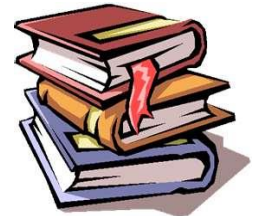


Library Chats...

for the love of books



Friends of the Chatsworth Library Newsletter

Chatsworth Branch Library: 21052 Devonshire St., Chatsworth, CA 91311
(818) 341-4276

chatsworthfriends@gmail.com October 2021 Quarterly Newsletter

www.laplchatsworthfriends.org



LIBRARY HOURS	(818) 341-4276
Mondays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Tuesdays	12:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Wednesdays	10:00 am – 8:00 pm
Thursdays	12:00 pm – 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

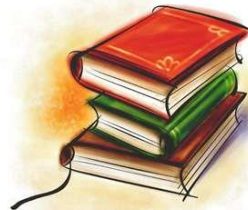
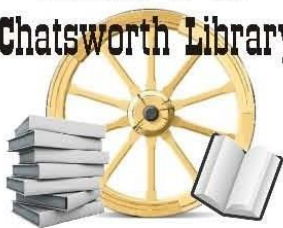
LIBRARY STAFF

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:	John Thorpe
Book Store Inventory:	Jan Lauritzen Lori Summer
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
Member-at-large:	Kathleen Freeman

Friends of the
Chatsworth Library



There are No Book Sales Scheduled

We are not able to accept
book donations at this time.

President's Report

President - Ann Vincent

We have been waiting for some news to report to continue our Newsletter. We can offer this update:

Our Library is open to visit and check out books, however the Los Angeles City Library has not allowed the branches to open up for community activities such as our Book Sales and Book Room. Book donations have been discontinued due to Covid throughout the Library system. Movies and other in-house programs which our Friends of the Library sponsor are not available yet. We are looking forward to all of these activities as soon as we are given the go-ahead.

In the mean-time, over the last year the Friends of the Library has continued to assist the library with donations for additional book cases and new furniture for the Young Adult/Youth reading area. We also purchased a large selection of new books suggested by the staff.

Branch Manager – Hillary Gt. George

Hillary St. George is our new Branch Manager. She worked previously at the Cahuenga Branch in East Hollywood and has been in the Los Angeles Library system for fifteen years, working as both a Young Adult and Adult Librarian. We are delighted to have her join us and we are enjoying working with her.

FACEBOOK

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

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

DONATE YOUR BOOKS Opportunity

If your house has filled with books you need to donate, we suggest contacting
Hope of the Valley

GRANADA HILLS

18167 Chatsworth St.
Granada Hills, CA 91344

- Monday - Friday **9am - 7pm**
- Saturday & Sunday **10am - 6pm**
818-363-2050

SIMI VALLEY

2790 E. Los Angeles Ave.
Simi Valley, CA 93065

- Monday – Saturday **10am - 8pm**
- Sunday **10am - 6pm**
805-638-0222

ACTIVITIES ON ZOOM

Chatsworth Library Book Club Meeting on Zoom

The Chatsworth Library Book Club is continuing to hold its regular first Wednesday of the month meetings via Zoom. 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.

October 6, 2021 1:30 PM

Participants will be discussing *The Book of Lost Friends: A Novel* by Lisa Wingate

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

Join us for a discussion of the monthly book selection.

November - *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides

December - *Mr. Dickens and His Carol* by Samantha Silva

ACTIVITIES AT THE LIBRARY in the Courtyard

CSUN Robotics Team

October 15, 2021 3:30 PM (Adults)

See the award-winning CSUN robotics team as they tell us about their projects and show us their robots.

Halloween LAPD Reads with Officer Zamora

October 27, 2021 4:00 PM (Children)

Officer Zamora visits the Chatsworth Branch patio to read Halloween stories and talk about Halloween safety.

BEAR WITH US

As we all wait for the opportunity to get together with Book Sales and Programs at our Chatsworth Branch Library.



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 now available on our Website (www.laplchatsworthfriends.com):

In an effort to save postage and printing costs, our newsletters are now 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.

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 Sale.

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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STREET ADDRESS: _____ Email: _____

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Special Interest / Expertise: _____