

TEEN PROGRAMS • FEBRUARY 2011

FREE S.A.T. WORKSHOPS!

Advance your score! Go to: successlinktutoring.com/SFPL/ for schedule and registration info!

VALENTINE PROJECTS!

Magnetic Love (or Like) Poetry

Have something you're itching to say? Something witty or wise or lovely? Say it with magnets on our board! Come in, put together a few lines. Connect with other lines. And play with your words.

Tuesday, Feb. 8, 5:30-8:30 p.m.

Parkside Branch, 1200 Taraval St. (at 22th Ave.)

For more information, contact Dorcas at dwong@sfpl.org.

Love Pillows!!!

Make something to hug or give away for Valentine's Day! Come join us in making and decorating a small, adorable pillow with your own hand-stitched message on it. Ages 12-18. Class size limited to 15.

Wednesday, Feb. 9, 4-6 p.m.

Excelsior Branch, 4400 Mission St. (at Cotter)

For more info or to register, contact Marla

at mbergman@sfpl.org

or (415) 355-2868.

Crafty Teen: Folded Paper Hearts!

Learn to fold your notes into a heart. Afterwards, you may display it, deliver it, or smash it, according to your Valentine's Day mood.

Thursday, Feb. 10, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Parkside Branch, 1200 Taraval St. (at 22th Ave.)

For more information, contact Dorcas at dwong@sfpl.org.

Love Tweets: Short Poems for Teens

What do you heart? Say it in 140 characters or less!

Youth Speaks will teach you how to Love Tweet!!

Go to sfpl.org/teens for more info!

Friday, Feb. 11, 3:30-5 p.m.

West Portal Branch, 190 Lenox Ave. (at Ulloa)

Visit sfpl.org/teens or e-mail Dorcas

at dwong@sfpl.org for more info!

Love 'em Hate 'em:

Teen Valentines Day Poetry and Card Making

Wednesday, Feb. 11, 4-5:30 p.m.

Main Library, 100 Larkin St. (at Grove), Second Floor,
Children's Creative Center

For information, contact Rachel Aronowitz
at (415) 557-4426.

Show Your Love with Buttons!

Who wants to get crafty with buttons on Valentine's Day?

Draw a picture, cut one out, or bring one in.

Make a button for your love or yourself!

FYI: The buttons are less than two inches around,
so think small! Ages 12-18.

Monday, Feb. 14, 4-6 p.m.

Mission Branch, 300 Bartlett St. (at 24th St.)

For more information, contact Nicole
at (415) 355-5738 or ntermini@sfpl.org.

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Monday, Feb. 14, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

190 Lenox Way (at Ulloa)

For more information, contact Dorcas at dwong@sfpl.org.

Love Tweets: Hip-Hop Poetry

What do you heart? Say it in 140 characters or less!

Youth Speaks will teach you how to Love Tweet!!

Go to sfpl.org/teens for more info!

Wednesday, Feb. 16, 4-5:30 p.m.

Bayview Branch, 5075 Third St. (at Revere)

Visit sfpl.org/teens or e-mail Alice

at alicechan@sfpl.org for more info!

Love Tweets: Short Poems for Teens

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Youth Speaks will teach you how to Love Tweet!!

Go to sfpl.org/teens for more info!

Wednesday, Feb. 23, 3:30-5 p.m.

Chinatown Branch, 1135 Powell St. (near Jackson)
Computer Lab, Mezzanine

Visit sfpl.org/teens or e-mail Jewel at

jewelchen@sfpl.org

for more information.



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CREATIVE CRAFTS FOR TEENS

You might have some talents in craft. Try different craft projects and do it yourself, including beading, weaving, drawing and more etc. Craft materials are provided. For tweens and teens, age 8-18.

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 3:30-5 p.m.

North Beach Branch

2000 Mason St. (at Columbus)

Program will be held at Joe DiMaggio Playground Clubhouse, 661 Lombard St.

For information or to register, contact Jewel at jewelchen@sfpl.org or (415) 355-5626.

WRITING DOWN THE SPINE: WORKSHOP FOR TEEN WRITERS

This workshop will help you develop and share your writing with a supportive group led by WritersCorps. We will play with form and other arts to inspire your creative writing. Open to teen writers, ages 12-19.

**Tuesdays, Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22
4-6 p.m.**

This workshop continues through March 22, 2011.

Main Library, 100 Larkin St. (at Grove)

3rd Floor Conference Room next to Teen Center

For information or to register, contact Betsy at (415) 557-4497 or blevine@sfpl.org.

TEEN MOVIE DAY: DESPICABLE ME

Free movies for teens every first Tuesday. Ages 12-18.

Snacks provided.

Every First Tuesday

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 4-6 p.m.

Excelsior Branch

4400 Mission St. (at Cotter)

For more information, contact Marla at mbergman@sfpl.org or (415) 355-2868.

UPCYCLE BUTTONS, T-SHIRTS AND PILLOWS!

Free movies for teens every first Tuesday.

Ages 12-18. Snacks provided.

Wednesdays, Feb. 2, 9, 16, 23, 4-6 p.m.

Excelsior Branch

4400 Mission St. (at Cotter)

For more information, contact Marla at mbergman@sfpl.org or (415) 355-2868.

GREAT TEEN BOOK SWAP

FREE book, just swap us a review!

Here's how it works: At the beginning of the month, the Teen Librarian will bring out several books (new titles, old titles and some titles that have not been published yet) and allow teens the chance to browse through them for one that you'd like to keep. You will, in turn, swap us a book mark review by the end of the month.

Every Thursday beginning Feb. 3, 2011

Parkside Branch, 1200 Taraval St. (at 22nd Ave.)

Teen Reading Room

Every Friday beginning Feb. 4, 2011

West Portal Branch, 190 Lenox Way (at Ulloa)

Adult Reading Room

For more information or to register, contact Dorcas at dwong@sfpl.org.

TEEN'ZINE CHINESE NEW YEAR GAMING

Let's play Wii video games at Chinatown meeting room to celebrate Chinese New Year! For teens & tweens, ages 8-18 years old.

Friday, Feb. 4, 26, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Chinatown Library

1135 Powell St. (near Jackson),

Community Meeting Room

For information, contact Jewel at (415) 355-2888

or jewelchen@sfpl.org.

CHINATOWN TEEN'ZINE

A bilingual (English/Chinese) after-school teen activity.

Workshop activities include: bilingual blog publishing, digital photography, database learning, gaming, homework help and more.

Saturdays, Feb. 5, 26, 1-3 p.m.

Chinatown Library, Computer Lab, Mezzanine

1135 Powell St. (near Jackson)

For information, contact Jewel at (415) 355-2888

or jewelchen@sfpl.org.

GRAPHIC NOVEL WORKSHOP

Learn how to write and illustrate a graphic novel, including perspective, expression, backgrounds and movement. Each participant will create a mini-comic or mini-graphic novel and learn how professional artists work to create graphic novels and comics. Artist and writer Cara Goldstein teaches this workshop. Ages 11-18.

Thursday, Feb. 17, 4:30-6 p.m.

Glen Park Branch, Meeting Room

2825 Diamond St. (near Bosworth)

For information or to register, contact Marla at (415) 355-2858 or mbergman@sfpl.org.

MAKE FELT PINS!

Make skull or flower pins out of felt.

Amaze your friends! Better still, bring your friends to make them too. For teens and tweens, ages 10-18.

Thursday, Feb. 25, 4-5:30 p.m.

Main Library, Children's Creative Center, 100 Larkin St. (at Grove) For information, contact Betsy at (415) 557-4497

or blevine@sfpl.org.

TEEN GAMING

Get your game on at the library after school! Battle your friends on the Wii! Open to teens and tweens.

Friday, Feb. 25, 3:30-5 p.m.

Portola Branch

380 Bacon St. (at Goettingen)

For information or to register, contact Irene

at (415) 355-5660 or ilee@sfpl.org.

BEADING ARTS FOR TEENS

Let's string colorful beads to make adorable ornaments. Materials provided. Limit to twelve participants. Pre-registration is required. For teens & tweens, ages 7 to 18 years old.

Friday, Feb. 25, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Chinatown Library, Community Meeting Room

1135 Powell St. (near Jackson)

For information, contact Jewel at (415) 355-2888

or jewelchen@sfpl.org.

GET INKED...NATURALLY!

Thinking 'bout getting inked? Come join us for a free temporary organic tattoo! Unravel the mystery of henna and its ancient/traditional uses, learn how to apply it, and have all your questions answered by San Francisco's natural Henna artist, Charitie Bolling. All participants will receive a free design for participating. Refreshments will be provided. Bring a friend and a get entered into a raffle for a chance to win a free gift after the workshop!! Don't miss out!! Space is limited. Ages 12-18. For participants under 18, a signed parent/guardian permission form must be returned prior to the workshop.

Monday, Feb. 28, 4-5:30 p.m.

Mission Library

300 Bartlett St. (at 24th St.)

To reserve your space and/or request a form, contact Nicole at (415) 355-5738 or ntermini@sfpl.org.

