
March 2015

Friends of the Foster City Library



President's Message

Dear Friends:

The holidays are now over and it seems as if spring is already here. I hope everyone enjoyed their holidays.

If you have not yet renewed your membership, please do so. Your dues help us to provide funds to the library for children's programs and other events. You can also donate to the library for a brick, tile, space on our plaque, or a book spine on the wall in the children's library

Please remember to use your SHARES card at Lucky's and if you are making a purchase on Amazon, be sure to use our website, friendsofthefostercitylibrary.com to make your purchase. By going through our website, you will be supporting the library as we receive a percentage of all sales through our website. The link on our home page will take you directly to Amazon's website where you can purchase anything on Amazon's website. It is an easy way to support the

Library.

We would like to welcome our newest Board member, Mary Lou Griffin. We look forward to working with her.

As always, if you are interested in joining the Board or have a fundraising idea, please contact us.

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SUPPORT THE FOSTER CITY LIBRARY WHEN YOU SHOP AT AMAZON.COM

1. Go to www.friendsofthefostercitylibrary.com
2. Click anywhere on the **AMAZON** banner on any of the web pages

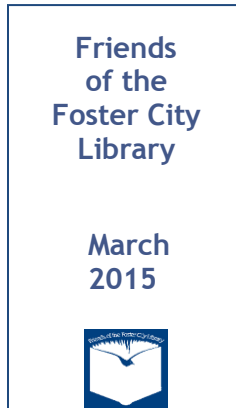
You are now on the **amazon.com** website and Amazon will donate a percentage of all your purchases to support the Foster City Library.

Friends' Shop News

Lots of Cookbooks for sale in the Friends' Shop as well as Oversize books. We have Mysteries galore, mostly Patterson. Three of my Rotarian friends have volunteered to be on the Library Board. How about you? At the end of December, the Shop had contributed \$20,000.00 toward new books and children's programs. If you are interested in giving some time to a very worthwhile cause, your library needs you. Please contact Marcia Cohn-Lyle at 650-570-5007

Friends of the Library Board Members and Officers

Jeanette Vasherese, *President & Treasurer*
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 Jim Watson, *Bricks and Tiles*
 Mary Lou Griffin, *Board Member*



Ways to Contribute

<p>Book Spine (\$150-\$200) Brightly colored ceramic tiles in the children’s library resemble the spine of a book, with inscriptions of names of children, family members and pets.</p> <p>Contact Elaine Pitts, 349-3526</p>	<p>Library Brick (\$150-200) Along the pathways and pillars approaching the library entrance.</p> <p>Library Tile (\$350-\$500) White stone tiles protected under the arcade along the front of the library.</p> <p>Contact Jim Watson, 425-0400</p>	<p>Permanent Plaque (\$1000+) Spaces are available on the permanent wall plaque just inside the library.</p> <p>Contact Elaine Pitts, 349-3526</p>
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Staff Profile: Jamie Wong, Library Assistant

Library Staff

- Anna Koch
Library Branch Manager
- Cynthia Rider
Public Services Librarian
- Amy Selmi
Youth Services Librarian
- Conrad Yamamoto
Public Services Librarian
- Wan Fwu
Community Outreach Librarian
- Joanne Asbury
Senior Library Assistant
- Evie Diaz
Linda Napior
- Denise Sorensen
- Jamie Wong
Library Assistants



Jamie Wong is Foster City Library's newest Library Assistant. She joined the staff in August 2014. Prior to joining Foster City Library, Jamie was a Library Aide at Woodside, Belmont and Millbrae libraries and was promoted to Extra-Help Library Assistant in 2014. She has worked for San Mateo County Library since 2011. Jamie has a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from the University of California, Santa Cruz and is a San Francisco native. Welcome to the Foster City Library, Jamie!

Jazz in the Library

In partnership with Foster City Parks & Recreation, the Foster City Library is hosting a Jazz Festival during the month of April. Let this be the year that you embrace the spirit, insight, and beauty of Jazz, with local musicians blessed with an abundance of talent.

There will be a wine and cheese pre-concert reception. Doors open at 6:15.

- Charged Particles**, Thursday, April 2 at 6:30 pm
- Primal Mates**, Thursday, April 9 at 6:30 pm
- VidyA- South Indian Classical Jazz**, Thursday, April 16 at 6:30 pm
- Marcus Shelby Trio**, Thursday, April 23 at 6:30 pm
- Bowditch Jazz Band**, Thursday, May 14 at 6:30, pm

Membership

Many thanks to these new and renewing 2014-15 members as of February 20, 2015.

Anderson, Shirley	Eades, Walter	Lahey, Akiko	Segol, Martin
Arnold, Jonathan/Glory	Field, Robert	Laird, Judith	Shem, Clovis
Avakian, Elizabeth	Greathouse, Eileen	Lee, William	Shimozono, E L
Baines, Loretta	Goetz, Bernadine	Lewis, Nancy	Simmons, Coleen
Borellini, Flavia	Goldberg, Gary	Lim, Alfred/Jane	Spann, Elizabeth
Buchner, Stephen	Hamel, Helen	Lieu, Hansen/Wendy Lo	Stelling, Phil/Justine
Burkard, Laura	Hardy, James/Luisa	Lindstrom, Susan	Stytle, Joan
Cardiff, Doris	Haupt, Ronald	Listgarten Eileen	Suslow, Miriam
Chan, Maggie	Haywood, Elizabeth	Lowrance, Marion	Tai, Julian
Chancellor, R	Heisler, Sanford	Mahoney, George	Terstiege, Gerard/Krista
Chen, Timothy/Joo Sumin	Hibshman, Steven	Mintz, Gilbert/Barbara	Thompson, Verdie
Cheng, Winsie/Wesley	Hirabayashi, Michael/Linda	Nelson, Robert	Tolentino, Aurora
Chin, Lester	Ho, Carmen	Onuma, Edward/Yuko	True, Mary
Chinn, Roger/Rachel	Hough, Doreen	Pearlman, Stephen/Andrea	Werden, Thorp
Chong, Nilda	House, Jeanette	Pershing, Peter	Whipkey, Grace
Damico, Daniel/Dianne	Huffman, Kay/Robert	Petersen, Carol	Whitaker, Robert/Joyce
Davies, Ben/ Barbara	Jackowitz, Sara/Robert	Rincon, Cathy/David McIntyre	Wolf, Maureen
Davis, Robert/Eileen	Jones, Bobby/Linda Stegora	Rosenberg, Barbara	Wong, Dennis
Di Camillo, Carole	Jordan, June	Rosenfeld, Ted	Wong, Dick/Nira
Dittmar, Catherine	Kaplan, Kathleen	Saylor, Beverly	Wong, Weyman
Divine, Richard/Margaret	Kennedy, Helen	Scott, Charlotte/John	Yuen, Vincent Sing
Duwick, Joanne/Heather	Kliwer, Marsha		

Upcoming Library Events

ADULT PROGRAMS:

As You Like It: Shakespeare on Tour, Saturday, March 7 at 2:00 pm. Program will be held at Leo Ryan Park in Foster City, across from the Library

A Taste of New Orleans: History of Jambalaya, Saturday, March 14 at 2:00 pm

Botticelli to Braque: Masterpieces From National Galleries of Scotland Docent Lecture, Monday, March 23, at 6:30 pm

High Style: The Brooklyn Museum Costume Collection Docent Lecture, Monday, April 27, at 6:30 pm

Computer Classes:

Photoshop Elements: Beginning Class, Thursday, March 5 at 7:00 pm

Photoshop Elements: Intermediate Class, Saturday March 28 at 8:30 am

Genealogy 101: Family History Research, Saturday, March 21 at 10: am

Need help with downloading eMedia? Make an appointment at the Information Desk to get one-on-one assistance from a library staff member. We can help you download free ebooks, eaudiobooks, emagazines, and emusic to your device.

TEEN PROGRAMS:

After-School Homework Help in the Discovery Room: every day, starting at 3:00 pm

Introduction to Game Development with Digital Monkey (Age 7-14), March 30-April 3, 1:30-2:30 pm

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS:

Bi-Lingual Mandarin Storytime - Third Friday of the month, March 20, April 17, at 10:30 a.m.

Music with Mr. Q - Saturday, March 21 at 10:30 a.m.

Kitchen Jam with Pam Donkin - Wednesday, April 1 at 10:30 am

CuriOdyssey - Thursday, April 2, at 3:00 pm

Imagination Playground - Tuesday, April 7 from 12:00-2:00 pm and on Wednesday, April 8 from 10:00am-12:00 pm

Baby Sign Language Classes - Mondays, April 13, April 20, April 27 and May 4 at 10:30 a.m.

Uncle Jer's Traveling Bee Show - Tuesday, April 14 at 3:30 pm

Safe Kids - Stranger Danger - Saturday, April 18 at 2:00 pm

STORYTIME SCHEDULE:

Itsy Bitsy Infants Storytime: Mondays at 10:30 am (ages 1-12 months)

Babies and Books Storytime: Tuesdays at 10:30 am (ages 0-18 months)

Pajama Storytime: Wednesdays at 7:00 pm (all ages)

Toddler Storytime: Thursdays at 10:30 am (3-5 years)

Preschool Storytime: Fridays at 10:30 am (4-6 years)

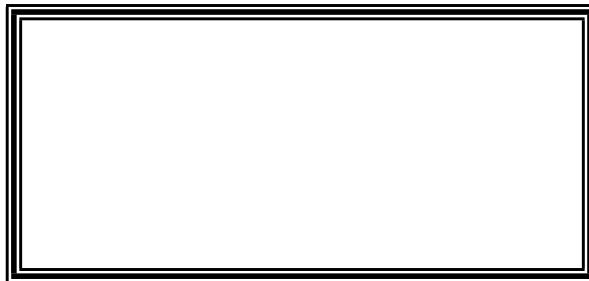
Family Storytime: Saturdays at 10:30 am (all ages)



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