



# Check It Out!

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## Upland Public Library



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### 14th Annual Trivia Bee & Silent Auction for Literacy

Get ready to "Play to the Rhythm" at the Upland Public Library's 14th Annual Trivia Bee & Silent Auction on Thursday, September 24, 2015 at the Carnegie Cultural Center 123 East D Street in Upland.

All proceeds raised from this event will benefit the Upland Public Library's Adult Literacy and Conversational English Tutoring Program.

Join in the fun as returning 2014 champion, Team Rutherford, defend their title along with other community and Library supporters. The Trivia Bee is sponsored by local business owners and community organizations. Silent auction prizes will include lovely

baskets with fine wines, gift certificates, artwork, jewelry or decorator items. All prizes and gifts are donated by local merchants.

Admission to this entertaining event is \$15 for adults. No charge for students.

The \$15 admission includes a light supper and dessert. All ticket holders will receive \$15 in Bee Bucks, at the door, which can be used to help your favorite team earn more points on the board!

For information on donating goods and/or services as auction items or sponsoring or participating as a team, please contact Liz

### Latino Americans: 500 Years of History, September 26th, 1 pm at the Carnegie!

Join the Upland Public Library and the Ontario City Library in kicking off our special NEH-ALA grant, Latino Americans: 500 Years of History. Come and experience a program dedicated to the history and contribution

of our Inland Empire Latino community with an exhibit chronicling Mexican-American baseball players. An accompanying presentation led by Mark Ocegueda, PhD candidate in History from the University of Cali-

fornia Irvine, will offer a rich historical context to the exhibit. Light refreshments and delicious cultural foods will be served.

The Exhibit will be on display in the Upland Library for a limited time so don't miss it!

## Storytimes Are Back In Business!



Fall Session begins  
September 14 through November 18th



**One-derful Ones:** (Ages 0-1) — Mondays @ 10:00 a.m.; Saturdays @ 12:00 p.m.

**Bilingual Storytime:** (All ages—Family Storytime) — Mondays @ 5:00 p.m.

**Toddler time:** (Ages 2-3) — Tuesdays @ 10:15 a.m.; Thursdays @ 11:15 a.m.

**Preschool Storytime:** (Ages 3-5) — Tuesdays @ 11:15 a.m.

**Afterschool Adventures:** (Ages 5-9) — Wednesdays @ 3:30 p.m.

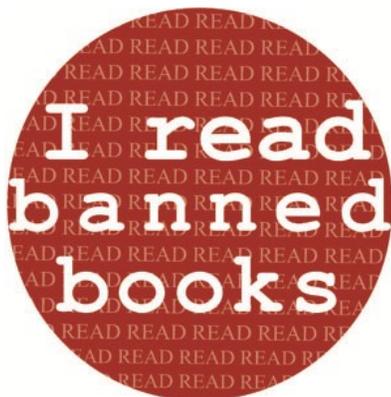
**P.J. Storytime:** (All ages—Family Storytime) — Thursdays @ 6:00 p.m.

**Level Up:** (Ages 9-12) — Fridays @ 3:30 p.m.



## Banned Books Week

*September 27th through October 3rd*



Banned Books Week is the national book community's annual celebration of the freedom to read. Hundreds of libraries and bookstores around the country draw attention to the problem of censorship by mounting displays of challenged books and hosting a variety of events.

Banned Books Week was launched in 1982 in response to a sudden surge in the number of challenges to books in schools, bookstores and libraries. More than 11,300 books have been challenged since 1982 according to the American Library Association. There were 311 challenges reported to the Office of Intellectual Freedom in 2014, and many more go unreported.

In honor of Banned Books Week, Upland Public Library will be hosting a screening of **To Kill A Mockingbird** on Wednesday, September 30th from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in The Brodie Room.



## Teen Book Brawl

Teen Book Brawl is our very own book club just for teens. Our book club season begins in September and ends in May. Read one book a month with us and vote for your favorite at the end of the season! Our first meeting will take place on September 15th. Registration is required for this program. Registration will begin on August 31st and end on September 11th. Join us every third Tuesday from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Carnegie Cultural Center. For more information, please call (909) 931-4328.

## Teen Afterschool Movie

Take a break and watch a movie at the Library for a relaxing and fun afternoon. Refreshments will be provided. Join us every third Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the Carnegie Cultural Center. Our first event takes place on Thursday, September 17th. See you there!

## Teen Gaming

Get your game on with our brand new Wii-U! Play games like Mario Kart 8 and Super Smash Bros.! We'll also have board games available like Apples to Apples and Monopoly.

Join us every first and last Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the Carnegie Cultural Center. Our first event takes place Thursday, September 3rd. See you there!

## Teen Craft

From ideas on Pinterest to YouTube, we'll be tackling some fun DIY ideas every second Thursday of the week. Stop by to make some cool gadgets with us!

Join us every second Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in The Carnegie Cultural Center. Our first event takes place on Thursday, September 10th!



**Halloween is Coming Soon...**



Pumpkin Carving Contest 10/22—compete to win a prize!  
Halloween Haunting 10/30—Costume contest, raffles, and more!

**Gardening With Claire Splan!**

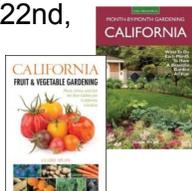


Upland Library is proud to present Claire Splan, author of the award-winning books, *California Month-by-Month Gardening* and *California Fruit and Vegetable Gardening*.

Get gardening advice from Claire on how to extend your growing season and how to grow edibles through the Fall and Winter!

The event is on Tuesday, September 22nd, 6:30 p.m. in The Brodie Room.

Claire will have her books available for purchase at the event.



**Get Ready for your California DMV Test!**

Upland Library is offering drivers license self-study sessions! The sessions are free and will be held in downstairs in the Carnegie Cultural Center.

- Walk Thru of the DMV Handbook on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 3:00 p.m.
- Online or hardcopy practice tests, Monday—Friday, 1:00—4:00 p.m.

The sessions are free and will be held in the Literacy Center downstairs in the Carnegie. Call the Literacy Office at (909) 931-4211, to register.

**Movie Night for Grown-Ups!**

Stop by the Brodie Room on September 16th at 6:00 p.m. to catch the showing of *Random Harvest*, starring Ronald Colman and Greer Garson, directed by Mervyn LeRoy. It is about an amnesiac World War I vet who falls in love with a music hall star, only to suffer an accident which restores his original memories but erases his post-War life. Free popcorn!



**Conversations About God**

The Upland Library has partnered with the Upland Interfaith Council to bring you presentations from different faiths in and around our community.

Join us on Tuesday, September 22nd, at 6:00 p.m. in the Carnegie. The speaker will be Mohammed Zafarullah-Ahmadiyya, on the Muslim Community.



**Adult Beginner Level Computer Classes in English and Spanish!**

If you want to learn more about computers or want to practice on one of the library's Chromebooks, check out one of these classes!

**Computer Classes In English**

Computer classes are conducted in English every Monday at 3:00 p.m. in The Brodie Room. Don't forget to bring your library card.

**Topics Covered**

Week 1	Intro to the Computer
Week 2	Intro to Email
Week 3	Browsing the Internet
Week 4	Library Online Resources
Week 5	No class, if applicable

**Computer Classes In Spanish**

Computer classes are conducted in Spanish every Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. in the Adult Literacy Center, downstairs in the Carnegie Building.

## Adult Summer Reading Program Grand Prize Winners!



Diane Rotolo



Dominique Tapert



Jessica Huerta



Mariana Aguirre

Congratulations to Diane Rotolo who won the Sprouts \$25 gift certificate (courtesy of Sprouts) and to Dominique Tapert, Jessica Huerta, and Mariana Aguirre who won the Samsung Galaxy Tab 4 Tablet (courtesy of the Friends of the Upland Public Library)!

Thanks to everyone who participated in the Adult Summer Reading Program!  
You made the program a success!

## Book-Enders is Back!

Join the Book-Enders as they celebrate their 25th anniversary! For the 2015-16 year we will feature four book-to-movies. They include: *Giant*, *Far From the Madding Crowd*, *Double Indemnity*, and *The Big Sleep*. We will screen each of the movies two to three weeks before the Book-Enders meeting. Pick up the 2015-16 Reading List the next time you are in the library. We have the first four books in and are available for checkout at the Circulation Desk.

The first meeting will be Saturday, October 3rd in The Brodie Room from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The book for October is *The Martian* by Andy Weir. The guest speaker will be Les Compton, retired JPL Senior Engineer of the Mars Pathfinder project. He will talk about the Mars Pathfinder Mission that marked JPL/NASA's return to Mars as well as show some stunning photos.

Even if you haven't read the book, don't miss the opportunity to meet new people, talk to old friends, and eat, drink, and be merry!

## Book-Enders Reading List October 2015 through June 2016

- Oct 3: *The Martian* by Andy Weir  
 Nov 7: *The Sandcastle Girls* by Chris Bohjalian  
 Dec 5: *Unfamiliar Fishes* by Sarah Vowell  
 Jan 9: *Giant* by Edna Ferber  
 Feb 6: *The House of Bernarda Alba* by Federico García Lorca  
 Mar 5: *Far From the Madding Crowd* by Thomas Hardy  
 Apr 2: *Double Indemnity* by James M. Cain  
 May 7: *Waiting for Snow in Havana: Confessions of a Cuban Boy* by Carlos Eire  
 Jun 4: Raymond Chandler Month

## Book-to-Movie Screenings

Saturday, 1:00 p.m. in the Brodie Room

<b>Dec 19</b> <i>Giant</i> (1956) with Elizabeth Taylor, Rock Hudson, James Dean. Directed by George Stevens	<b>Feb 20</b> <i>Far From the Madding Crowd</i> (1967) with Julie Christie, Alan Bates. Directed by John Schlesinger	<b>Mar 19</b> <i>Double Indemnity</i> (1944) with Barbara Stanwyck, Fred MacMurray, Edward G. Robinson. Directed by Billy Wilder	<b>May 21</b> <i>The Big Sleep</i> (1946) with Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall, Martha Vickers. Directed by Howard Hawks
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## Become a US Citizen—Free Citizenship Classes



Pathways to Citizenship @ Your Library is presenting Citizenship class at the Upland Public Library.

A 13 week citizenship course will be offered beginning Thursday,

September 3rd.

Students must pre-register for this class and must attend every week to complete the course.

To register, please call (909) 931-4211.

# TAKE A CHANCE.

Because you never know how absolutely perfect something can turn out to be.

## Change a Life: Become an Adult Literacy Tutor

Are you looking for a rewarding way to volunteer in our community while helping an adult improve their life? The Adult Literacy program provides free, private, one-on-one tutoring for low literate adults seeking assistance in improving reading, writing, vocabulary and comprehension skills.

Tutor Training for this program will take place on Saturday, October

24th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Carnegie Building. Once trained, Literacy Tutors are matched with students based on schedule availability.

To sign up, please contact Literacy Coordinator, Liz Barbee (909) 931-4211.



## Got Goals?

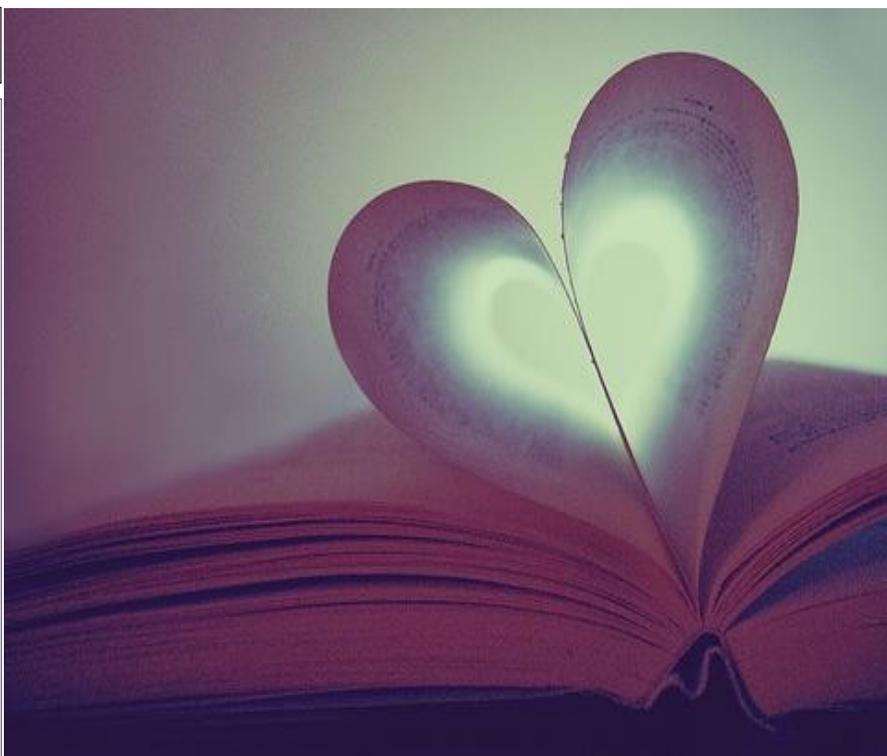
### ReadNow@UPL

Upland Public Library Adult Literacy Services wants to help you achieve your goals

- Read better
- Get a better job
- Speak better English
- Read to your children

It's free, private, one-on-one  
Adult tutoring

For more information:  
(909) 931-4211  
Literacy Department



## Upland Adult Literacy Program

The Upland Public Library Adult Literacy Program provides free adult literacy tutoring services to Upland residents and the surrounding communities.

Adults 18 and older, who wish to participate as a student or as a volunteer tutor can contact the Adult Literacy Center at (909) 931-4211.

The Literacy Center is located in the beautifully renovated Carnegie Library of Upland.

### **Adult Learners**

The literacy program helps English speaking adults that live in the City of Upland to learn and/or improve basic reading, writing and life skills. You must be 18 to en-

roll.

- Students are matched with a trained volunteer tutor for free one-to-one tutoring.
- Instruction is "Learner Centered" based on the individual student's needs and goals.
- Students and tutors meet once or twice a week for an hour to an hour and a half.
- Students must commit to 6 months of tutoring.
- All learning materials and curriculum provided by the Adult Literacy Center.

### **Volunteer Tutors**

Volunteer tutors work with adults who want to improve

their literacy skills in English.

- All potential tutors must attend Tutor Training prior to starting with a student.
- Tutors work on a one-to-one basis with their student.
- Tutors are asked to commit 6 months to tutoring.
- Hours are flexible, tutors are matched based on their availability.

### **How to Help the Adult Literacy Program**

- Volunteer your time as a Literacy Tutor.
- Refer students, tutors, and other volunteers to join the Adult Literacy Program.

Monetary donations can be

## Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Library is a non-profit, charitable organization that supports the library. They are involved in fundraising, advocacy, volunteerism, public awareness campaigns, and literacy programs.

The funds they raise help to support: the Book-Enders Book Club, the annual Summer Reading Program, ongoing story reading programs, teen programs, and adult programs.

You can support the Friends by: volunteering your time, donating new or gently used books, magazines, movie DVDs, or music CDs, serving on the Friends of the Library Board, by purchasing a book, CD, DVD, or magazine from the Book Cellar, or by joining the Friends through paid membership.

Pick up an application at the library or the Book Cellar.

### Friends Book Cellar

Visit the Friends Book Cellar! They sell new and used books, magazines, and movies. Proceeds from Bookstore sales benefit the Library's collections and programs for all ages, including the Book-Enders! Stop in whenever you visit the Library. Prices start at 25¢!

#### Hours

**Monday:** 1 p.m.—4 p.m.  
**Tuesday:** 10 a.m.—4 p.m.  
**Wednesday:** 10 a.m.—4 p.m.  
**Thursday:** 1 p.m.—4 p.m.  
**Saturday:** 10 a.m.—4 p.m.

### Upland Public Library has a new Library Card!

These cards share one design for all ages and come with a keychain attachment. Stop by the Circulation desk and have your library card upgraded for just \$2.00!

## How To Volunteer At Our Library

Go to [www.ci.upland.ca.us](http://www.ci.upland.ca.us)  
 Click on "Job Opportunities"  
 Click on "Volunteer Opportunities"  
 Click on "Library"  
 Create an account & fill out application

For details contact:  
 Rachel Leños, Volunteer Coordinator  
 Phone: (909) 931-4223 or  
 Email: [Rachel.Leanos@Uplandlibrary.org](mailto:Rachel.Leanos@Uplandlibrary.org)



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**Wednesdays:** 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.  
**Thursdays:** 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
**Fridays:** 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
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*The mission of the Upland Public Library is to provide information resources and services for the intellectual, educational and cultural enrichment of our community.*