

# August Library News

## REGISTRATION

In order to register, patrons must be in the City's RACER registration database. For more information, please visit the City of Cerritos website at [cerritos.us](http://cerritos.us).

### CLASSES/RACER ONLINE REGISTRATION TIPS

To check the availability or to register for classes, please visit the Cerritos website at [cerritos.us](http://cerritos.us) and look for the Classes/RACER link. You will not receive confirmation by mail for classes registered online.

Please print a receipt at the conclusion of your transaction and bring it with you to the first day of the event or class. For additional information, please call the Library Reservation Desk at (562) 916-1388. Computers at the Cerritos Library may be used to access RACER.

### ONLINE REGISTRATION

#### [cerritos.us](http://cerritos.us)

Cerritos Resident online registration for all programs listed begins **Tues., Aug. 1 at 11 a.m.**

Non-Resident online registration for all programs listed begins **Tues., Aug. 8 at 11 a.m.**

### PHONE REGISTRATION

#### Call (562) 916-1388

Cerritos Resident phone registration for all programs listed begins **Wed., Aug. 2 at 11 a.m.**

Non-Resident phone registration for all programs listed begins **Tues., Aug. 8 at 11 a.m.**

### WALK-IN REGISTRATION

Cerritos Resident walk-in registration for all programs listed begins **Tues., Aug. 1 at 11 a.m.**

Non-Resident walk-in registration for all programs listed begins **Tues., Aug. 8 at 11 a.m.**

## The following Library programs require advance registration:

For more information call (562) 916-1388, unless otherwise noted.  
Seating is limited for all programs.

### GIRL SCOUTS BOOKMAKING WORKSHOP

Create your own book with the Cerritos Girl Scout Troop. All materials will be provided. Space is limited to 15 participants.

**11127** Thurs., Aug. 10 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Grades 2-4 Art Studio

### BABIES 'N' BOOKS

Children and caregivers participate in music, nursery rhymes, simple stories and books. The class is limited to 20 participants. For more information, call (562) 916-1343. No class on November 20.

**11128** Mon.,  
Sept. 11-Dec. 4 11 a.m.  
Ages 6-25 mos. Little Theater

### MATH HOMEWORK HELP

An after-school mathematics homework help program will be offered for Cerritos residents. Students should bring their math homework and a book to read. A parent or designated individual is required to sign students in and out of each class meeting. Space is limited to 15 participants per class. No class on November 20.

**11129** Mon.,  
Sept. 11-Dec. 4 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Grades 3-5 Art Studio

### MUSIC AND MOVEMENT MONDAYS

Children and parents will participate in 30-45 minutes of songs and movement activities that enhance both the growth and fine motor skills of the child. The class is limited to 20 participants. No class on November 20.

**11134** Mon.,  
Sept. 11-Dec. 4 5:15 p.m.  
Ages 4-6 Little Theater

### HOMEWORK HELP

An after-school homework help program will be offered for Cerritos residents. Students should bring their homework and a book to read. A parent or designated individual is required to sign students in and out of each class meeting. Space is limited to 10 participants per class. No class on November 21 & November 22.

**11135** Tues.,  
Sept. 12-Dec. 5 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Grades 1-6 Art Studio

**11136** Wed.,  
Sept. 13-Dec. 6 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Grades 1-6 Art Studio

### CHILD & TEEN READ ALOUD

Children who are able to read are invited to participate in special read aloud sessions. These children will be teamed up with energetic teens during this weekly program. To be eligible for this program, all participants must attend the first day of class for testing. Space is limited to 15 participants. No class on November 23.

**11137** Thurs.,  
Sept. 14-Dec. 7 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
Ages 6-8 Little Theater

## The following Library programs do not require advance registration:

### ARTS & CRAFTS FOR KIDS

A free hands-on Back to School craft will be held in the Art Studio. This glue-and-go craft will take approximately 10 to 15 minutes to complete.

Fri., Aug. 11 11 a.m.-noon & 5-6 p.m.  
Ages 2-12 Art Studio

### BOOK CLUB FOR ADULTS

The Book Club for Adults will meet for a book discussion. Participants will discuss the book "American Dirt" by Jeanine Cummins. For more information, call (562) 916-1342.

Wed., Aug. 16 11 a.m.-noon Board Room

### NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: "FANTASIA" (1940)

Theo Siegel will discuss the making of "Fantasia," followed by a screening of the film. This film is rated G and has a running time of 124 minutes.

Fri., Aug. 18 6 p.m.  
Ages 18 & Over Skyline Room

### RANCHO LOS CERRITOS-BUTTERFLIES OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Do you enjoy observing butterflies as they flutter around your garden? Come and join us as we explore their evolutionary history and significance, while also taking a closer look at some of the most commonly seen species in our local area. This program is supported in whole or in part by funding provided by the State of California, administered by the California State Library.

Wed., Aug. 23 6 p.m.  
All Ages Skyline Room

### BOOK SALE SET FOR AUGUST 19 & 20

The Friends of the Cerritos Library will hold a book sale on Saturday, August 19 and Sunday, August 20. The sale will be held inside the library, near the Craftsman Area. A great selection of fiction and nonfiction books in English and foreign languages, plus multimedia items, will be available at bargain prices. The sale will be held from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 19. On Sunday, August 20, the Friends will hold a fill-a-bag sale from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. (\$4 per bag for Friend members and \$5 per bag for non-members.) Come early for the best selection.

### EXHIBITION

The Delters Gem and Mineral Society will host an exhibition in the main lobby through Wednesday, August 30. The exhibition will include a variety of minerals and gems in their raw form, fossils and petrified wood found throughout the United States and worldwide. Club members will exhibit pieces from their personal collections and tools used in their craft. Delters Gem and Mineral Society has existed for nearly 73 years and promotes the earth sciences and the preservation of paleontological specimens and lapidary arts.

## Kia dealership to undergo remodel

The City Council has approved a request to remodel and expand an existing Kia of Cerritos automobile dealership building and complete other site improvements at 18201 Studebaker Road in Cerritos.

The property is owned by the City of Cerritos, which leases it to Kia for automobile dealership purposes. The improvements will be fully paid by Kia.

The project calls for ±7,789 square feet to be added to the showroom and service areas of the existing buildings. Interior and exterior improvements will feature Kia of Cerritos' corporate design guidelines, adopting a more modern look to match the updated building designs found throughout the Cerritos Auto Square.

Proposed site improvements include enhancements to on-site landscaping, incorporating water-saving trees, succulents, shrubs and groundcover. The project also includes restoring and upgrading the existing on-site decorative fountain, and installing a new art piece on the property. ■