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The Renaissance Begins



Renovated interior of Excelsior Branch Library.

Reopening of the Excelsior Branch Library

The first renovated branch in an historic renewal of San Francisco's public library system is now open for business. The Excelsior Branch Library, which closed in November of 2003, is once again providing the community with books, DVDs, computer access and so much more—only now in a renewed and improved setting.

"The opening of the Excelsior Branch is especially significant because it is the first completed project in a far-reaching and comprehensive program to upgrade all of the branch libraries," said City Librarian Luis Herrera.

From the start, the Excelsior community played a major role in the renovation of the branch. The project

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COMING UP

August 3

Jazz Music with M.B. Hanif
and the Sound Voyagers –
Parkside Branch Library, 7:00 p.m.

August 17

POETMUSEUM; Flowers of
the Marvelous –

Film/poetry honoring key poets
of the San Francisco
Renaissance; hosted by Steven
"Kush" Kushner. North Beach
Branch Library, 7:00 p.m.

August 20

The Nobel Prize: 100 years
of Creativity –

Readings; Main, Koret Auditorium,
1-3 p.m. Reception to follow

One City One Book:

San Francisco Reads Selects Gus Lee's *China Boy*

Citing the importance of reading and literacy, Mayor Gavin Newsom has announced a new reading initiative, One City One Book: San Francisco Reads. The selected book is Gus Lee's moving 1991 novel, *China Boy*, about a six-year-old Chinese immigrant named Kai Ting who attempts to make a life for himself in San Francisco's Panhandle neighborhood during the 1950s.

San Francisco prides itself on its strong literary and cultural traditions," said the Mayor. "It is essential that we, as a city, continue to foster a climate that encourages reading, especially among our young people, the future leaders of tomorrow."

In *China Boy*, the young Kai saves himself by learning how to box at the local YMCA, whose multiethnic instructors become both a surrogate family and a symbol of how a civic institution can improve the quality of lives as it brings individuals of all backgrounds together.

While Lee's poignant

description of the homes in Kai's poverty-stricken neighborhoods recalls books like Frank McCourt's "Angela's Ashes," his evocation of Kai—a boy desperate to know what his friends eat at home, ignorant of the fact that he is almost blind, and certain that he can feel his mother's presence in the cold foam of the pacific surf—is utterly unique. Lee's evocation of San Francisco, from the dense shopping districts of Chinatown to the soaring, whitewashed Central YMCA, turns the city into a character in and of itself.

One City One Book launched this June just in time for summer vacation reading. Now is the time for book groups and classroom teachers to put *China Boy* on their reading list for early fall. Reading and discussion groups, author visits to schools and libraries, and public programs will take place in September and October. Current partners in the One City, One Book program include Mayor Newsom, the San Francisco Public Library, Friends of the San Francisco Public Library, the Northern California Independent Booksellers Association and the National Foundation for Jewish Culture.

"This is a wonderful program that has been highly successful in other cities, starting with All Seattle Reads, in 1998," said One City One Book co-chair Diane Frankel.

That program has been so successful that many other cities have replicated it. Chicago's One City One Book program began in 2001 and is now a biannual event. Other cities in California also have sponsored reading projects, including Los Angeles, Long Beach, Santa Barbara, Santa Monica, Silicon Valley, Stockton and many others.

In searching for a compelling title, the six-person selection committee for San Francisco's first One City, One Book program searched for a book that met as many of the following criteria as possible: of high literary quality; reflective of universal issues facing San Franciscans; mirrors the diversity of San Francisco; connects to San Francisco either through the content or perhaps because the author is from San

Francisco; available in key languages; currently in print and available in large quantities; appeals to adults and teens; available in paperback; capable of sparking provocative discussions; lent itself to engaging public programs around the book.

One City One Book is funded by SBC, Friends of the San Francisco Public Library, the Gerbode Foundation, the Maisin Foundation and other donors. Gus Lee's *China Boy* is now available in libraries and bookstores, thanks to a new printing by the publisher.

Gus Lee will be featured at the 10th Anniversary celebration of Books by the Bay. The annual outdoor book fair takes place in Yerba Buena Gardens on Saturday, July 23, and will offer a full day of authors speaking and signing their books. ☺

Reopening of the Excelsior Branch

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began with a community needs assessment that included a survey of nearly 200 people, and interviews with key community stakeholders about materials, facilities and services at the branch. Several community meetings were held at the branch to solicit design ideas, get input on preliminary plans and to discuss service needs. Community members also helped develop the interim services plan that included increasing hours at nearby branches, holding programs at neighborhood community centers and offering bookmobile service at a nearby Safeway parking lot.

"It means a lot to the people of this neighborhood to be the first branch to be renovated," noted Terry Gwiazdowski, the Excelsior branch manager. "We are often overlooked; some people even think we're in Daly City! But this is a great neighborhood and from early on the community took an active role in making this renovation happen."

The community also played a critical role in helping to raise funds to equip and furnish the new branch. The Branch Library Improvement Program, the bond measure passed resoundingly in 2000 by San Francisco voters to renovate and rebuild branch libraries, does not pay for furniture, fixtures or equipment. These funds are being raised privately by Friends of the San Francisco Public Library. Friends partnered with a group of neighborhood residents who formed the Excelsior Branch Library Campaign Committee to raise the needed funds. Funding sources included everything from major donations by individuals to small contributions left in penny jars at local businesses.

"Friends is proud to be a part of this wonderful revitalization of our branch system," said Donna Bero, Friends executive director. "It is fitting that the Excelsior branch is our first opening—the Excelsior community has done everything we've asked of them to make this renovation a reality."

The Excelsior branch renovation includes improvements for seismic safety and compliance with the latest ADA standards. In addition, the branch has a whole new look inside, with all new furniture, new computers with access to the Internet and library online resources, new accessible restrooms, a relocated children's section, a designated teen area and a new, flexible program room that also includes a wonderful adjacent patio. The program room can be used for after-school homework, a computer training lab, small group meetings and other programs. In addition, the branch will be more efficient and convenient for library users and library staff, with an after-hours book return, express checkout machines, more functional staff work areas and solar panels for energy efficiency.

"Thank you" to everyone who helped make this new and improved branch possible, including the Bureau of Architecture's Library Design Studio, the Department of Public Works and the City & County of San Francisco. ☺



Children's Room at Excelsior Branch Library.

Out At The Library!

The *Out at the Library* opening day reception on Saturday, June 18, was an appropriately joyous event, celebrating the 10th Anniversary of the founding of the James C. Hormel Gay and Lesbian Center. In the afternoon, visitors toured the exhibition, enjoyed refreshments and attended a short program in the Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room. City Librarian Luis Herrera kicked off the festivities by acknowledging the significance of this historic milestone. He welcomed all guests and speakers, including guest curator Barbara Levine, Head of Exhibitions and Public Programs Catherine King and Program Manager of the Hormel Center Jim Van Buskirk. They described the development and highlights of this ambitious project, which, in addition to the exhibition installed in three separate venues, includes an online component and a 144-page full-color exhibition catalog. The festivities continued at the Eureka Valley/Harvey Milk Memorial Branch Library into the early evening.

Timed to attract some of the thousands of visitors expected annually to celebrate LGBT Pride, the event also celebrated the opening of *Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals 1933-1945*, a powerful panel exhibition organized and circulated by the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. These two exhibitions are supplemented by *Magnus Hirschfeld, 1868-1935*; a small exhibition of extremely rare materials from the private collection of Gerard Koskovich.

Related to the themes and top-

ics of *Out at the Library* is an exciting series of public programs. On Tuesday, July 26, at the Eureka Valley/Harvey Milk Memorial Branch Library, **Lesbian Publishers: A Historical Perspective and a Current View**, will feature Carol Seajay, Barbara Grier, Renate Stendhal, Frederique Delacoste and Joan Pinkvoss in a panel discussion about past, present and future trends in the political activity of lesbian publishing.

The first August program, **Lesbian Pulp Fiction: The Sexually Intrepid World of Lesbian Paperback Novels 1950-1965**, will be held on Wednesday, August 1, in the Koret Auditorium of the Main Library, at 6:30 p.m., when Katherine Forrest, author of the newly published *Lesbian Pulp Fiction*,—in conjunction with Ann Bannon and other authors—uncovers the history of lesbian writing.

On Thursday, August 25, **Home Team: The Growth of Gay Games and GLBT Sports**, featuring sportswriter and curator Jim Provenzano in conversation with LGBT athletes and sports activists from the Gay Games to the present, will be held in the Main Library's Koret Auditorium at 6:30 p.m., and is cosponsored by the GLBT Historical Society.

The *Out at the Library* program series continues into September and October. Details about the complete programs series, the catalog and other features of *Out at the Library* can be located on the Library's Web site at www.sfpl.org/news/onlineexhibits/out. ☺

Marina Branch Library Closing

PARTY !

JOIN US on Saturday, July 16, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., for the Marina Branch Library closing party. We will have a magic show, clowns, music by Itzhak Volansky and The Alte Cockers, refreshments and much, much more. Come say goodbye to the old Marina Branch, which will be closed for renovation until the end of 2006 as part of the Branch Library Improvement Program. The Marina Branch is located at 1890 Chestnut Street (at Webster). For more information, call 415-355-2823, or visit www.sfpl.org. ☺

The San Francisco Public Library, the Asian Art Museum, Bay Area Friends of Tibet, Tibetan Youth Congress, Committee of 100 for Tibet, Tibet Justice Center, and NAATA present

FACES of TIBET

*Large Screen Videos
in the Koret Auditorium at the Main*

Thursdays at Noon

Thursday, July 7

The Cup (1999, 94 min) Soccer fever takes over when two young Tibetan refugees arrive at a monastery boarding school in India; in Tibetan with English subtitles.

Thursday, July 14

Tashi Jong (1998, 45 min) An intimate portrayal of life in one of the first Tibetan refugee communities established in India; followed by Q&A session with producer Barbara Green.

Thursday, July 21

Tibet: Cry of the Snow Lion (2003, 104 min.) Dark secrets of Tibet's recent past are chronicled through personal stories, interviews and archival images assembled for the first time in one film; followed by Q&A session with Topden Tsering, president of the Tibetan Youth Congress.

Thursday, July 28

Kundun (1997, 135 min.) The life of the 14th Dalai Lama; directed by Martin Scorsese.

Saturdays at 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 9

Compassion in Exile (1992, 60 min.) Profiles Tenzin Gyatso, 14th Dalai Lama of Tibet; followed by Q&A session with Tenzin N. Tethong, director of the Asian Religions and Cultures (ARC)/Tibet Initiative at Stanford University and former cabinet member of the Dalai Lama's government in exile.

Saturday, July 30

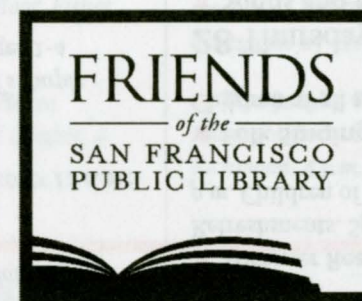
We're No Monks (2004, 129 min.) Four friends, living in the 14th Dalai Lama's exile headquarters in India, are torn between helping their homeland and seeking employment; followed by Q&A session with director Pema Dhondup.

*For a complete schedule of additional screenings,
visit <http://www.asianart.org/tibetprograms.htm>*

(Don't miss the exhibition, **Tibet: Treasures from the Roof of the World**, at the Asian Art Museum, from June 12 through September 11, 2005.)

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Sneak Previews: The 25th Anniversary of the San Francisco Jewish Film Festival

San Francisco
JEWISH

Join filmmaker and Festival executive director Peter L. Stein on Wednesday, July 6 at 6:30 p.m., in the Koret Auditorium at the Main, for a preview of the 25th Annual San Francisco Jewish Film Festival that includes clips from various films; wacky dramas

NOTE:

All events listed in this calendar are FREE and open to the public.

At The San Francisco Public Library is available online in Adobe PDF format at: www.friendssfpl.org
For more detailed program listings, visit www.sfpl.org/news/events.html



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ADULTS

2 Saturday

Origami Club – All ages welcome. *Bernal Heights, 2 p.m.*

5 Tuesday

Provincetown: From Pilgrim Landing to Gay Resort – Book lecture by author Karen Krahulik. *Eureka Valley, 7 p.m.*

6 Wednesday

Sneak Previews: The 25th Anniversary San Francisco Jewish Film Festival – Lecture + film clips with Peter Stein. *Main, Koret Auditorium, 6:30-7:30 p.m.*

7 Thursday

50 Ways to Support Lesbian and Gay Equality – Book reading & discussion with Meredith Maran, Diva Dan, Renate Stendhal & Emily Doskow. *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room, 6:30-7:30 p.m.*

9 Saturday

Legal Advice and Referral Clinic – Free attorney consultation. Info: 989-1616. *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room, 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m.* (Signup period: 10:30 a.m.-12 noon)

★ **Compassion in Exile (1992, 60 min.)** – Film on Tibetan Dalai Lama Tenzin Gyatso + Q&A session with Tenzin N. Tethong. *Main, Koret Auditorium, 2 p.m.*

★ **Little Green: Growing Up During the Chinese Cultural Revolution** – Lecture by author Chun Yu; book signing follows. *Chinatown, 2:30 p.m.*

12 Tuesday

★ **Poetry Open Mike: On the Page, Off the Page; Written, Spoken and Sung Word** – Hosted by Diamond Dave Whitaker. *Park, 7-9 p.m.*

13 Wednesday

★ **Radar Reading** – Features Dayvid Figler, Rebecca Cooper, Natalie Illum & Amra Brooks; hosted by Michelle Tea. *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room, 6-8 p.m.*

San Francisco Authors' Night – Authors Pamela Holm & Michelle Richmond read from their latest novels. *Potrero, 6:30 p.m.* (meeting room not accessible by elevator).

14 Thursday

Airfares on the World Wide Web – *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room, 12:10-1 p.m.*

★ **An Evening of Russian Folk Music with Jonnie Pekelny** – *Richmond, 7 p.m.*

16 Saturday

★ **Born to Lose: Memoirs of a Compulsive Gambler** – With author Bill Lee; book signing follows. *Chinatown, 2:30 p.m.*

Internet 101 – Learn to find information on the Web by following a link, using a search engine and entering a specific address. *11 a.m.-1 p.m.*

13 Wednesday

The San Francisco Community Services Directory: A Guide to City Government and Local Organizations – Learn to search the Library's database of over 1,700 government & community organization services. *9:30-10:30 a.m.*

Jobs and Career Resources on the Internet – Learn how to find a job using the Web; ability to navigate the Web required. *2-4 p.m.*

14 Thursday

Training for the Internet and Library Catalog (Instruction in Russian) – Meet at the 3rd Floor International Center. Info: 557-4430. *9:15-11:15 a.m.*

E-mail Class – Beginning class on how to set up an e-mail account, and how to send & receive messages. Mouse & keyboard skills required (or you may observe). *2-4 p.m.*

15 Friday

Training for the Internet and Library Catalog (Instruction in Mandarin Chinese) – Meet at the 3rd Floor International Center. Info: 557-4430. *2-4 p.m.*

16 Saturday

Training for the Internet and Library Catalog (Instruction in Spanish) – Meet at the 3rd Floor International Center. Info: 557-4430. *2-4 p.m.*

20 Wednesday

Word Processing – Beginning class in Microsoft Word fundamentals. *2-4 p.m.*

25 Monday

The San Francisco Community Services Directory: A Guide to City Government and Local Organizations – Learn to search the Library's database of over 1,700 government & community organization services. *3:30-4:30 p.m.*

Reading Groups

6 Wednesday

Monthly Book Club – Selection: *Following Foo*, by B. D. Wong. *Sunset, 7 p.m.*

21 Thursday

West Portal to Books Reading Group – *Ingleside, 2:30 p.m.*

27 Wednesday

Book Discussion Group – All welcome. *Eureka Valley, 7:30 p.m.*

28 Thursday

Book Discussion Club – Selection: *The Laws of Love*, by Laura Esquivel. All welcome. *Bernal Heights, 4 p.m.*

30 Saturday

San Francisco Russian Bibliophiles – Book discussion in Russian. *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room, 2-4 p.m.*

TEENS

★ **Teen Summer Read 2005** – Through Saturday, July 23. Keep track of your reading time and win prizes such as Ben and Jerry's gift certificates, Border's books and music gift cards. For ages 13-18. *Anza, Bayview, Bernal, Bookmobile (Branch), Chinatown, Excelsior, Eureka Valley, Ingleside, Glen Park, Main, Merced, Mission, North Beach, Ocean View, Ortega, Park, Parkside, Portola, Potrero, Richmond, Sunset, Visitacion Valley, Western Addition, Youth Guidance Center*

Fridays 1 8 15 22 & 29

EXHIBIT

Skylight Gallery

Opening Hours: same as Main

Closing Hours: Mon.-Sat., 6 p.m., Sun. 5 p.m.

★ **Nazi Persecution of Homosexuals 1933-1945** – Reproductions of some 250 historic photographs and documents that examine the impact of the Nazi regime's attempt to eradicate homosexuality; exhibition organized by the U. S. Holocaust Memorial Museum. Also on display will be rare materials loaned by Gerard Koskovich that document the life & work of German gay rights pioneer Dr. Magnus Hirschfeld. Through August 18. *Main, 6th Floor, Skylight Gallery*

Jewett Gallery

★ **Out at the Library: Celebrating the James C. Hormel Gay and Lesbian Center** – Celebrates the Center's 10th anniversary by illustrating its exhibition & program history, highlighting its collection, and demonstrating how its archives ensure the legacy of the gay, lesbian, bisexual & transgender communities. Through October 16. *Main, Lower Level, Jewett Gallery; Main, 3rd Floor, James C. Hormel Gay and Lesbian Center; Eureka Valley Branch Library*

Other Exhibition Areas in the Library

Digging Deep: Underneath San Francisco Public Library – The current Main Library rests on a Gold Rush era cemetery, and the ruins of the old City Hall destroyed in the 1906 earthquake & fire. The archeological remains pulled from the site tell the story of the early development of the Civic Center area. Through Summer. *Main, 1st Floor, Grove Street entrance exhibit cases*

Enchanting Taiwan – Color photographs that explore Taiwan's natural beauty & cultural splendor. Through July 14. *Main, 3rd Floor, Chinese Center*

[LETTERPRESS] JOB @ 20: A 20-Year Restrospective of Work from Zida Borcich Letterpress and Studio Z Mendocino – Through July 30. *Main, 6th Floor, Book Arts and Special Collections Center*

★ African Drumming with S. Kwaku Daddy –

- *Marina, 3 p.m.* Children of all ages
- *Parkside, 10 & 11 a.m.*

★ **Museum of Craft and Folk Art** – Create African stamp art & books. Space limited; reserve at 355-5615. *Ocean View, 1:15 p.m.* Ages 6-12

★ **Hand Puppet Fun with Sherrie Dobrott** – *Presidio, 10:30 a.m.* Children of all ages

Preschool Videos – *Mission, 10:10 & 11 a.m.* Ages 3-5

★ **Carl Winters, the Kalimba King** – *Western Addition, 10:30 a.m.* Children of all ages

Tuesdays 5 & 19

Preschool Crafts – Space limited; reserve at 355-5660. *Portola, 11 a.m.* Ages 3-5

6 Wednesday

★ **Big Show Magic** – *Bernal Heights, 4 p.m.* Children of all ages

★ **Carl Winters, the Kalimba King** – Children of all ages.

- *Mission, 2 p.m.* Space limited; reserve at 355-2828.
- *Eureka Valley, 3:30 p.m.*

★ **Big Show Magic!** – *Ingleside, 1 p.m.* Children of all ages

Preschool Videos – *Mission, 10:10 & 11 a.m.* Ages 3-5

Our Rights as Human Beings — 1949 photo exhibition explaining the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights. Through August 11. *Main, Lower Level, Library Café wall display space*

The Hetch Hetchy Water System: Past, Present and Future — Historic & contemporary photographs, documents & artifacts that illustrate genesis & future of S. F.'s water & hydropower system. Through August 18. *Main, 5th Floor, Government Information Center*

The Signing of the United Nations Charter in San Francisco, 1945 — Rare photographs, artifacts and documents from collection of the S. F. History Center depict the creation of the Charter and its effect on San Francisco. Through August 4. *Main, 3rd Floor, Humanities Center*

Favorite Characters from Children's Literature — Ceramic figures by Helen Canin. Through August 20. *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center*

Why We Celebrate: A Visual Arts Exploration of Black LGBT Achievements — Photographs, news clips, awards & more that profile distinguished Bay Area black lesbian, gay, bisexual & transgender award recipients. Through August 4. *Main, 3rd Floor, African American Center*

Don't Drink and Drive! — 15 pieces of artwork, created by children and young adults, on the emotional & financial risks of driving under the influence of alcohol. July 8 through September 1. *Main, 4th Floor Wall Display Case, near elevators*

The True Believer: Reflections on Eric Hoffer — Selections from the Eric Hoffer Collection, including manuscripts & notebooks. July 10 through August 31. *Main, 6th Floor, Book Arts and Special Collections Center. Related Program: see Adults, Saturday, July 23.*

My Pony Party and Petting Zoo — (held outdoors, if weather o.k.). *Merced, 2 p.m. Ages 2 & older*

It's a Piece of Cake — Create dragon & other crafts with Simla Akhol. Space limited; reserve at 355-5615. *Ocean View, 1 p.m. Ages 5-10*

Diana Shmiana performs The Book of Wonders — Space limited; reserve at 355-5700. *Ortega, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

Multilingual Music and Fun with Juan L. Sanchez — *Parkside, 3 p.m. Children of all ages*

Music and Movement with Charity — *Sunset, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

Songs and Music Games from Around the World with Bonnie Lockhart — *Visitation Valley, 10:30 a.m. Ages 3 & older*

Jimbo the Clown — *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, Ulloa Street & Lenox Way, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

Songs and Stories from Around the World with Juan L. Sanchez — *Western Addition, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

Tuesdays 12 & 26

Preschool Film — *Glen Park, 11 a.m.*

13 Wednesday

a Dog & a Frog; Cow Who Fell in the Canal. Sunset, 10:30 & 11:15 a.m.; 1:45 p.m. Ages 3-5

★ **"Something Rabby" with Marcy Schaaf** — An animal awareness program. Space limited; reserve at 355-2823. *Marina, 3 p.m. Ages 5 & older*

★ **Lariat Larry, Cowboy Storyteller** — + trick roping.
• *Western Addition, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*
• *Park, 1 p.m. Ages 3-10*
• *Merced, 3 p.m. Ages 4 & older*

★ **Naomi C. Rose presents A Taste of Tibet** — Slide show, stories & music. *North Beach, 2 p.m. Ages 6 & older*

★ **Rebecca Nile, the Bubble Lady** — *Ocean View, 11 a.m. Ages 3 & older*

★ **Starko the Clown** — Juggling & magic tricks. Space limited; reserve at 355-5700. *Ortega, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

★ **Insects in the Library!** — Sign up at 355-5770. *Parkside, 2 p.m. Ages 4 & older*

★ **Clown Around with Jimbo the Clown** —
• *Visitation Valley, 10:30 a.m. ages 3-5*
• *Portola, 2 p.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-5660. Children of all ages*

★ **Dono the Clown** — Balloon animals & magic tricks. *Presidio, 10:30 a.m. Ages 4-7*

★ **Music with Bonnie Lockhart** — *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, 10:30 a.m. Ulloa Street & Lenox Way. Children of all ages*

20 Wednesday

Preschool Films — *I Stink!; Trashy Town; How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight?; Giggle, Giggle Quack! Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center, 10 & 10:45 a.m.*

Family Films — *Richmond, 7 p.m.*

★ **Author/Illustrator Naomi C. Rose presents A Taste of Tibet** — Traditional folk tales. Space limited; reserve at 355-2889. *Chinatown, 2 p.m. Ages 6-12*

★ **Bonnie Lockhart presents Songs and Music Games from Around the World** — *Ingleside, 6:30 p.m. Ages 3 & older*

★ **Big Show** — Space limited; reserve at 355-2828. *Mission, 3 p.m. Children of all ages*

★ **Origami with Geri Handa** — Space limited to 15; reserve at 355-5610. *Richmond, 3:30 p.m. Ages 8 & older*

21 Thursday

Preschool Films — *I Stink!; Trashy Town; How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight? Giggle, Giggle Quack! Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center, 10 & 10:45 a.m.*

Preschool Videos — TBA. *North Beach, 10, 10:30 & 11 a.m.; 2 p.m.*

Preschool Videos — *Good Night Gorilla; Harold's Purple Crayon; Dinner for Two. Park, 11:30-11:50 a.m. Ages 1-4*

School Age Videos — TBA. *North Beach, 2:30 & 3:30 p.m.*

★ **Songs and Music from Around the World with Bonnie Lockhart** — *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center, 2 p.m.*

★ **Jimbo the Clown** — Accordion music, juggling & skits. *Anza, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

★ **Insect Discovery Lab** — Space limited; reserve at 355-2825. *Merced, 4 p.m. Ages 6-8*

★ **Amazing Magic Tricks of Dono the Clown** — *Noe Valley, 10 & 11 a.m. Ages 2-5*

SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC LIBRARY COMMISSION MEETING: Thursday, July 21, 4 p.m., *Main Library, Koret Auditorium, Lower Level*. Public is welcome to attend.

TOURS OF MAIN LIBRARY

Tours are conducted Wednesdays and Fridays at 2:30 p.m. Meet in the first floor atrium; limit of 17 persons per tour, first come, first served. Limited number of private tours are available. For information, call 557-4280.

LIBRARY LOCATIONS & HOURS See other side, page 4.

Every effort has been made to produce a monthly calendar that is both accurate and complete. If you have any questions or comments regarding the listings, please contact the Public Affairs Department at 557-4277.

★ **The Mystic Pixies** — Space limited; reserve at 355-5700. *Ortega, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

★ **Insect Discovery Lab** — *Presidio, 11 a.m. Ages 5 & older*

★ **Magician Brian Scott presents "The Wizard Training School Show"** — *Sunset, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

Dragon Craft — *Visitation Valley, 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5*

★ **Magic by Alex Gonzalez** — *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, 10:30 a.m. Ulloa Street & Lenox Way. Children of all ages*

★ **Magic Fun with Heather Rogers** — *Western Addition, 10:30 a.m. Children of all ages*

27 Wednesday

Afternoon Films — Call 355-2822 for titles. *Potrero, 4 p.m.* (programming room not accessible by elevator). *Ages 5 & older*

★ **Create a Harry Potter Magic Wand with Denise Blackburn** — Space limited; reserve at 355-2898. *Ingleside, 1 p.m. Ages 5-10*

★ **Summer Reading Club Party and Starko the Clown** — Refreshments. Space limited; reserve at 355-2828. *Mission, 3 p.m. Children of all ages*

★ **Folk Singing with Jim Stevens** — *Parkside, 7 p.m. Children of all ages*

28 Thursday

★ **Songs and Music Games from Around the World with Bonnie Lockhart** — *Bernal Heights, 11 a.m. Children of all ages*

★ **The Mystic Pixies** — Rhythm & contortionist act. *North Beach, 2 p.m. Ages 5 & older*

★ **Colibri Songs and Tales of Latin America** — Spanish & English songs; audience participation. *Park, 11 a.m. Ages 6 mos.-8 years*

★ **The San Francisco SPCA presents "Dog Talk"** — Space limited; reserve at 355-5660. *Portola, 2 p.m. Ages 6 & older*

Bernard Shaw's *Misalliance* – Join other Library patrons to read play set in country house. *North Beach*, 2 p.m.

17 Sunday

Filipino Bi-monthly Bilingual Book Club – Author Marianne Villanueva reads from *Mayor of the Roses*. *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room*, 2-4 p.m.

20 Wednesday

★ **Sandbox Lovers** – Poetry with Jeffrey Grossman & Rosemary Manno. *North Beach*, 7 p.m.

★ **Painting San Francisco** – Art lecture by artist Anna L. Conti. *Parkside*, 7-8 p.m.

23 Saturday

The True Believer: Reflections on Eric Hoffer, San Francisco's Longshoreman/Philosopher – Video & panel discussion. *Main, Koret Auditorium*, 1-3:30 p.m.
Related Exhibition: see Exhibitions.

★ **Joy of Self Nurturing Through One's Own Poetry** – Workshop with Sally Love Saunders; please bring paper, pencils & favorite poems to share with the group. Refreshments. *Park*, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

26 Tuesday

★ **Lesbian Publishers: A Historical Perspective and a Current Perspective** – Publishers Carol Seajay, Barbara Grier, Renate Stendhal, Frederique Delacoste & Joan Pinkvoss, in conversation. *Eureka Valley*, 6:30 p.m. **Related Exhibition:** see Exhibitions.

27 Wednesday

★ **Round Five/Two North Beach Poets Square Off** – Readings by poets Ronald Sauer & Mark Schwartz. *North Beach*, 7 p.m.

30 Saturday

★ **We're No Monks (2004, 129 min.)** – Film about four Tibetans living in India, torn between the desire to help their homeland and the need to seek employment. Followed by Q&A session with director Pema Dhondup. *Main, Koret Auditorium*, 2 p.m.

Weekly Program

Wednesdays 6, 13, 20 & 27

Service Corps of Retired Executives (S.C.O.R.E) Free Business Counseling – To schedule appointment: 744-6827. *Main, 4th Floor, Business, Science & Technology Department*, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Computer Classes

Most classes require proficiency in basic keyboard skills; for a schedule of practice times, call Volunteer Services at 557-4280. All classes are first come, first served.

Classes To Be Held At The Main, 5th Floor Training Center

Tuesdays 5, 12, 19 & 26

Basic Keyboard & Mouse Training – Room will be made available for practice before class. 1:15-2 p.m.

Internet 101 – Learn to find information on the Web by following a link, using a search engine and entering a specific address. 2-4 p.m.

8 Friday

Training for the Internet and Library Catalog (Instruction in Cantonese Chinese) – Meet at the 3rd Floor International Center. Info: 557-4430. 2-4 p.m.

Saturdays 9, 16, 23 & 30

Basic Keyboard & Mouse Training – Room will be made available for practice before class. 10:15-11 a.m.

Teen 'Zine – Bilingual online teen magazine workshop covers computer skills, digital photography, writing, editing & Web page design; refreshments. *Chinatown*, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Ages 13-18

Saturdays 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

Teen 'Zine – Bilingual online teen magazine workshop covers computer skills, digital photography, writing, editing & Web page design; refreshments. *Chinatown*, 1-3 p.m. Ages 13-18

6 Wednesday

★ **DJ Skills Workshop with Sisterz of the Underground** – *Ocean View*, 3 p.m. Ages 13-18

12 Tuesday

★ **Scratch 'n Spin** – Learn D.J. skills with Sisterz of the Underground. *Excelsior*, 4-6 p.m.

20 Wednesday

Manga Workshop – Draw Manga; no experience necessary. Space limited; sign up at branch. *Excelsior*, 3-6 p.m.

22 Friday

★ **Movies @ the Library** – *Spy Kids 3-D*; *Brother Bear*; *Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen*; *Ella Enchanted*. *Parkside*, 2-4 p.m. Ages 13-18

23 Saturday

★ **How to Draw Comics** – Author Oliver Chin teaches teens how to draw comics & graphic novels. *Parkside*, 1-3 p.m.

27 Wednesday

★ **Movies @ the Library** – *Spy Kids 3-D*; *Brother Bear*; *Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen*; *Ella Enchanted*. *Ortega*, 2-4 p.m. Ages 13-18

31 Sunday

★ **Come Celebrate J.K. Rowling's and Harry's Birthdays with.....Harry and the Potters (Paul and Joe DeGeorge)** – *Main, Latino/Hispanic Community Meeting Room*, 2 p.m. All ages

CHILDREN

PLEASE CALL TO MAKE GROUP RESERVATIONS

Homework Help – Call 415-557-4554 for schedule. *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center*

Summer Reading Club – Theme: "Dragons, Dreams and Daring Deeds"; through Saturday, August 6. Children (through age 13) sign up at neighborhood branch libraries to read books, earn prizes and attend entertainment. Kid Power volunteers (ages 10-16) sign up with children's librarians.

Exhibition:

Favorite Characters from Children's Literature – Features ceramic figures by Oakland artist Helen Canin. Through August 20. *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center*

2 Saturday

Origami – *Bernal Heights*, 2 p.m. Children of all ages

★ **Magic, Comedy and Juggling with Heather Rogers** – *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground*, 10:30 a.m. *Ulloa Street & Lenox Way*. Children of all ages

5 Tuesday

★ **Megumi, Bilingual Storyteller of Japanese Folktales** –

- *Bayview*, 10:30 a.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-5757. Ages 3-5
- *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center*, 1:30 p.m.
- *Park*, 3:30 p.m. Children of all ages

★ **Music and Movement with Charity Kahn** – *Marina*, 10:30 a.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-2823. Ages 3-5

★ **P & T Puppet Theatre presents DRAGON** – *Parkside*, 3 p.m. Children of all ages

★ **Chinese Brush Painting with Mrs. Chen** – Learn to paint a swimming duck. Space limited; reserve at 355-5770. *Parkside*, 7 p.m. Ages 7 & older

7 Thursday

★ **Teresa Killeen, the Lizard Lady** –

- *Chinatown*, 2 p.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-2889. Ages 6-12
- *North Beach*, 4 p.m. Ages 4 & older

★ **Young Performers Theatre presents "The Real Mother Goose"** – *Merced*, 11 a.m. Ages 3-5

★ **Jimbo the Clown** – *Parkside*, 3 p.m. Children of all ages

Preschool Videos – *This is the House that Jack Built*; *Wheels on the Bus*; *Giggie Giggie Quack*. *Park*, 11:30-11:50 a.m. Ages 1-4

★ **Big Show Magic with Al Fodor & Steve Bosque** – Children of all ages

- *Portola*, 2 p.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-5660.
- *Potrero*, 4:30 p.m. (programming room not accessible by elevator)

8 Friday

★ **Museum of Craft and Folk Art** – Make African American quilt for the Library. Space limited; reserve at 355-2848. *Visitacion Valley*, 1:15 p.m. Ages 5 & older

9 Saturday

Flute Sweets and Tickletoons –

- *Glen Park*, 1:30 p.m. Musical group presents songs & stories. Space limited; groups, reserve at 337-4740.
- *Richmond*, 4 p.m. Classical music presentation. Children of all ages

★ **Bonnie Lockhart** – Plays the guitar & sings. Space limited; reserve at 355-5700. *Ortega*, 2 p.m. Children of all ages

11 Monday

★ **Learn to Talk to a Real Live Dog from the SPCA** – *Parkside*, 3 p.m. Children of all ages

Mondays 11 & 25

Preschool Video – *Bayview*, 10:30 a.m.

12 Tuesday

Preschool Videos – *Fabulous Froggies!*; *Frog Goes to Dinner*; *Frog on His Own*; *A Boy, a Dog & a Frog*; *Tuesday*. *Marina*, 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5

Preschool Films – Titles TBA. *Noe Valley*, 10 & 11 a.m. Ages 3-5

Preschool Films – *Max's Christmas*; *Snowy Day*; *Morris' Disappearing Bag*; *Mole & the Christmas Tree*; *It's Snow*; *Matrioska*. *Parkside*, 10 & 11 a.m.

★ **Storytime with Sherrie Dobrott** – Fingerplays, songs, puppets & audience participation. *Anza*, 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-6

★ **Music and Songs with Chris Molla** – Space limited; reserve at 355-5757. *Bayview*, 10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5

★ **Flute Sweets and Tickletoons** – Music & storytheatre

- *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center*, 2 p.m. With storyteller Keith Torgan & flutist Barbara Siesel
- *Bernal Heights*, 4 p.m. Children of all ages
- *Potrero*, 7 p.m. (programming room not accessible by elevator). Children of all ages

★ **Rebecca Nile, the Bubble Lady** –

- *North Beach*, 11 a.m. Ages 3-5
- *Chinatown*, 2 p.m. Space limited; reserve at 355-2889. Children of all ages

Preschool Videos — *Visitacion Valley, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3-5

Sophie's Craft Hour — *Bernal Heights, 4 p.m.* Children of all ages

★ **Museum of Craft and Folk Art Hosts a Native American Southwest Slide Show and Clay-Making Event** — Space limited; reserve at 355-2898. *Ingleside, 1:15 p.m.* Ages 6-12

★ **Flute Sweets and Tickletoons** — Musical storytelling. Space limited; reserve at 355-2828. *Mission, 3 p.m.* Children of all ages

14 Thursday

★ **Diana Shmiana's Book of Wonders** — Songs & clowning. *Bernal Heights, 11 a.m.* Children of all ages

★ **Sing Along with Bonnie Lockhart** — Space limited; reserve at 355-2889. *Chinatown, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3-6

★ **Flute Sweets and Tickletoons** — Storytheatre & classical music

- *Eureka Valley, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3 & older
- *Excelsior, 1:30 p.m.* Children of all ages
- *Merced, 4 p.m.* Ages 3 & older

★ **Special Storytime by Jane Wattenberg** — *Park, 11-11:30 a.m.* Ages 1-5

"Dog Talk" by the San Francisco SPCA — Space limited; reserve at 355-5656. *Park, 11:30 a.m.-12 noon.* Children of all ages

15 Friday

★ **Flute Sweets and Tickletoons** — *Visitacion Valley, 2 p.m.* Ages 5 & older

16 Saturday

★ **Flute Sweets and Tickletoons** — Musical storytelling. Children of all ages

- *Anza, 1:30 p.m.*
- *Portola, 4 p.m.* Space limited; reserve at 355-5660.

The Bat Lady — Space limited; groups, reserve at 337-4740. *Glen Park, 1:30 p.m.*

★ **Comedy, Magic and Juggling with Timothy James** — Children of all ages

- *Presidio, 11 a.m.*
- *Marina, 1 p.m.*

★ **Naomi C. Rose presents A Taste of Tibet** — *Richmond, 4 p.m.* Ages 5 & older

Mother Goose Returns; Part II — Participate in show & read poems aloud. *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, 10:30 a.m. Ulloa Street & Lenox Way.* Children of all ages

18 Monday

★ **A Magical Journey of Latin American Music with Colibri** — *Parkside, 3 p.m.* Children of all ages

19 Tuesday

★ **Mystic Pixies** — Rhythmic gymnastics & magic tricks. Space limited; reserve at 355-5757. *Bayview, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3-5

Preschool Film — *Anza, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3-6

Preschool Films — *The Hat; The Practical Princess; Dragon Stew. Golden Gate Valley, 10:15 a.m.*

Preschool Films — *Rosie's Walk; Picnic; Sand Castle. Parkside, 10 & 11 a.m.*

Evening Films — Call 355-2822 for titles. *Potrero, 7 p.m.* (programming room not accessible by elevator). Ages 3 & older

Family Films — *Richmond, 10:15 & 11 a.m.*

Preschool Films — *The Great White Man-Eating Shark; A Boy,*

Pointe at the Library. Learn about being safe and not talking to strangers. Parkside, 11 a.m. Ages 3-7

★ **Music and Movement with Gayle Schmitt** — *Potrero, 7 p.m.* (programming room not accessible by elevator). Children of all ages

22 Friday

★ **Rebecca Nile, the Bubble Lady** — *Eureka Valley, 3:30 p.m.* Ages 4 & older

23 Saturday

Preschool Films — *I Stink!; Trashy Town; How Do Dinosaurs Say Goodnight?; Giggle, Giggle Quack! Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center, 11 a.m.*

★ **The Flying Angels Dance Company** — Perform Chinese dances that celebrate the seasons. *Bernal Heights, 4 p.m.* Children of all ages

★ **Big Show Magic** — Humor & magic

- *Excelsior, 11:15 a.m.* Children of all ages
- *Glen Park, 2 p.m.* Space limited; groups, reserve at 337-4740.

★ **Starko the Clown** — (held outdoors, if weather o.k.). *Merced, 11 a.m.* Ages 3 & older

★ **Lisa Atkinson** — *Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, 10:30 a.m., Ulloa Street & Lenox Way.* Children of all ages

25 Monday

★ **Summer Craft** — Space limited; reserve at 355-5717. *Anza, 4 p.m.* Ages 4-10

26 Tuesday

Family Films — Old-fashioned movies; popcorn available. *North Beach, 7 p.m.*

Preschool Videos — Titles TBA. *Ocean View, 11 a.m.* Ages 3-6

Preschool Films — *The Concert; A Whistle for Willie; Swimmy; Caps for Sale. Parkside, 10 & 11 a.m.*

★ **Mark Bunnell, the Juggling Tornado** —

- *Glen Park, 10:30 a.m.* Space limited; groups, reserve at 337-4740.
- *Excelsior, 1 p.m.* Children of all ages
- *Main, 2nd Floor, Fisher Children's Center, 3:30 p.m.*

★ **Rebecca Nile, the Bubble Lady** — Space limited; reserve at 355-5757. *Bayview, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 3-5

★ **The Young Performers Theatre presents The Real Mother Goose Returns: Part 2** — *Eureka Valley, 10:30 a.m.* Ages 1-6

★ **Bonnie Lockhart presents Songs and Games from Around the World** — Participatory music program. *Golden Gate Valley, 10:15 a.m.* Ages 2-5

★ **Gardening for City Kids with Valarie Revels** — *Marina, 3 p.m.* Ages 5 & older

★ **Create a Harry Potter Magic Wand with Denise Blackburn** — Space limited; reserve at 355-5615. *Ocean View, 3 p.m.* Ages 5-9

29 Friday

★ **Irish Music with Todd Denman** — *Parkside, 3 p.m.* Children of all ages

30 Saturday

★ **The Magic of Norman Ng** — (held outdoors if weather o.k.). *Merced, 4 p.m.* Ages 3 & older

★ **Movement and Stories with Catherine!** — *Noe Valley, 10:30 a.m.* Ages birth-4

★ **Mermaids and Mermen: A Story and Craft Program with Author Lynn Hazen** — Space limited to 30; reserve at 355-2822. *Potrero, 4 p.m.* (programming room not accessible by elevator). Ages 6 & older

★ **The Jataka Puppet Theater** — Featuring stories from Asian folklore. Space limited to 15; reserve at 355-5610. *Richmond, 4 p.m.* Children of all ages

Storytimes

Please call ahead to confirm dates and times. Groups need to reserve space.

Anza	Tue, 5, 26	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-6
Bernal Heights	Thur, 7, 21	11 a.m. Ages 3-5
Glen Park	Tue, 5, 12, 19	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5
Marina	Tue, 19, 26	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5
Mission	Thur, 7, 14, 21, 28	10:10 a.m. Ages 3-5
Noe Valley	Tue, 5, 19, 26	10 a.m. Ages 2-5
North Beach	Thur, 14	11 a.m. Ages 3-5
Portola	Tue, 5, 12, 19, 26	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5
Potrero	Tue, 5, 26	7 p.m. Ages 3 & older (not accessible by elevator)
Presidio	Thurs, 7, 14, 21, 28	4 p.m. Children of all ages
Sunset	Tue, 5	10:30 a.m. Ages 2-5
Visitacion Valley	Tue, 5	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5
West Portal	Sat, 9	10:30 a.m. Ages 3-5

(Branch closed for renovation; Storytime held at the Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, Ulloa St. & Lenox Way.)

Family Storytimes

Anza	Sat, 2, 9, 23, 30	1:30 p.m. Ages 6 & under
Chinatown	Sat, 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	10:30 a.m. Children of all ages
Excelsior	Sat, 2, 9, 16, 30	11:30 a.m. With Marianne Children of all ages
Ingleside	Wed, 6, 27	6:45 p.m. Ages 3-6
Main	Sat, 2, 9, 23, 30 Tue, 5, 12, 19, 26	11 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
Merced	Wed, 6, 13	7 p.m. In Russian
Mission	Sat, 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	12 noon In Spanish/craft Children of all ages
Ocean View	Tue, 5, 12	11 a.m. Ages 3-6
Ortega	Tue, 5	10:30 a.m. Children of all ages
Richmond	Tue, 5, 12, 26	11 a.m. Ages birth-5 years

Lapsits

Stories, songs & rhymes for infants, toddlers and accompanying adults. Please call ahead to confirm dates and times.

Eureka Valley	Tue, 5, 12, 19	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-5
Excelsior	Tue, 12, 19, 26	11 a.m. Ages birth-3
Main	Mon, 11, 18, 25	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-3
Mission	Thur, 7, 14, 21, 28	11 a.m. Bilingual (Spanish/English) Ages birth-3
North Beach	Thur, 7, 14, 28	10:15 & 11:45 a.m. Ages birth-3
Parkside	Sat, 2, 9, 16, 30	10 & 11 a.m.
Potrero	Thur, 7, 14, 28	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-3 (not accessible by elevator)
Presidio	Thur, 7, 14, 21, 28	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-3
West Portal	Tue, 5	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-3

(Branch closed for renovation; Storytime held at the Clubhouse at West Portal Playground, Ulloa St. & Lenox Way.)

Family Lapsits

Noe Valley	Sat, 23	10:30 a.m. Ages birth-3
Park	Thur, 7, 21	11 a.m. Ages 6 mos-3 years
Richmond	Sat, 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	11 a.m. Ages birth-3

LIBRARY LOCATIONS AND HOURS

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BERNAL HEIGHTS 500 Cortland Ave. 355-2810	X	X	10-9	1-9	10-6	1-6	1-6
CHINATOWN 1135 Powell St. 355-2888	1-5	1-9	10-9	10-9	10-6	1-6	10-6
Children's Room	1-5	1-6	10-8	10-8	10-6	1-6	10-6
EUREKA VALLEY/MILK 3555 - 16th St. 355-5616	X	12-6	10-9	12-9	10-6	1-6	1-6
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RICHMOND/MARKS 351 - 9th Ave. 355-5600	1-5	10-6	10-9	10-9	1-9	1-6	10-6
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