



April 2022 Report

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We acknowledge that we are on the traditional territory and homelands of the Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation. For more information, visit: <https://yochadehe.org>.

I've highlighted a few noteworthy items occurring this month at Yolo County Library. This report is intended for local Friends of the Library groups, Friends of the Archives, Library Foundation and Library Advisory Board members. We are grateful for your time, talent and financial support!

Library Service Updates

Please visit our website for the latest information about masking requirements and hours of service: <https://yolocountylibrary.org/new-open-hours>

Yolo County Archives – Schedule an Appointment Today

The Yolo County Archives is to the public by appointment, on Tuesdays from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and Thursdays from 12:00 – 4:00 p.m.

To make an appointment contact us at archives@yolocounty.org or (530) 666-8010.

Library Programs and Storytimes

Check out the [April calendar](#) for program information.

Services Changes for the Yolo Branch Library

- Beginning April 5, we will offer library service at Cache Creek High School.
- The Library will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
- We will offer WiFi, a small collection of items, and may offer some programming and homework help.

REYNA GRANDE
 NATIONALLY BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE DISTANCE BETWEEN US*
A Ballad of Love and Glory
 “Richly embroidered with historical accuracy...a literary triumph.”
 —Armando Lucas Correa, bestselling author of *The German Girl*

Virtual Book Talk live on ZOOM
Tuesday, April 5, 7:00 p.m.
Zoom Meeting ID: 821 9926 7719

This sweeping historical saga follows a Mexican army nurse and an Irish soldier who must fight for their survival and their love, amidst the atrocity of the Mexican-American War.

In-conversation with Rigoberto Gonzalez

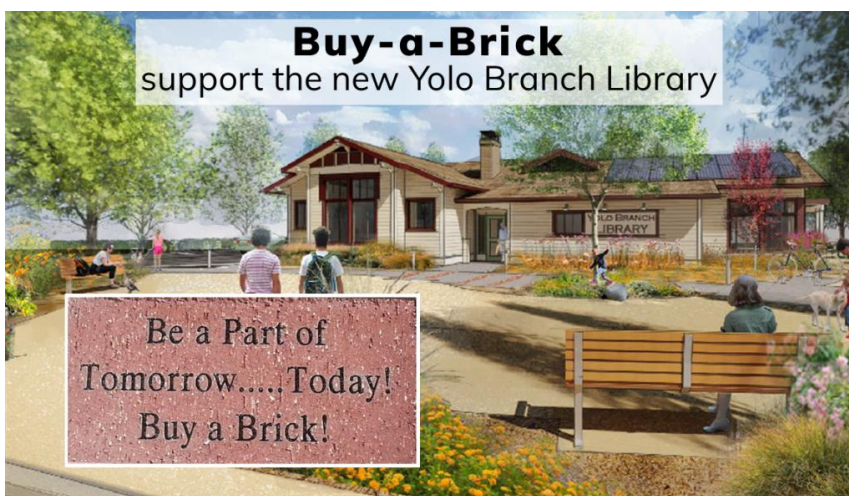
Join author Reyna Grande for an in-conversation with Rigoberto Gonzalez about Reyna’s new book, *A Ballad of Love and Glory*.

Use this link to join the program: <https://yolocounty.zoom.us/j/82199267719>

A Ballad of Love and Glory is available for purchase from the [Avid Reader Bookstore](https://avidreaderbooks.com). Order online at avidreaderbooks.com or call 530-758-4040 or email avidreaderdavis@gmail.com.

Support the new Yolo Branch Library – Buy a Brick!

The Friends of the Yolo Branch Library are running a brick campaign to benefit our new library! You have the opportunity to purchase inscribed bricks and leave your own personal legacy at the library to recognize you, your family, someone special, or as a lasting tribute to the memory of a loved one. The bricks will be installed as a permanent part of the of the walkway leading to the front of the new library.



The cost for each brick is only \$50.00. You may purchase as many bricks as you would like; each brick is limited to 3 lines with 15 characters, including spaces, per line.

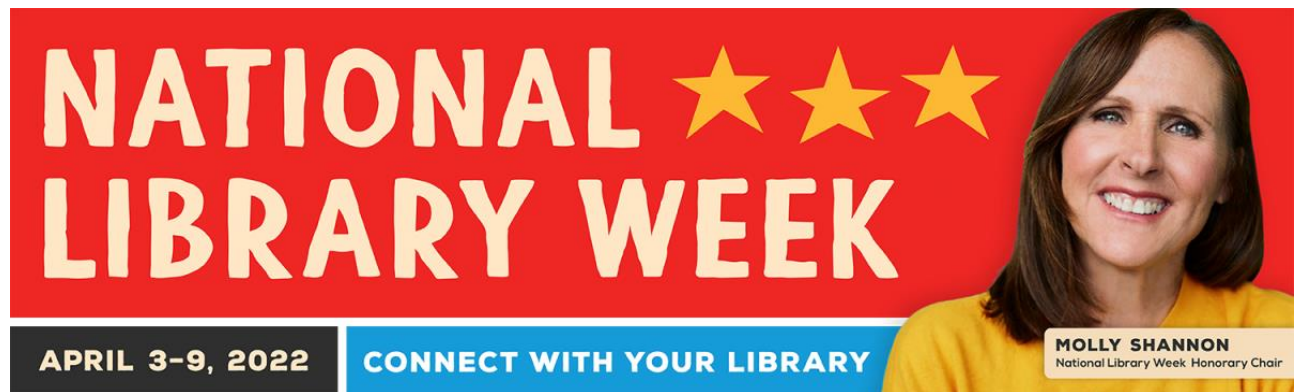
Complete [this form](#) and send it to:

Friends of the Yolo Branch Library
PO Box 344
Yolo, CA 95697

Or email the form to: yolobranhlibraryfriends@gmail.com

Checks should be made payable to the **Friends of the Yolo Branch Library**.

Yolo County Board of Supervisors Proclaims
April 3-9, 2022 as National Library Week



WHEREAS, Yolo County Library joins thousands of public libraries across the nation to serve as accessible and inclusive places that foster a sense of connection and build community;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library’s mission is to “connect people and ideas,” and it strives to do this by offering programs and collections that are diverse and that ensure equity of access for all;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library strives to be a trusted and treasured institution for all residents regardless of race, ethnicity, creed, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity, or socio-economic status;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library connects people to technology, providing access to broadband internet, computers, and WiFi hotspots for educational, informational and employment opportunities;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library offers programs, classes and resources so everyone can connect with new ideas and technology, including robotics workshops and 3D printing – in addition to books;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library encourages lifelong learning by offering Career Online High School, JobNow/VetNow and LinkedIn Learning for job seekers, and Books by Mail for the homebound;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library partners with school districts to offer students automatic library cards with 24/7 access to ad-free, reliable research content, e-books and downloadable media via Sora;

WHEREAS, in times of crisis, Yolo County Library, library workers and volunteers play a valuable role in supporting communities both in person and virtually through community discussion forums, outreach events, and partnerships with local government and nonprofit organizations;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library is expanding its resources to meet the evolving needs of its patrons;

WHEREAS, Yolo County Library unites with libraries and library workers, supporters and advocates across the nation to celebrate National Library Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Yolo County Board of Supervisors proclaims April 3-9, 2022 as National Library Week.



Celebrate Día de los Niños/Día de los Libros With Yolo County Library

The Yolo County Library invites children and families to join the celebration of Día de los Niños/Día de los Libros events during April. Children attending will receive a free book and enjoy educational activities, watch a special performance at select locations, or listen to a story time program.

Many nations throughout the world celebrate Día de los Niños in the spring to honor and celebrate children – who represent the hopes and dreams of every community. Día de los Niños emphasizes

the importance of literacy for children from all backgrounds while encouraging libraries and community organizations to inspire and empower new generations of achievers. The event also connects children and their families to diverse books, languages, and cultures.

All are welcome to participate in these free, fun, and educational celebrations offered throughout Yolo County on the following days:

- **April 13 at 2:30 p.m.** Yolo Branch Library at Cache Creek High School, 14320 2nd Street, Yolo
- **April 23 at 11 a.m.** Winters Community Library, 708 Railroad Avenue, Winters
- **April 23 at 12 p.m.** Knights Landing Branch Library at Sci-Tech, 9544 Mill Street, Knights Landing
- **April 30 at 12 p.m.** Esparto Regional Library, 17065 Yolo Avenue, Esparto
- **April 30 at 2 p.m.** Mary L. Stephens – Davis Branch Library, 315 E. 14th Street, Davis
- **April 1 through 30:** Clarksburg Branch Library and the Arthur F. Turner Community Library will be offering month-long scavenger hunts for patrons.

No reservations are required, and events are free. Programs are sponsored and supported by Yolo County's Friends of the Library groups, donations from the community, the American Library Association, the Association for Library Service to Children, the Yolo County Library Foundation, California State Library, and the Yolo County Library.



Resources About Ukraine



Find these titles and more at your local Yolo County Library Branch
www.yolocountylibrary.org

In conjunction with the American Library Association, Yolo County Library stands with the Ukrainian library community and is providing curated lists of resources to assist the local community in learning more about Ukraine and Russia.

You can find a list of books and DVDs on our website: <https://yolocountylibrary.org/reading/reading-lists/>, and a collection of eBooks and eAudiobooks on OverDrive: <https://yolocounty.overdrive.com/> or through the Libby app. See the American Library Association's statement of support here: <https://www.ala.org/news/press-releases/2022/03/ala-stands-ukrainian-library-community>.

Here are some of the women profiled on the Yolo County Library [Facebook page](#) during Women's History Month in March. Thank you to the members of this year's WHM team: Crista Cannariato, Heather Lanctot, Ashleigh Torres, and our Social Media Team for their diligent posting efforts.

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WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Women Providing Healing, Promoting Hope



Ildaura Murillo-Rohde
(1920-2010)

Born in Panama, Ildaura studied nursing at the Medical and Surgical Hospital School of Nursing in San Antonio, Texas. She dedicated her career to cultural competency in nursing and serving the Hispanic population in her work as a psychiatric nurse. She also created the National Association of Hispanic Nurses (NAHN) in 1975.



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Spotlight on Local Women!

Carolyn Ann Jorgensen (1939-2016) & Andrea Mistchenko (1923-2009)

Carolyn worked for many years as an Operating Room Nursing Supervisor at Yolo County General Hospital until it closed in 1991. Erika worked as a nurse for Woodland Memorial Hospital, the Woodland Clinic, and was a personal home care nurse, and retired from Yolo General Hospital.



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Kathryn Sexson is the Director of the Family Nurse Practitioner Program at the Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing at UC Davis. She is a leader in curriculum development, a National Scholar and Speaker, the Founder of Denali Family HealthCare in Anchorage, Alaska, and a John A. Hartford Scholar.



International Women's Day

#IWD2022 #BreakTheBias



Elizabeth Rice is a Clinical Professor at the Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing. She is a mental health and student success advocate, and former Dean of Student and Faculty Success, as well as the Former Director of Doctorate and Master's Nurse Practitioner Programs. She is a national scholar and speaker



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Yolo Crisis Nursery
yolocrisisnursery.org

The Yolo Crisis Nursery offers voluntary and free, nurturing childcare for ages birth through five years, 24 hours per day 365 days per year. Equally important are the Yolo Crisis Nursery's wraparound services that help parents resolve the problems that brought them to our door.



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Lela [Hannum] Drive (1917-2012) & Julia C. Sanchez (1933-2015)

Lela, a native of Yolo County, worked for Yolo County Public Health for a number of years, serving as school and public health nurse in the Bryte, Broderick, and Clarksburg districts. Julia was a passionate, compassionate care-giver and became a Licensed Vocational Nurse in 1961 and ultimately retired a Registered Nurse in 1988 in Davis.



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Helen M. Cole (1922-2014) & Kathryn Lucille Hare (1923-2013)

Helen was a registered nurse, helped with the Yolo County Well Baby Clinic, and volunteered 13,600 hours as a member of the Sutter Hospital Auxiliary. Kathryn worked for 22 years at the Woodland Memorial Hospital in the psychiatric unit and also worked as a Yolo Hospice counselor.



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UC Davis Women's Resources & Research Center
wrrc.ucdavis.edu

The Women's Resources and Research Center (WRRC) challenges all forms of oppression, through the lens of gender equity. The WRRC provides education, advocacy, resources, and a safe space that centers the experiences of women, transgender, femme, and non-binary individuals.

