

PAGUAY CHATTER



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DECEMBER MEETING

Please plan on joining us for our annual holiday potluck lunch and meeting. We will be meeting at the home of Rachele at **11:00 AM**. Bring a dish to share and a gift (if desired) valued at \$10.00 for the exchange. **NOTE THE TIME CHANGE!**



Remember to bring your volunteer time sheets and any items for the projects we support. This also will be an opportunity to contribute to the Adopt a Family program if you have not already done so. Gift cards or cash to purchase cards is much appreciated.

FROM THE FRIENDS

There are some great books for sale in the Friends Book Store. Check the books on holiday crafts, really nice children's books, and more.

Visit the Fireside Room and view the Celebrate the Winter Holidays exhibit co-sponsored by the Poway Woman's Club, the Friends of the Poway Library and the Poway Community Library.

LIBRARY PROGRAMS

- *December 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31 @ 9:30 AM~ Mindful Movement Yoga
- *December 3, 10 & 17 @ 6:00 PM~Zumba with Lisa
- *December 4, 11 & 17 @ 10:00 AM~Zumba Inclusive
- *December 5, 12 & 17 @ 10:00 AM~Hoop Fitness

- *December 7, 14, 21 & 28 @ 9:45 AM~Zumba Fitness
- *December 1 @ 2:00 PM~Poway Library Genealogy Group
- *December 8 & 22 @ 10:30 AM~Poway Library *Writing Group
- *December 8 @ 2:00 PM~Acoustic Showcase with Watson, Beldock, and Beach
- *December 13 @ 5:00 PM~Registered nurses from Palomar Health will be on-site providing free flu shots.
- *December 15 @ 10:30 AM~Use the Zentangle® Method to decorate a "Wishes and Dreams" Jar, perfect for gift giving this holiday season!
- *December 25~Library closed. Merry Christmas
- *December 28~Fine Free Friday

REACH OUT AND READ

The Poway Community Library is collecting children's books now through December 24 to be distributed to Reach Out and Read San Diego.

The new children's books will be donated to help young families read together.



Reach Out and Read is the only national early literacy nonprofit that works with families through pediatric care. This organization has the opportunity to reach millions of young children in the early years when it counts.

TEDDY BEAR HOLIDAY TEA

Our annual Teddy Bear Holiday Tea is just days away. If you haven't purchased a ticket please make a reservation as soon as possible.

We'll have tea sandwiches, cookies, door prizes and entertainment by the choir from Black Mountain Middle School.

Thanks to Barbara, Dorothy, Jan, Linda and Rachelle for agreeing to set tables for our event.

UPSTAIRS AT POWPAC

Don't miss the Holiday Caberet fund raiser at PowPac December 13 through 16, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8:00 PM and Sunday at 2:00 PM. Tickets are \$20.00 for seniors.

There is sure to be something for every member of the family.

Come support the community theatre.

AT PCPA

December performances at Poway Center for the Performing Arts.

December 5~Poway Dance Project Winter Wonderland.

December 8 & 9~ RB Chorale-The Holiday Express
December 11, Poway High School and Twin Peaks Middle School Winter Concert

December 15 & 16~Southern California Ballet performs The Nutcracker

December 17~PHS Winter Jazz Concer

December 19~PHS Orchestra Winter Concert

The North County Society of Fine Arts will have an exhibit November 20 through January 2.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I hope you all enjoyed a wonderful Thanksgiving and special weekend! Now we're off and running for the Holiday Season. Please, please, be safe AND take time to enjoy the season with your family and friends.

Once again Rachelle has graciously offered her home for our December meeting and holiday pot-luck luncheon. Note the time change to 11:00 AM.

We will have a gift exchange. If you would like to participate bring a wrapped \$10 value gift. Also, if you have a friend you'd like to bring to meet us, feel free to do so. We'll try to keep the meeting short and have time for enjoying each others' company.

We were not able to adopt-a-family this year, but if you wish to donate to the community project, please let me know ASAP and we can add it to the amount the club budgeted for this project.



Looking forward to seeing you all at our annual Teddy Bear Holiday Tea this Sunday, December 2nd, 2:00 - 4:00 PM in Templars Hall, Old Poway Park. Remember ticket prices have not changed, \$10 for 10 and under, \$20 for 11 and up. Yes, it's a very important fund raiser for us, but a very nice one and one that children can enjoy too. Entertainment will be provided by the Black Mountain Middle School Choir. I'm sure family and friends will enjoy it also.

Take time to enjoy the sights and sounds of this special season!

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We are better throughout the year for having, in spirit,
become a child again at Christmastime.

Laura Ingalls Wilder



My idea of Christmas, whether old-fashioned or modern, is very simple: loving others.

Bob Hope

FROM THE DESK OF YOUR DEAN

Hello, everybody!

Happy December 2017! Can you believe that this year will soon be past history? I hope you are all well and getting ready for the blessed season of Christmas with all its traditions and celebrations with family and friends!

Our December 11 meeting will be held at my home, starting at 11:00AM. Most of you have been there previously, but call if you need directions. After the short meeting we will be sharing a potluck lunch, so please bring something yummy! If you would like to bring along a guest, please do so. Please let me know whether you will be coming, so that we can have places for all. We also will have a simple gift exchange (\$10 value) and enjoy fellowship together. That evening many of us plan to attend the Choral Concert at Poway High School at 7:00PM, which always is very beautiful and uplifting.

We had our last trail walk on November 28 and probably will not do one in December, but I will let



you know if we do schedule one. Thanks to all of you who have contributed to this fun project, which is helpful to our city and its residents!

Since December 31 is the end of our club reporting year, it would be a great time for you to remember to bring any more items to our meeting that you wish to contribute for our ongoing projects, such as shoes for the BLAST Program, items for Fisher House, school supplies for Boys and Girls Club, baby items for Gently Hugged, donations for Project Wildlife, coupons for military families, cancelled postage stamps, Box Tops for Education, and, most importantly, your hour sheets with specific items and hours.

Hope to see all of you also at our Teddy Bear Holiday Tea on Sunday, December 2 for an enjoyable afternoon!

Please remember in this busy season to take care of yourselves too!

Merry Christmas to you and your families!

Rachelle

CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK

Once again we be serving spiced mocha and gingerbread squares. We will also be selling Santa hats.



If you can help, please let Joye know. The event is December 8, 4:30 to 8:30 PM. Our booth will be in the parking lot in front of Hamburger Factory.

There will be music in the gazebo, dancers in Templars Hall, craft market, and food. This is a fun event for the entire family.

Christmas waves a magic wand over this world, and behold, everything is softer and more beautiful.”

Norman Vincent Peale

INTERNATIONAL LUNCH BUNCH

Tuesday, December 4 at 12:15 PM we will be meeting at Lumpia House across the street from the library.

Come join us for lunch and experience some Filipino standards.



ANOTHER REMINDER

Remember to let our club report writing team all of your volunteer hours.

Reports must be written and delivered by the Palomar District Board of Directors meeting in January.

Please help by letting us know what you have been doing. THANKS11

CHRISTMAS LESSON

Christmas is a special time
To give, to serve, to love.
It isn't just about yourself,
But others that you think of.

The presents, the trees, the glowing lights
Are fun but have no part
In what the real meaning of Christmas is...
That is in your heart.

Even if other people don't,
You should try to do

The things that you would want
Them to do to you!

The holidays are a busy time,
But they are sometimes good
Because they keep you thinking
About others like you should.

So this year, try to not think about yourself,
But think of the things you can do
To help others have a wonderful Christmas,
And you will find that you will be happy too.

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Christmas is a day of meaning and traditions,
a special day spent in the warm circle of family and friends.

Margaret Thatcher

Christmas is a necessity. There has to be at least one day
of the year to remind us
that we're here for something else besides ourselves.

Eric Sevareid



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