

### 2 0 2 3 December Happenings





#### POWWOW AND BLANKET DRIVE

Saturday, December 2nd 11:00AM-3:00PM in the Rose Garden

Join us for a Powwow and blanket drive, hosted by Redbird's Vision at the Simi Valley Public Library! Your donations will be sent to Pine Ridge Reservation.

#### **TEEN FINALS CAFE**

Are you feeling stressed about upcoming finals? Need a place to focus and study? Visit the library's Finals Cafe in the Community Room. Refreshments will be available to power you through!

- Fri, Dec. 15th 3:30-5:00 PM
- Mon, Dec. 18th 5:30-7:30 PM
- Mon, Dec. 18th 5:30-7:30 PM
   Tues, Dec. 19th 5:30-7:30 PM

#### LITERAZZI BOOK CLUB: MAD HONEY

Wednesday, December 13th 11:00AM-1:00 PM in the Community Room

Join us on the second Wednesday of each month! Our book this month is <u>Mad Honey</u> by Jodi Picoult and Jennifer Finney Boylan.
No registration required.



## WHERE WE COME FROM Winter Reading Challenge

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#### **WRAPPING BOOKS FOR CHARITY**

Beginning 12/1 in the Children's Area

Come wrap books provided by the Friends of the Library. These wrapped books will be given to a local charity and distributed as gifts to the children they support in our community.

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

Starting January 1st-31st

Mark your calendar for our 2024 Winter Reading Challenge! Log your reading and complete activities to complete a bingo sheet! All ages can participate.

#### **HOLIDAY CLOSURES**

The library will be closed:

- December 24th Christmas Eve
- December 25th Christmas Dav
- December 31st New Year's Eve
- January 1st New Year's Day

#### SIMI VALLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION

We are thrilled to share the launch of the Simi Valley Library Foundation! The Foundation is a nonprofit that will help renovate existing library spaces, enhance programs, expand community resources, and ensure the long life of our beloved library.

We invite you to celebrate this exciting milestone with us on February 8th at the Simi Valley Cultural Arts Center. This fun evening will include a reception, lively entertainment and an opportunity to learn more about the Foundation's mission and plans for the library.

For more information and to get involved, please email us at <a href="mailto:simivalleylibraryfoundation@gmail.com">simivalleylibraryfoundation@gmail.com</a>. We are currently seeking theme ideas for the "Reimagine your Library" theme contest, and we would love to hear from you!

#### FRIENDS CORNER

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Holiday Cheer, and a Happy New Year! Didn't the year seem to fly by? Well, we hope in the hustle and bustle that seems to pervade December, you find some time to browse in our store. We have puzzles, cookbooks, holiday stories and more to peruse.

Can't decide on a gift? We also have gift certificates, they make great stocking stuffers. Wherever the holiday season takes you, savor it. It will fly by like the rest of 2023.

Thank you for supporting our bookstore throughout this year. We appreciate the opportunity to serve our community and support our library.



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