

2019

WESTLAKE VILLAGE READS

ONE CITY, ONE LITERARY THEME

Brings Back

A DELICIOUS READ: THE SECOND COURSE

With Multiple Programs On February 9 & 10

The City of Westlake Village, the Westlake Village Library, and the Friends of the Westlake Village Library are co-sponsoring the 10th annual "Westlake Village Reads", a One-City-One-Book program. This year the City has brought back the most popular theme over its 10-year history: Food. "A Delicious Read: A Second Chapter" will be presented through many programs for residents of all ages over the 9th and 10th of February. The weekend will include a nutritional panel highlighting the current dietary and lifestyle trends, Tifa Chocolate tasting, food demonstrations, and children's programs. As the theme is "food," the City is partnering with Manna Food Bank to collect canned goods, and residents are encouraged to bring a donation while attending the programs.

The Library will display a variety of "food" themed books for both adults and children. Residents are encouraged to select titles that fit their interests throughout the month of February. The Friends' Book Nook has food, lifestyle, and cookbook sections for residents that wish to purchase a book to read along with the program.

"Westlake Village Reads" was created to encourage reading throughout the community for all age groups. All programs are free of charge. For a detailed schedule and information about the programs, please visit the City's website at www.wlv.org/wlvreads or call City Hall at 818-706-1613.

LIBRARY ONLINE PROGRAMS -

START YOUR NEW YEAR OFF WITH FREE PROGRAMS

Did you know that you can visit the Westlake Village Library without leaving home? There are many free online services through the Westlake Village Library including eBooks, Audiobooks, Music, Movies, TV, Magazines, and Comics. Lifelong learners can improve their skills or learn something new by utilizing Lynda.com or take a class through Universal Class or Gale Courses. For those who love languages or need to brush up on their languages, check out Mango Languages or Powerspeak Languages! For students, there are online tutors, resources, and practice tests. Visit the Westlake Village Library today for more information on all of these services. All you need to access these free library resources from your home, tablet, computer, or phone is your County of Los Angeles Public Library Card.



IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Westlake Village City Hall

31200 Oak Crest Dr., Westlake Village,
CA 91361
(818) 706-1613

Westlake Village Public Library

(818) 865-9230

Time Warner Cable/Spectrum

2323 Teller Rd., Newbury Park, CA 91320
(888) 892-2253

AT&T

(855) 868-6514

Southern California Edison Company

3859 Foothill Dr., Thousand Oaks, CA 91360
(800) 655-4555 - office for service
(800) 611-1911 - Emergency

Las Virgenes Municipal Water District

4232 Las Virgenes Rd., Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 251-2200 - office

Southern California Gas Company

(800) 427-2200 - office for service

GI Industries/Waste Management

(818) 782-2474

Calabasas Landfill

(818) 889-1430 or 889-0363

L.A. County Dept. of Building & Safety

26600 Agoura Road, #110, Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 880-4150 - office
(626) 458-4357 - Road Dept.

Las Virgenes Unified School District

4111 N. Las Virgenes Road, Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 880-4000 - office

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department-Malibu/Lost Hills Station

27050 Agoura Road, Agoura, CA 91301
(818) 878-1808 - office • Emergency - 911

Los Angeles County Fire Department

Station #144 (Foxfield / Lindero Canyon Rd.)
31981 Foxfield Dr., Westlake Village, CA 91361
(818) 889-1626 - Station • Emergency - 911

Los Angeles County Health and Human Services Programs

Dial - 211

Recycling Hotline

(800) 579-4979

WINTER IS UPON US,

HERE ARE THREE SIMPLE HOUSEHOLD REMINDERS

As the winter season brings cooler temperatures and increased potential for rain, it is a good time for residents to check on several items in and around their homes:

RAIN GUTTERS



Remove debris and leaves in your roof gutters and yard drains. If you live on a hill, clear all swales to ensure that water flows through them properly. Also, check to make sure your yard drains are cleared to prevent ponding. Some of these preventative measures may be the responsibility of your Homeowners Association. First check your property and then contact your Homeowners Association to be sure they are prepared as well.

SPRINKLER SETTINGS



With the temperatures dropping steadily and the amount of daylight dwindling, homeowners who rely on automatic sprinklers can save money and water by adjusting the sprinkler settings for the winter season. Additional guidelines can be found on the Las Virgenes Municipal Water District website, www.lvmwd.com. Remember to turn off your sprinklers if it is raining.

SMOKE AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS



The first of the year is a great time to change the batteries and test your household smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. Remember, the State's Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act requires the installation of operational carbon monoxide detectors in existing multi-family residential units containing a fossil-fuel burning appliance, fireplace or attached garage.

CITY PARTICIPATES IN LVUSD **iServe** PROGRAM

Each year, students at Las Virgenes Unified School District High Schools are required to complete a minimum number of community service hours. The City is pleased to participate in this effort and offer volunteer opportunities to students at City special events such as City Celebration,

Westlake Village Reads, Summer Entertainment Series, Holiday Sing-a-Long, and the City's 4th of July event.

Interested students may find more information on the City's website at www.wlv.org/iserve. There are multiple opportunities available for the upcoming February 9th and 10th Westlake Village Reads event.

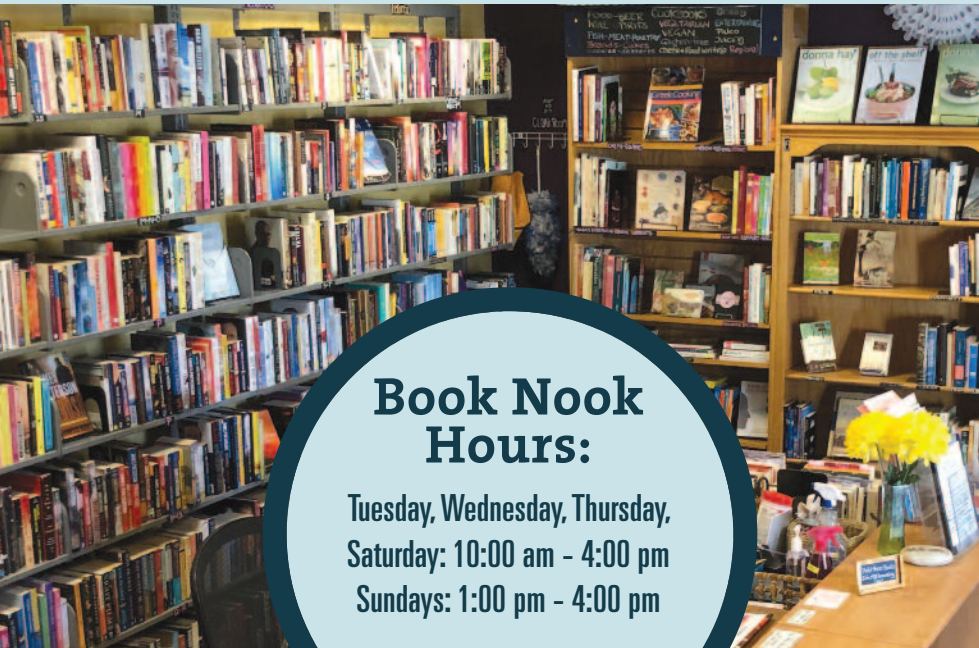
Please contact Taylor Rowlands, Community Services Specialist at Taylor@wlv.org or 818-706-1613 as soon as possible as spots fill quickly.



HAVE YOU CHECKED OUT THE BOOK NOOK?

The Westlake Village Library continues to be a popular spot for residents searching for just the right book, video, or DVD. Did you know that the Book Nook located next to the Library may have just what you are looking for? The Book Nook is a unique used book store that is operated solely by volunteers from the Friends of the Westlake Village Library. Funds raised by the Book Nook help to support library programs, such as the popular summer reading program for kids, Sunday programs and many of the Library's special events.

Hardbacks, paperbacks, children's books, and classic coffee table books are just some of the many choices available for sale at the Book Nook. Books range in price from \$1 to \$5. The Book Nook also accepts book donations. Donated books are often put into circulation at the Library, put up for resale at the Book Nook, or redirected to other nonprofit groups. For more information on the Friends of the Westlake Village Library or the Book Nook, please call 818-865-9230.



Book Nook Hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday,
Saturday: 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Sundays: 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

NOMINATION PERIOD STILL OPEN FOR 2018 CITIZEN AND YOUTH OF THE YEAR

The City is now seeking nominees for these two categories. Nomination forms can be found on the City website www.wlv.org by clicking on the Citizen/Youth of the Year icon on the left hand side of the homepage. The nomination period ends on February 28, 2019. The Youth and Citizen of the Year will be honored by the City Council with the youth winner receiving a \$500 scholarship and the citizen receiving a \$500 donation to the charity of his or her choice. Please contact City Hall at 818-706-1613 or visit the City's website to nominate someone online.



LIBRARY PROGRAMS

Fridays, Jan 4-18, 10:00 am

Baby-Toddler Storytime, for kids 0-3 years

Tuesdays, Jan 8-29, 11:30 am

Smarty Pants Storytime,
for kids 2-5 years old

Thursdays, Jan 10-31, 11:00 am

Play & Learn Together: Spend quality time with your child in the library! Each week, we'll have a different activity that helps children develop skills for moving, reading, building, and socializing. For kids 0-5 years.

Saturday, Jan 12, 1:00 pm

Alzheimer's & Memory Loss: An overview of Alzheimer's disease and its effects. Learn about what causes memory loss, the difference between normal aging and signs of dementia, and what to do when you visit the doctor. Presented by Alzheimer's Los Angeles. This program is intended for adults.

Wednesday, Jan 16, 6:30 pm

Novels at Night - This month we will be reading *What Alice Forgot*, by Liane Moriarty. New readers always welcome!

Saturday Jan 19, 2:00 pm

Party Puppet Show: Join us for a fun variety show with puppets, comedy, and music. Guaranteed to entertain, the show will inspire your child's imagination and creativity. For ages 5 - 12.

Tuesday, Jan 29, 4:00 pm

Lego Mindstorm Madness for Teens - Can you handle the madness? Learn about coding as you struggle to secure resources with your robot. But watch out, there's competition... Ages 12-18.

Wednesday, Jan 30, 3:30 pm

Hydraulics Engineering with LACounty Library's MAKMO - for ages 5 - 12. Learn how hydraulic-powered machines work by using water to produce motion! Explore concepts like force, motion, distance, leverage, and gravity by building cool machines that you see in everyday life.

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LIBRARY**

SENIOR GENIUS CLUB

The Senior Genius Club continues to be offered on the first, second, and third Tuesdays of the month at Agoura High School's Media Center from 3:30 to 5:30 pm. Agoura High School is located at 28545 W. Driver Ave, Agoura Hills, CA 91301. Follow the parking lot signs to find the location. The parking area and room are wheelchair and walker-accessible, however, there is a short walk to get to the center.

Help will be offered in thirty-minute increments for one topic at a time. The "tech experts" are high school students who are earning volunteer hours while serving their community. The program is jointly sponsored by the Cities of Westlake Village and Agoura Hills. The service is free and open to all ages that need technological help. Please contact Brianne Anderson, Community Services Manager at 818-706-1613 for more information on this intergenerational program.



CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR **NED E DAVIS**
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 COUNCILMEMBER **SUSAN MCSWEENEY**
 COUNCILMEMBER **BRAD HALPERN**
 COUNCILMEMBER **RAY PEARL**

UPCOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS:

January 9 and 23, 2019
 February 13 and 27, 2019

City Council meetings can be seen live on WTV Channel 10 and via web streaming on www.wlv.org



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CITY EVENTS CALENDAR

Date	Event	Time
Jan 1	New Year's Day - Library Closed	
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Jan 3	Cultural Recreation Advisory Board	7:00 pm
Jan 7	Senior Recreation Program: Winter Session begins	8:00 am
Jan 7	White Oak After-School Enrichment Program starts	
Jan 8, 15	Senior Genius Club	
	Agoura High School Media Center	3:30-5:30 pm
Jan 9	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Jan 21	Martin Luther King Jr. Day - City Hall & Library Closed	
Jan 23	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Jan 25	Community Service Fund Grant Application closing date	5:00 pm
Feb 5, 12, 19	Senior Genius Club	3:30-5:30 pm
Feb 6	Book Club in the J.B. Henderson Room	Noon
Feb 9/10	"WLV Reads": A Delicious Read - A Second Chapter	
Feb 13	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Feb 18	Presidents' Day - City Hall & Library Closed	
Feb 20	Senior Concerns Lecture in City Council Chambers	1:30 pm
Feb 23	PAM's Run	
Feb 27	Volunteer Recognition Night in the Community Room	5:45 pm
Feb 27	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm

Upcoming Senior Genius Club Dates:



January 8, 15 and
 February 5, 12, 19