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All Sonoma County Libraries will be closed on Monday, January 19 for MLK, Jr. Day.

ADULT PROGRAMS:

Computer Basics: Email / Talleres de Computación Básica: Correo Electrónico (Spanish/Español) Sat. Jan. 17, 3-4:30 p.m. Create a Gmail account and learn how to perform basic email functions like send, receive, and reply to an email. Also learn how to organize, delete, and search for emails. Computers will be provided.

Crea una cuenta de Gmail y aprende a realizar funciones básicas de correo como enviar, recibir y responder a un correo. Además, aprende a organizar, eliminar y buscar correos. Se proporcionan computadoras.

Rohnert Park Book Club Tue. Jan. 20, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. Join us on the 3rd Tuesday of the month for engaging and lively conversation!

Author Talk: Nature, Art, and Service as Medicine with Journalist Julia Hotz (virtual) Tue. Jan. 20, 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. As the first book on social prescribing, *The Connection Cure* empowers you to find, experience, and implement this revolutionary medicine in your own community. The success stories Julia finds bring a long-known theory to life: if we can change our environment, we can change our health. Please register online for a Zoom link.

Chair Yoga with Lavender Lotus Tue. Jan. 13, 1-2 p.m. Maintain and regain mobility in this gentle form of yoga that is practiced while sitting on a chair. Gentle strengthening and stretching will be accompanied by breathwork and mindful movement.

Climate California: “Second Language” Screening and Panel Discussion Wed. Jan. 21, 6-7:30 p.m. Climate change demands new solutions – and new stories. Join us for a special screening and discussion on what we need those stories to be.

CHILDREN PROGRAMS

Spanish Music & Movement (ages 0-5) Sat. Jan. 17, 10-10:30 a.m. Spanish Music & Movement is a tour of culture, language, and fun! Even if you are not fluent Spanish speakers, see the language come alive through the animated and energetic activities designed for children under 6 years and family.

Family Storytime (ages 0-5) Thu. Jan. 22, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Join us for a fun family storytime. Books, music, and movement!

Read to a Dog (grades K-6) Thursdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Practice reading with a 4PAWS certified therapy dog to improve reading skills and confidence. Beginning readers welcome.

Babytime! (ages 0-12 mos) Fri. Jan. 23, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Join us for Baby Time! We'll read, sing, bounce, tickle, and play music. This program is intended for babies and their caregivers.

Imitate an Illustrator (grades K-6) Fri. Jan. 23, 4-5 p.m. Learn about award-winning children's books and the techniques to illustrate them. Choose an illustrator and create your own masterpiece in an award-winning style.

Dial a Story! (all ages) Call any time of the day or night at (707) 755-2050 to listen to a recording of a children's librarian reading a storybook. A new story is released every Wednesday. Stories are available in English and Spanish and geared towards preschool age children.

All events are **free** and open to the public. For more information, call the library at 584-9121 or visit www.sonomalibrary.org.

Hours: Sun. 1-5 p.m. / Mon. & Thu.-Sat. 10-6 p.m. / Tue. & Wed. 10-8 p.m.

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