					
date	hours setup	hours party	cost		
5/30/2018	10.00		\$ 1,020.00		
5/31/2018	10.00		\$ 1,020.00		
6/1/2018	8.00		\$ 816.00		
6/2/2018	8.00	5	\$ 772.00		
6/4/2018	8.00		\$ 816.00		
6/6/2018	2.00		\$ 204.00		
	46.00	5	\$ 4,648.00		
\$522.00 for the first three hours; \$125.00 for every hour afterward.					
Set up and clean up \$102.00 per hour					



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### Facilities

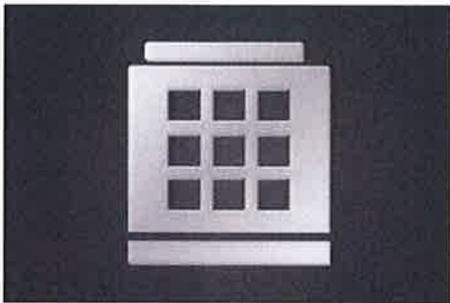
Feature Overview

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## Naawichum Pomki - Second Floor Library



[Request Reservation](#)



#### Admission Fee

\$522.00 for the first three hours; \$125.00 for every hour afterward. Set up and clean up \$102.00 per hour

#### Max Occupancy

750

#### Features

- Catering Kitchen
- Chairs
- Parking on Street
- Parking Onsite
- Restrooms
- Tables
- Wi-Fi



[Get Directions](#)

### Naawichum Pomki - Second Floor Library

300 E Latham  
Hemet, CA 92543

#### Contact

[Branden Dejongh](#)  
(951) 765-2445

#### Hours

The Second floor is only available when the Library is open, Wednesday thru Saturday.

#### Rating

This facility has not yet been rated.

Be sure to plan enough time for your event to include setting up and cleaning up. You will be allowed into the venue based on your start time. We want your event to be happy and fun filled without any undue stress before and after.

### Availability

[Request Reservation](#)

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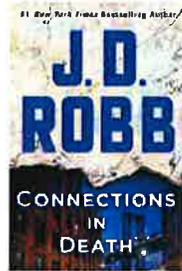
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New York Times Best-Seller Lists - Combined Print & E-Book f



Title: CONNECTIONS IN DEATH  
 Author: JD Robb  
 ISBN: 9781250201584  
 Rank (Last Week): 1 (Not Ranked)

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Nicole Moore at 951-634-8032 to get involved and give back.

**Classical pianist to perform in Idyllwild**

World-renowned pianist Caroline Oltmanns will perform at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 4, at the William M. Lowman Concert Hall on the campus of the Idyllwild Arts Academy, Idyllwild. The concert is free and open to the public, but space is limited. The chair of the Youngstown Ohio State University Music Department, Oltmanns, who holds a doctorate in music, will be performing piano works from her CD, Ghosts, which features compositions by Chopin, Brahms, and Schumann, among others. Described by critics as "light and scintillating," Oltmanns' playing has been called "filled with fantasy in the greatest sense of the word." For more information, visit www.idyllwildarts.org

**Senior Wednesday Night Dances at Hemet West**

A highlight of the Senior Wednesday Night Dances at Hemet West is the various themes, and the attractive clubhouse is decorated accordingly, while the dancers enjoy dressing according to the themes.

This year will feature themes such as Denim and Diamonds; Western, Jump, Jive, and Swing; Mardi Gras; St. Patrick's Day; Cruise Night; Cinco de Mayo; Disco; Flag Day; Senior Prom (semi-formal); Western; Hawaiian Luau; Roaring Twenties; Sock Hop; Halloween; Veterans Salute; Harvest Ball (semi-formal); Hollywood Night; and Rocking the Holidays.

There are excellent different dance bands each Wednesday. The ceiling lights dim, replaced by atmospheric multi-colored sparkling lights, and the fun-filled evening of dancing begins.

Feb. 20 - Country Sounds.

Feb. 27 - E'Klektic. Jump, Jive, and Swing theme.

The following bands will play

in March:

**March 6**-Rhonda and Show-down (Mardi Gras theme)

**March 13**-Rainbow Cottage. (St. Patrick's Day theme)

**March 20**-American Made.

**March 27**-Stage Robbers.

These dances, which are open to the public, are from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., and continue throughout the summer. Admission is \$6 per person, proper attire is required (no work jeans, tank tops, or shorts), and alcohol is not allowed. Opportunity drawings offer free tickets. Tables have snacks, and pitchers of water; and freshly brewed tea and coffee is available.

The dances are held at Hemet West, 5001 W. Florida Ave. For further information, contact Kathy Perry at 951-692-0891.

**Myths & Mythology**

The Mt. San Jacinto College Anthropology Department and the Western Science Center will sponsor a spring 2019 lecture series, "Myths & Mythology," at 7 p.m. on the following dates at the Western Science Center in Hemet.

The lecture series, co-organized by MSJC and WSC, feature college faculty speaking about several topics from the perspective of their academic discipline. "Myths & Mythology" will look into the different ways in which mythological concepts affect and are affected by society:

**Mar. 7:** History Professor Morgan Hoodenpyle will discuss "Film Mythology"

**April 4:** History Instructor Christina Yamanaka will focus on "From Early Origins to the Rise of the Modern State: The Role of Shinto in Japanese Society."

**May 2:** Anthropology Professor John Torres will lecture about "The Navajo Hero Twins: Fighting Monsters Then and Now."

The cost is \$5 for students with ID, \$8 for the general public, and free for Western Science Center members. Parking is free and

lectures begin at 7 p.m., but the doors to the WSC Theater will open at 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Anthropology Instructor Erik Ozolins at (951) 639-5725 or eozolins@msjc.edu, or the Western Science Center at (951) 791-0033 or www.WesternScienceCenter.org

**February at the Diamond Valley Arts Center**

DVAC Music at the Center: Jimmy and Enrique Saturday, Feb. 23, at 7 p.m., The group will be performing a concert at the center at 123 North Harvard Street in historic downtown Hemet.

**Hemet-San Jacinto Genealogical Society**

To discover more about your family history, visit the Duffin Heritage Room at the Hemet Public Library, 300 E. Latham Ave. It is open to the public from **Wednesday through Saturday**. Regular library hours are **9 a.m. - 5 p.m.** Trained volunteers are on hand to assist. The Genealogical Society offers free family research with the latest Internet search tools. Society events include:

- HSJGS monthly meetings: **First Thursday each month, 2 - 4 p.m.** Speakers/refreshments.
- Free Genealogy Workshops: **Thursdays, 10 a.m. - noon.** Downstairs Conference Room: **Feb. 14** Census/Tax Records; **Feb. 21** Immigration-Migration-Naturalization; **Feb. 28** Military Records.

Regular Hemet Library activities:

- Preschool Story Time: **Thursdays, 11 a.m.**
- Director's Bookshelf Book Club: **Third Thursday of each month, 1 p.m.** Director's office.
- Diamond Valley Writers Guild: **Fourth Saturday of each month, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.** Meet upstairs.

To volunteer at the library, call (951) 765-2440. Visit the website www.cityofhemet.org/library for more information.

**Nancy Drew, the Original Author, and Me | Culture Series**

"Nancy Drew, the Original Author, and Me" will be presented by Nancy Hawkins at The DVAC on **Feb. 17 at 12 p.m.** Mrs. Hawkins who was a friend and coworker to Mildred Wirt Benson, the author of the first 23 Nancy Drew books will give insight and interest to the life of the famed author. Patrons will enjoy stories and memories shared during the women's almost 18-year friendship known only to them.

**MSJC Community Orchestra Schedule**

**Sunday, Mar. 3 at 3 p.m.** - First spring concert: Boieldieu harp concerto with the MSJC Orchestra featuring harpist Dr. Vanessa Sheldon.

**Monday, May 13 at 7 p.m.** - 2nd Spring Concert: Mendelssohn Violin Concerto, featuring an international violinist.

For performances at the San Jacinto Campus, reservations may be made by calling 951-487-3790. Tickets may also be purchased at the box office Monday through Thursday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. and one hour before showtime.

Tickets can now be purchased online via the MSJC website www.msjc.edu/performingarts where the complete schedule for all music, dance and theater performances are listed.

**Hemet Harmonizers Chorale Rehearsals**

Mary Ellen Van Ostenbridge, musical director for the Hemet-based Harmonizers Chorale, came to the Harmonizers 11 years ago bringing a lifetime love of music and singing to the Hemet/San Jacinto area. Rehearsals are now under way for the Harmonizers Spring concert in May. Rehearsals are every **Monday morning from 9:30 a.m. to noon** at the First Presbyterian Church, 515 E. Kimball in Hemet. Anyone who would like to join the group is invited to come early for a simple

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