



February 2016

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Sunday Monday **Tuesday** Wednesday **Thursday Friday** Saturday **CLOSED** 10 AM-6PM 12PM-8 PM 12PM-8 PM 10 AM-6PM 10 AM- 5 PM 10 AM- 5 PM 2 4 5 6 11:00 AM 3:00 PM 3:00 PM 9:00 AM **Homework Help** Preschool **Homework Help Donuts with Dad** Storytime Storytime 3:00 PM 6:00 PM **Stories & Crafts** 3:00 PM **Pajama** 1:30 PM **Homework Help** Storytime **Writers Group** 6:30 PM 4:00 PM **TAB** Read to the 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 3:00 PM 11:00 AM 3:00 PM **Preschool Homework Help** 4:30 PM **CLOSED Homework Help** Storytime Book 6:00 PM **Lovers** 3:00 PM Parent & **Child Book Club Homework Help Book Club** 16 19 20 14 15 17 18 3:00 PM 11:00 AM **Homework Help** 3:00 PM **CLOSED** Love in the **Homework Help Stacks** 6:00 PM **Author Visit** Family Arts & Crafts 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 11:00 AM 10:30 AM **Book Club @ Preschool** 3:00 PM **Senior Center Homework Help** Storytime 3:00 PM **Homework Help** 3:00 PM 5:00 PM **Homework Help Teen Book Club** 28 29 **Love in the Stacks** One-On-One 11:00 AM Don't miss this romance writer **Beginning Preschool** and reader event. Meet seven Storytime **Computer Tutorials** published romance authors. **Tuesdays** February 20th from 11 AM-2 PM. 3:00 PM @ 11:15 AM Ask library staff for more details! **Homework Help**

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◆ Love in the Stacks - Saturday, February 20th from 11 AM—2 PM. Love in the Stacks is a free romance reader and writer event featuring bestselling and emerging romance authors. Meet seven romance authors at this special event which will feature two moderated author panels, one guest speaker, book signings, book sales, and refreshments. Contact Brea Library staff for more details; such as, a list of authors and a schedule of events.

Especially for Adults

- Writers Group—Are you an aspiring author? Have you ever been published or want to get published? This group meets on the 1st Saturday of the month at 1:30 PM. They strive to provide a nurturing environment for writers to receive feedback, improve their skills, and encourage publishing.
- ♦ Book Club at the Brea Senior Center Meets at the Brea Senior Center on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 10:30 AM. Pick up February's book, "A Walk in the Woods" by Bill Bryson, at the Brea Senior Center or at the library.
- ♦ Book Lovers Book Club—Join our newest book club which will meet here at the Brea Library on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 4:30 PM. For February, we will be reading "A Spool of Blue Thread" by Anne Tyler.
- ◆ One-On-One Beginning Internet Sign up for a free one-on-one tutorial to get you started searching the Internet on Tuesdays at 11:15 AM. Pre-registration required.
- ◆ Microsoft Office Assistance— Do you need some help with writing a resume? Putting together a spreadsheet? Making a flyer? Library staff is offering one-on-one help using Word, Excel, and Powerpoint. Make your reservation today at the Service Desk.

Especially for Children & their Families

- ◆ Parent/Child Book Club— A book club for children ages 8-12 and their parent or guardian. Beloved children's books and thoughtful discussion questions will make each book club meeting a fun and insightful experience for children and parents. The book club meets at the library on the 2nd Tuesday of the month from 6:00 7:00 in the evening. For our February meeting we will be reading "Judy Moody Saves the World" by Megan McDonald. For more information or to pick up your books, see library staff.
- ♦ **Stories and Crafts**—Join us for a storytime designed for older, school-aged children held on the first Wednesday of every month at 3 PM.
- ◆ Donuts with Dad— Children and their dads are invited to visit the library Saturday, February 6th at 9 AM for fun stories and yummy donuts. Older and younger children are welcome to attend. Moms and all other caregivers are invited too!
- ◆ **Read to the Dogs**—Join us on the 1st Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM to read to a trained, gentle therapy dog. Come meet our favorite furry friends!
- ◆ **Family Craft Night**—Come to the library on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 PM for a fun-filled craft program for the whole family!
- ♦ Baby/Toddler/Preschool Storytime Stop on by at 11:00 AM on Mondays for this popular program, which includes stories, songs, and activities to help develop early literacy skills. Designed for children ages 0 to 5, all are welcome and no prior registration is needed.
- ♦ Homework Help—Do you need a little assistance completing your homework? Kids in grades K-5 can drop by on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays between 3:00 and 5:00 PM through June 16th to receive help from local high school students. Bring your assignments and all needed school supplies with you. (This is not tutoring—just help with specific assignments.)

Especially for our Teens

- ◆ Teen Advisory Board (TAB) Want to learn more about the library? Earn volunteer hours? Be a leader in your community? Join the Teen Advisory Board and help plan activities. The Board meets the 1st Monday of each month at 4:00 PM.
- ◆ Teen Book Club In partnership with the Teen Zone at the Brea Community Center, the Brea Library is hosting a Teen Book Club at the Teen Zone.