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### May 2020 Event Calendar

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### Spring VIRTUAL Activity Challenge

*April 20–May 31, 2020*

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**MONDAYS**

**Rhymes & Reading Virtual Storytime**
May 4, 11, & 18 • 10:30–11:00 a.m. • Ages 4–5
Stories and activities to help preschoolers prepare for kindergarten.

**TUESDAYS**

**P.J. Virtual Storytime**
May 5, 12, 19, & 26 • 6:00–6:30 p.m. • Ages 5–12
Wear your P.J.s and bring your favorite stuffed animal to this evening storytime.

**WEDNESDAYS**

**Virtual Baby Lapsit**
May 6, 13, 20, & 27
10:30–11:30 a.m. • Pre-walkers
 Babies from birth to walking and their parents/caregivers enjoy great books, lively songs, and rhymes.

**THURSDAYS**

**Virtual Toddler Tales**
May 7, 14, 21, & 28 • 10:30–11:30 a.m. • Walkers–3 years
 Toddlers and their parents/caregivers enjoy interactive bilingual stories and action songs.

**FRIDAYS**

**READ Book Club**
Friday, May 8
3:30–4:30 p.m. • Ages 9–12
The Read, Eat, and Discuss Book Club will explore Weird Little Robots by Carolyn Crimi.

**VIRTUAL INCLUSIVE ART CLUB**
May 1 & 15 • 10:30–11:30 a.m. • All Ages
Children of all ages and abilities enjoy stories and create art from favorite picture books.

**SATURDAYS**

**Virtual Storytime for SDCDM**
May 9 & 23 • 10:30–10:50 a.m. • Ages 5–12
The Escondido Library Youth Staff is hosting an online storytime for the San Diego Children’s Discovery Museum’s Facebook page! Join us online!

**ALL AGES**

**2nd Saturday Virtual Concert Series Presents Vieness Piano Duo**
Saturday, May 8 • 3:00–4:30 p.m.
Enthralling audiences with an electric and captivating performances of a wide repertoire. Their predilection for conversation is coupled with a commanding stage presence.

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**YOUTH**

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**TEEN**

**GRUB Book Club**
Tuesday, May 29 • 4:00–5:30 p.m. • Ages 13–18
#MurderTrending by Gretchen McNeil. Read the selected book and join us online to chat about the book. Please email cathy.janovitz@escondidolibrary.org for instructions on how to join the online discussion.

**ADULTS**

**Escondido Virtual Writers Group**
Tuesdays, May 5 & 19
1:00–4:00 p.m.
Writers of all genres are invited to read their work and receive group critiques in a friendly and comfortable environment.

**Romance Author Chats!**
Saturdays
6:00–6:45 p.m.
Tune in on Facebook Live and listen to Librarian Jessica Buck and Tea & Strumpets podcast co-host Zoe Wernick chat with romance authors:
Saturday, May 2
Erica Ridley & Zoe Archer/Eva Leigh
Saturday, May 9
Allison Ashley & Yaffa S. Santos
Saturday, May 16
Zoe Forward & Mariah Ankenman
Saturday, May 23
Avery Flynn & Stacey Agdern
Saturday, May 30
Rosemary Willhide & Tamisen Parker

**2nd Tuesday Virtual Book Club**
Tuesday, May 12
5:30–6:45 p.m.
Asymmetry by Lisa Halliday. Reserve a copy from the Library’s catalog!

**Rincol Literario Virtual Book Club**
Saturday, May 16
10:30–11:45 a.m.
Women Who Run with the Wolves / Mujeres Que Corren Con Lobos by Estes Clarissa Pinkola. Reserve a copy from the Library’s catalog!

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**ARTSY ADULTS**

**Spin Art YouTube Tutorial**
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Add some color and spontaneity to your life with this paint craft everyone is sure to love! Squirt paint colors of your choice onto items being spun by a modified box fan! Take home the finished products to display or share!