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FEATURED OCTOBER PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

Las Vegas, NV—The Las Vegas-Clark County Library District will offer a variety of programs throughout the month of October. Highlights of the month include:

### Ricardo Griego - Spanish Guitar Fusion

Sunday, October 5 at 2 p.m.

Windmill Library | 7060 W. Windmill Ln. | 702.507.6030

Griego will perform classic Latin sounds accompanied by two salsa dancers. Free.

#### Viva el Mariachi

Friday, October 10 at 7 p.m.

Clark County Library | 1401 E. Flamingo Rd. | 702.507.3459

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with an evening of popular mariachi music performed by young musicians from Clark County School District's award-winning Mariachi Music Instructional Program. Co-sponsored by the Clark County School District, La 103.5 and 99.3 Las Vegas. Free.

#### Summerlin Library College Fair

Saturday, October 11 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Summerlin Library | 1771 Inner Circle Dr. | 702.507.3863

Join us for a college fair that is designed to provide a platform for colleges and students from the Las Vegas metropolitan area to meet in one place. Students and parents will be able to speak to university, college and technical school representatives. Numerous local and regional colleges will be represented, along with workshops on financial aid, writing college applications and learning about different college options. Free.

#### Maxwell Drake Writing Workshops

Sunday, October 12 at 3 p.m.

Monday, October 13 at 5:30 p.m.

Centennial Hills Library | 6711 N. Buffalo Dr. | 702.507.6107

Join this award-winning author as he conducts a series of workshops to help you become a better writer. He will show you how to craft a novel people want to read. Free.

# 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Coalition of Black Trade Unionist Apprenticeship and Job Fair

Thursday, October 16, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

West Las Vegas Library | 951 W. Lake Mead Blvd. | 702.507.3989

Meet potential employers, find out about union apprenticeships and increase networking and educational opportunities. Learn about Nevada State and Local Trade Union Apprentice Programs and how to qualify for one. Free.

## An Evening with B.J. Novak

Thursday, October 16 at 7 p.m.

Clark County Library | 1401 E. Flamingo Rd. | 702.507.3459

B.J. Novak, actor, writer, director and executive producer, best known for his work on NBC's Emmy Award-winning comedy series "The Office," will open the Vegas Valley Book Festival with a keynote address. He is also known for his stand-up comedy performances and his roles in motion pictures such as Quentin Tarantino's "Inglourious Basterds" and Disney's "Saving Mr. Banks." His books, "One More Thing: Stories and Other Stories" and "The Book With No Pictures," will be available for purchase and a book signing will follow the talk. Free.

#### Illustrators 56

October 3 – October 31

The Studio @ Sahara West Library

Opening Reception: Friday, October 17 from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Sahara West Library | 9600 W. Sahara Ave. | 702.507.3631

In conjunction with the 2014 Vegas Valley Book Festival, join us for the opening reception of the Annual Travel Show provided by the Society of Illustrators featuring 58 pieces of the most outstanding works created throughout the year, by the most cutting edge and popular illustrators in the world. Co-sponsored by Mark Fine, Las Vegas-Clark County Library District, Las Vegas-Clark County Library District Foundation. Free.

### Spring Valley Library Community Fair

Saturday, October 18 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Spring Valley Library | 4280 S. Jones Blvd. | 702.507.3821

Local nonprofit, county and city agencies will be on hand to provide information about the programs and services available in the area. Meet representatives who will discuss programs promoting healthy babies and pregnancies, nutrition, exercise and adult education courses as well as services for legal, housing and financial advice. Free.

# Ask-A-Lawyer Series: Intellectual Property – Protecting Your Ideas

Tuesday, October 21 at 5 p.m.

West Charleston Library | 6301 W. Charleston Blvd. | 702.507.3964

This session will cover the basics of copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets and patents. Learn what intellectual property your small business has and how to protect it from being used by other businesses. Following the session, you will have an opportunity to meet one-on-one with a lawyer for a free consultation related to the topic. Co-sponsored with the Legal Aid Center of Southern Nevada. To reserve your consultation, please call 702.507.3964. Free.

## Fun with the Night Sky

Wednesday, October 29 at 6 p.m.

Centennial Hills Library | 6711 N. Buffalo Dr. | 702.507.6107

An introduction to observing the cosmos without a telescope and how to obtain easy to use star charts available for free on the Internet to locate and identify constellations and prominent stars. Free.