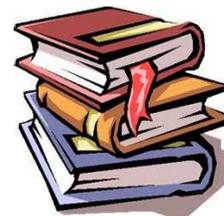


Library Chats...

for the love of books



Friends of the Chatsworth Library Newsletter

Chatsworth Branch Library: 21052 Devonshire St., Chatsworth, CA 91311

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LIBRARY HOURS (818) 341-4276

Mondays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Tuesdays	12:00 noon – 8:00 pm
Wednesdays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Thursdays	12:00 noon – 8:00 pm
Fridays	9:30 am – 5:30 pm
Saturdays	9:30 am – 5:30 pm
Sundays	Closed
Major Holidays	Closed

SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES:

See newsletter for a list of scheduled events.

Or visit our Friends Calendar at

www.laplchatsworthfriends.org

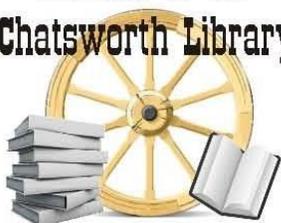
LIBRARY STAFF

Senior Librarian: Hillary St. George

FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY OFFICERS

President:	Ann Vincent
Vice-President:	John Thorpe
Secretary:	Zena Thorpe
Treasurer:	Ray Vincent
Membership:	Dottie Acker
Book Sales:	Dorothy Barber
Book Store Inventory:	Jan Lauritzen
Newsletter:	Ann Vincent
Book Club & Publicity:	Clara Woll
Hospitality:	Jelena Csanyi
Member-at-large:	Gretchen Martin
Member-at-large:	Donna Boswell
Member-at-large:	Joe Monsour

Friends of the
Chatsworth Library



Our Book Store is now open daily to purchase Used Books.

Additional volunteers are needed to help staff the book room...come join us.

We are able to accept LIMITED good quality book donations at this time.

Masks are still required in the Library.

Looking forward to Giant Book Sales in the future once the mask mandates are removed.

President's Report *President - Ann Vincent*

Our Book Room is now open and staffed with volunteers thanks to Dorothy Barber. Additional volunteers are always needed. Our books sales have expanded into to the main lobby to provide access to a larger selection of books every day. A special Thank you to Jeannie and Edna who festively decorate our Book Room and make it fun to volunteer. Thanks again to Jelena, who manages our sleuth of bears.

It is Summer Reading time and our Chatsworth Branch has a variety of programs offered for kids and adults. The Friends of the Library continues to fund many of these program events through our book sales. For a list and calendar of events for this summer go to the **Chatsworth Branch EVENT CALENDAR:**

<https://www.lapl.org/branches/chatsworth>

For additional information on changes to our Library services, please check with our branch Facebook page.

FACEBOOK Link

[**Chatsworth Branch - Los Angeles Public Library**](#)

Follow the Chatsworth Branch on FACEBOOK for fun Reading and Activity suggestions from our Staff.

BOOK ROOM SALES

Book Room Coordinator: Dorothy Barber

New faces have joined our returning volunteers. It only takes 2 or 3 hours, one day a week or filling in for others during library hours to make a difference.

If you are interested, please visit our library and ask one of the staff for a Volunteer Intake Form. This form needs to be completed and submitted to Hillary St. George, Chatsworth Library Branch Manager. Currently, volunteer applicants also need to provide proof of vaccination per city requirements.

MOVIES and YOGA

The staff has opened the multipurpose room again for Movies and seated Yoga. **Masks are required!**

Seated YOGA is Monday and Friday mornings at 10:30am.

UPCOMING MOVIES

Thursday, June 23·1:30 – 3:17pm
Nomadland (2020) R 1h 47m

Thursday, July 28·1:30 – 3:47pm
Dear Evan Hansen (2021) PG-13 2h 17m

Thursday, August 25·1:30 – 4:06pm
West Side Story (2021) PG-13 2h 36m

LOBBY DISPLAY

Thank you to the Chatsworth Historical Society and the Chatsworth Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) for the educational and Patriot displays provided in our display cases. Great history for everyone!

CHATSWORTH LIBRARY STAFF and Volunteers have gone out of their way to continue to provide outstanding programs. They represented the Library at the April 2022 Community BLOCKFEST and the April 2022 EARTH DAY-Nature Preserve event. A special grant was provided to our branch for STEM Robotics programs which included four 3D printers, and a laser cutter. Our teen program is active and working with reading programs and crafts for kids! Watch for more great programs by our staff!

BOOK CLUB

Book Club Chairman: Clara Woll

Chatsworth Library Book Club Meetings are back in the library again...and on Zoom

The Chatsworth Library Book Club is continuing to hold its regular first Wednesday of the month meetings via Zoom and is now also back in the multipurpose room. Our members choose the books that they want to read, so we cover a large variety of subjects, both fiction and non-fiction. Our discussions are fun and insightful. The books can be ordered from the Library.

July 6, 2022 at 1:30 PM - *Heartburn* by Nora Ephron – 1996 – 179 pages. The seven-month-pregnant Rachel discovers that her husband is in love with another woman. The book is a side-splitting novel about the breakup of the perfect marriage.

August 3, 2022 at 1:30 PM - *The Indigo Girl* by Natasha Boyd – 2017 – 343 pages. The story of Eliza Lucas, who in 1739 at 16 years-of-age, is left to run her family's South Carolina plantation. To save the plantation, she learns the secret of producing indigo dye.

September 7, 2022 at 1:30 PM - *The Personal Librarian* by Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray – 2021 – 341 pages. The story of Belle de Costa Greene, J. P. Morgan's personal librarian. Belle becomes one of the most powerful people in the art and book world but must keep secret her family's true identity.

For an invitation to join in Zoom meeting please send an email to: sstamm@lapl.org

Membership dues...please Join/Renew again!

We suspended our membership dues in March of 2020 since during Covid.

Now that we are open again, we ask that you support the Friends with your \$5 individual or \$10 family membership. Your dues and our book sales continue to provide funds to support library programs at our branch throughout the year. An application form is on page 3.



FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY

Goals:

To assist the Library and Staff by raising funds to acquire additional books and providing program opportunities that enhance the educational outreach to our community.

How you can help:

Donate used books that may be added to the shelves of the library or sold by the Friends to raise funds to purchase books, library aids or sponsor community programs. Donated Books, CD's, and DVD's can be dropped off at the Library and are tax deductible.

How can you join FRIENDS?

Mail the form included in this newsletter to the address shown. Members receive the quarterly Friends Newsletter "Library Chats" and invitations to special book sales and events.

Our Newsletters are available on our Website (laplchatsworthfriends.org):

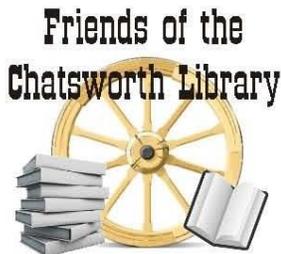
In an effort to save postage and printing costs, our newsletters are posted on our website for easy access. If you would like to save us the cost of printing and mailing a newsletter to you, please send an email to chatsworthfriends@gmail.com and request to be taken off the list that is printed and mailed. We will add you to our email list and email future newsletters to you, plus you can always get a copy on our website. Every dollar counts!

Participate in our Monthly Friends Meetings:

Scheduled the second Tuesday of the month from 7 to 8 pm at the library. Please Note: We do not meet in July, August and December. Currently on hold until Covid Mask Mandates are lifted by LAPL.

Volunteer to help staff our Book Store Room:

Contact the Reference desk or email chatsworthfriends@gmail.com to find out how to schedule time to help sell books to the library patrons.



Thank you for your participation, it makes it possible for all of us to continue to provide a valuable service to our community.

Membership forms are available in this newsletter and will also be available at the Book Room.

If your dues are due and you receive your newsletter by email... we will send you an email to let you know.

*However if there is an * on your mailing label, then it's time to RENEW your membership.*



FRIENDS OF THE CHATSWORTH LIBRARY

We invite you to join or renew your membership to support our outstanding library and the community it serves. Return this cutoff with your membership dues and/or contribution made payable to:
Friends of Chatsworth Library, 21052 Devonshire Street, Chatsworth, CA 91311

New Member

Yearly:

Life Membership:

Renewal

Individual \$5.00

Supporting Membership \$25.00

\$ 100.00

Family or Organization \$10.00

Contributing Membership \$50.00

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