

Library Link

May 2023

FRIENDS OF THE NIPOMO LIBRARY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

Contact us at info@friendsofnipomolibrary.org

Check out our silent auction window



Pictured are just some of the fabulous items you'll find in our May silent auction window, located in the library lobby. They include a Coach handbag, a double strand of costume pearls with ring dishes, a Delft (Holland) ceramic bud vase, and a floral serving tray from England. Proceeds go to supporting the Nipomo Library—it's a win-win! Auction ends May 31, so place your bids today. (Donations for future silent auction windows are welcomed; please leave at Nipomo Library front desk.)

Congratulations to our basket winner!



Gail DeBellis was the lucky winner of the gift basket in the Friends' Membership Month drawing in March. The basket, valued at \$175, held a variety of items from the Central Coast.

"I've never won anything before but maybe 3 dollars," the proud recipient said with a big smile. "And this was kind of a down day for me so please tell everyone thank you so much."

NEXT BOOK SALE: Saturday, July 15, 10am-2pm

Manager's Message

From Heidi LoCascio
Library Branch Manager

Happy May! Here's what is going on at the library:

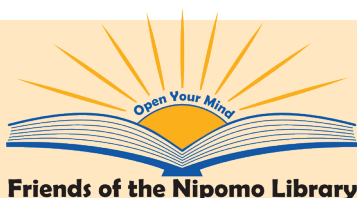
We have a new **Tale Trail story** up, so bring the kids and grandkids even when the library is closed. Walk the lawn and read the story *The Gruffalo*.

For adults, come hear about the exciting life of **fighter pilot Ed Cobleigh** at our fourth Author Talk on Saturday, May 20. Details about his program can be found on the next page.

Pardon our dust and noise! Throughout the month of May, the library will be undergoing a **roof replacement project**. The good news is the library will remain open for the duration of the project. The bad news is it will be noisy. The good news is the project will not last forever. We appreciate your patience as we work through this disruption.

We are gearing up for the **Summer Reading Program**, which starts June 1 and lasts until July 31. In conjunction with the Summer Reading Program reading challenges, the Nipomo Library

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The Friends of the Nipomo Library Board's next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 10, at 2pm. The meeting will be held in the Community Room at the library, 918 W. Tefft St., Nipomo. The public is always welcome.

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What's Happening at your library

BOOK TALK: ED COBLEIGH

Aviation adventure author; for adults
Saturday, May 20, 11am

STORY TIME for ages 0-5
Wednesdays, 10:30am

READING TO ROVER
Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30pm

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP
for adults
**Fourth Friday of the month,
10-11am**

CHESS CLUB for all ages/levels
**Third Friday of the month,
2-4:30pm**

LEGO CLUB for ages 5-12
**First Saturday of the month,
2-3pm**

Coastal Dunes Branch of the
California Writers Club (CWC)
Saturday, May 6, 10am-12:30pm
Rolynn Anderson: "Author Rehab"
www.coastaldunescwc.com

Library Details

The Nipomo Library is located at:
918 W. Tefft St., Nipomo 93444
Branch Manager: Heidi LoCascio
Information: 805-929-3994

www.slolibrary.org

Hours:

Tuesday 10am-6pm
Wednesday 10am-6pm
Thursday 9am-5pm
Friday 10am-5pm
Saturday 10am-5pm



Soar with the eagles at next Book Talk

Looking for adventure? Look no further than the Nipomo Library, where you'll find yourself seated in the cockpit of a USAF fighter/bomber at the next Book Talk, set for Saturday, May 20, 11am-noon.

Amazon.com-bestselling author Ed Cobleigh will join us to share his exciting experiences as an Air Force fighter pilot who served two tours of duty during the Vietnam air war, logging 375 combat sorties over North Vietnam, Laos, and Cambodia, earning two Distinguished Flying Crosses and the Air Medal. His aviation adventure books are available in 12 countries and four languages.

Having flown the F-104

Starfighter, F-4 Phantom II, A-4 Skyhawk, Anglo-French Jaguar, and F-16 Viper aircraft, Cobleigh instructed and flew with the USAF Fighter Weapons School, the US Navy Fighter Weapons School (TOPGUN), the Royal Air Force Qualified Weapons Instructor Course, the French Air Force, and the Imperial Iranian Air Force.

After his flying career, he served as an Air Intelligence Officer working with the CIA, FBI, and MI6 on a variety of covert projects. He currently lives with his wife in Paso Robles. For more about the author and to order copies of his books, visit www.edcobleigh.com.



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will be offering activities for children and adults. Keep an eye on the library event calendar (<https://slolibrary.evanced.info/signup/list?df=list>) for all the summer programs and future library events.

On June 14 at noon, Nipomo Library will host a **summer kickoff barbeque** including outdoor games, glitter tattoos, giant bubbles, crafts and more. You won't want to miss this fun event!

See you at the library!