

January 2013

BREA LIBRARY

1 Civic Center Circle (at Birch and Randolph)

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Sunday CLOSED	Monday 10 AM—6PM	Tuesday 12PM—8 PM	Wednesday 12PM—8 PM	Thursday 10 AM—6PM	Friday 10 AM— 5 PM	Saturday 10 AM— 5 PM
		1 CLOSED Happy New Year!	2 6:30 PM Read to the Dogs	3	4 10 AM—Noon eReader Open House	5 1:30 PM Writer's Group 3:00 PM Teen Anime Club
6	7 11:00 AM Preschool Storytime	8 6:00 PM Teen Arts & Crafts	9 6:00 PM Kid's Fun Night	10	11	12
13	14 11:00 AM Preschool Storytime	15 6:00 PM Family Storytime	16	17	18	19
20	21 CLOSED	22 6:00 TAB Event	23 10:30 AM Senior Center Book Club	24	25	26 3:00 PM Teen Anime Club
27	28 11:00 AM Preschool Storytime	29 6:00 PM Parenting Series: Family Meals Make a Difference	30 6:00 PM Lego Night	31	Be a Friend and Join the Friends of the Brea Library! Memberships start at \$3 for Seniors and \$8 for Individuals. All proceeds go to support programming and materials at your library!	

January 2013 @ Brea Library

- ◆ **eReader Open House**—Did you receive a new eReader as a gift and want to learn more about checking out library books on your new device? Drop in on Friday, January 4th between 10 AM and 12 PM and staff will be on hand to help you get started checking out eBooks and eAudiobooks through OC Public Libraries.
- ◆ **Parenting Series**—January 29th at 6:00 PM "Family Meals Make a Difference" - This program will focus on families eating dinner together and the impact it has on reducing the influence of youth from using alcohol and other drugs.
- ◆ **Book Club**—Join us at the Brea Senior Center for our monthly book club. We will be reading "Cleopatra's Daughter" by Michelle Moran in January. Books can be picked up at the Brea Senior Center and the library.
- ◆ **Writers Group**—Are you an aspiring author? Have you ever been published or want to get published? They meet on the first Saturday of the month at 1:30 PM. The group strives to provide a nurturing environment for writers to receive feedback, improve their skills, and encourage publishing.
- ◆ **Beginning Internet / Computer Tutorials**— Sign up for a free one-on-one tutorial to get you started on searching the Internet on Tuesdays at 10:30 AM. And don't forget our drop-in tutoring on Saturday mornings 10:30—Noon.
- ◆ **One-On-One Tech Help**—Working on a project and need a little technology help? Sign up at the Information Desk (or call 714-671-1722) to reserve your spot. Mondays and Wednesdays at 4:00 PM.

Especially for Children

- ◆ **Family Storytime** – Tuesday, January 15th at 6:00 PM, come listen to stories, sing songs, and enjoy a craft project afterwards. Children are invited to wear their pajamas and bring their favorite stuffed animal! No sign ups necessary.
- ◆ **Preschool Storytime**—Stop on by at 11:00 AM on Mondays during January through May 6th for this popular program, which includes stories, songs, and activities to help develop early literacy skills. Preschool children of all ages are welcome and no prior registration is needed.
- ◆ **Reading to the Dogs**—Join us the 1st Wednesday evening each month at 6:30 PM to read to a trained, gentle therapy dog. Come meet our favorite furry friends!
- ◆ **Kids Fun Night**—Join us every 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6 PM for exciting activities, especially for kids! On January 9th, Zach from American Karate will be here to do a Karate Demo and lesson. Wear comfortable clothing.
- ◆ **Fun with Legos** — Back by popular demand, bring your creativity! Wednesday, January 30th at 6:00 PM.

Especially for our Teens

- ◆ **Anime Club**— every other Saturday @ 3:00. On January 5th, we will be watching "Fullmetal Alchemist Brotherhood" and on January 26th, we will be making Pony bead bracelets.
- ◆ **Teen Advisory Board Event** — Activities for Teens by Teens. Meets the 3rd Tuesday each month at 6:00 PM. Join us in January for a special program on Sexual Assault Prevention presented by CSP. 1 in 3 high schools girls have experienced sexual assault, while 1 in 4 college women have been victims of attempted or completed rape. Sexual assault is not something that happens in a far away place, it happens here in Orange County. With 2,000+ registered sex offenders in our county, come and learn the facts about sexual assault. Students will learn about consent, sexual assault & the law, alcohol & sexual assault, and more. Every 2 minutes, someone in the US is sexually assaulted, what will you do to stop rape?
- ◆ **Teen Arts and Crafts Group** — Explore your creative side! Meets the 2nd Tuesday each month at 6:00 PM. This month we will be learning how to sew using sewing machines.

Friends of the Brea Library

The Friends of the Brea Library is a non-profit (501C-3) organization supporting the Brea Library through volunteer efforts and fund-raising activities. Funds raised by the Friends go to support programming and materials for the Brea Library. The Friends welcome your tax-deductible donations of gently used books, CDs, and DVDs to raise funds in their **Friends Bookstore**. Textbooks, dated encyclopedias, and shabby materials are not accepted - saleable condition items only, please. Friends of the Brea Library also have a **Silent Auction** of special and interesting items in the Brea Library. Become a Member today! Friend us on Facebook and keep up to date with what's going on.