

# Kern County Library Calendar of Events

## June 2013

### Reading Is So Delicious!

Summer Reading Program for  
Children, Teens & Adults

June 1 - July 27, 2013

Visit  
[kerncountylibrary.org](http://kerncountylibrary.org)  
for full program listings,  
reading logs & book  
suggestions for all ages.

During the summer, KCL offers over 300 FREE events for children, teens & adults countywide featuring reptiles, puppets, magic shows, theatre, food demos, music, storytimes and much more!

Keep kids & teens reading all summer long with the incentive of a free paperback book provided by the Friends of the Kern County Library, Inc. Ask library staff or visit [kerncountylibrary.org](http://kerncountylibrary.org) for more details.

*Summer Reading Programs are sponsored by the Kern County Friends of the Library, Inc.*

### Energy Showcase Demonstration



**Tuesday, June 18, 2013**  
**11am - 1pm**  
**Beale Memorial Library**

#### Kern County Library & PG&E Partner to Promote Energy Efficiency

- PG&E staff available to answer questions
- Kill-A-Watt meter demonstration
- Learn energy-saving tips



## SAVE ENERGY!

Check out a  
Kill-A-Watt Kit

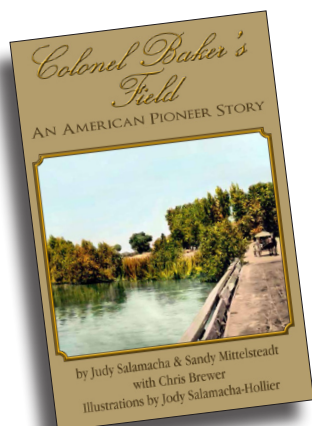
The Kern County Library and PG&E partner in an effort to help Kern County residents lower their energy consumption by lending a new toolkit to the public. The toolkit contains a Kill-A-Watt meter, a small device which provides residents with information on the amount of energy consumed by electrical appliances.

Armed with this information, residents can make informed decisions about whether it's time to replace an old appliance and the importance of unplugging electrical devices when not in use.

*The Kill-A-Watt Kit is available now and can be checked out for three weeks at Kern County Branch Libraries; each kit contains a meter and instructions in English, Spanish, & Chinese.*



## Local History Authors' Visit



### Colonel Baker's Field: An American Pioneer Story

Authors Judy Salamacha & Sandy Mittelsteadt will discuss their new book. Copies of the book will be available for purchase and signing afterwards.

**Saturday, June 1, 11am**  
**Beale Memorial, Tejon Room**

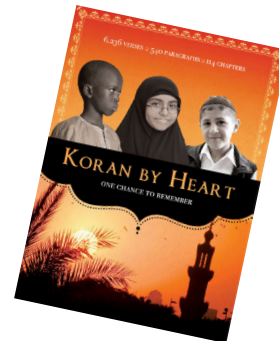
## Muslim Journeys



### Film Showing: Koran By Heart

An HBO documentary  
and Tribeca Film  
Festival 2011 selection.

**Saturday, June 15, 2pm**  
**Ridgecrest Branch**



*Presented by National Endowment for the Humanities in cooperation with American Library Association & Ali Vural Ak Center for Global Islamic Studies, George Mason University.*

# Summer Events

- Chess**  
Wednesdays, 3:30pm Frazier Park Branch  
Saturdays, 5pm Ridgecrest Branch
- Barks & Books - Children read to therapy dogs**  
Sat., June 1, 2pm Ridgecrest Branch
- Beginning Genealogy - Learn how to use the internet for basic genealogy research.**  
Sat. June 22, 3pm Frazier Park Branch
- Motivational Speaker & Author Visit - Leslie Stein, author of Penny Perspectives.**  
Sat., June 8, 3:30pm Ridgecrest Branch
- Adult Book Group - Abraham Lincoln biographies**  
Sat. June 22, 1pm Ridgecrest Branch
- Personal Computer Coach: Sessions with Volunteers**  
Wed., 11am - 1pm (sign up: Reference Desk or call 661.868.0770) Beale Memorial  
Thurs., 11:30am (sign up: Circulation Desk or call 661.245.1267) Frazier Park Branch
- Computer Class: Internet Basics - Learn basic tips & tricks.**  
Sat. June 8, 4pm Beale Memorial
- Origami Workshop**  
Wed. June 5, 5pm Rosamond Branch
- Math Clinic & Homework Help - Get help with math, all ages. Registration required: call 661.868.0770.**  
Saturdays, 2pm Beale Memorial, GMP Rm
- American Sign Language - Beginner classes.**  
Thursdays, 5:30pm (18+) Tehachapi Branch
- Small Business Webinars - Get a small business started.**  
Wed. June 12, 12:05pm - *Crowdfunding - An Update* Frazier Park Branch  
Wed. June 26, 12:05pm - *Marketing A Local Business* Frazier Park Branch
- Beginner Piano Class - Learn piano with Karen Anthony.**  
Saturdays, 9am Frazier Park Branch
- Beginning Crochet & Knitting - Bring a crochet hook, knitting needles & lightweight yarn.**  
Wednesdays, 3pm Rosamond Branch  
Thur. June 6 & 20, 4pm Frazier Park Branch
- Quilt & Chat - Learn techniques, share ideas & work on group projects.**  
Sat. June 22, 10am Frazier Park Branch
- Greek Dramas - Readings by local actors.**  
Saturdays, 5pm Frazier Park Branch

## BRANCHES IN BAKERSFIELD

BAKER 1400 Baker Street, Hours: M 11-7	661-861-2390
BEALE MEMORIAL 701 Truxtun Ave., Hours: T, W, Th 11-7; F, Sa 10-6	661-868-0745
HOLLOWAY-GONZALES 506 E. Brundage Lane, Hours: F 9-5	661-861-2083
NORTHEAST 3725 Columbus Street, Hours: T, 11-7; F 9-5	661-871-9017
RATHBUN 200 W. China Grade Loop, Hours: T, 11-7; F 9-5	661-393-6431
SOUTHWEST 8301 Ming Avenue, Hours: T, W, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-664-7716
WILSON 1901 Wilson Road, Hours: M, W 11-7	661-834-4044

## BRANCHES OUTSIDE BAKERSFIELD

ARVIN 201 Campus Drive, Hours: T, W, Th 11-7	661-854-5934
BORON 26967 Twenty-Mule Team Rd., Hours: W, F 11-6	760-762-5606
BUTTONWILLOW 116 Buttonwillow Drive, Hours: W, F 11-6	661-764-5337
CALIFORNIA CITY 9507 California City Blvd., Hours: W 11-7; F, Sa 9-5	760-373-4757
DELANO 925 10th Avenue, Hours: T, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-725-1078
FRAZIER PARK 3732 Park Drive, Hours: T, W, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-245-1267
KERN RIVER VALLEY 7054 Lake Isabella Blvd., Hours: T, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	760-549-2083
KERNVILLE 48 Tobias Street, Hours: F 10-5	760-376-6180
LAMONT 8304 Segrue Road, Hours: W 11-7; F, Sa 9-5	661-845-3471
McFARLAND 500 W. Kern Ave., Hours: W, F 10-6	661-792-2318
MOJAVE 16916 1/2 Hwy 14, Sp. D2, Hours: T, Th 10-6	661-824-2243
RIDGECREST 131 E. Las Flores Ave., Hours: T, W, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	760-384-5870
ROSAMOND 3611 Rosamond Blvd., Hours: W 11-7; F, Sa 9-5	661-256-3236

SHAFTER 236 James Street, Hours: Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-746-2156
TAFT 27 Emmons Park Drive, Hours: T, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-763-3294
TEHACHAPI 1001 W. Tehachapi Blvd., A-400, Hours: T, Th 11-7; Sa 9-5	661-822-4938
WASCO 1102 Seventh Street, Hours: W 11-7; F 9-5	661-758-2114
WOFFORD HEIGHTS 6400-B Wofford Blvd., Hours: W 10-6; F 9-5	760-376-6160

## BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

661-868-0755 • 661.764.5337

### Wednesdays

LOST HILLS, Primary Ct. & Hwy. 46, 9:30-11:30 am

### Thursdays

PIUTE MOUNTAIN, Piute Mtn. School, 9:30-11:30 am  
12400 Caliente Creek Road  
CALIENTE, Post Office, 12:30-1:30 pm  
Bookdrop located at Post Office

### Fridays

GLENNVILLE, 158 White River Rd., 9:30-11:30 am  
WOODY, 19165 Main St. & Hwy. 155, 12:30-1:30 pm

### Saturdays

RIDGEVIEW, Ridgeview Plaza, Panama & Wible, 10-1 pm  
ROSEDALE, Northwest Promenade, Rosedale Hwy.  
between Calloway & Main Plaza, 2-5 pm

## KERN RIVER VALLEY BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

760-549-2083

### Wednesdays

WELDON, Post Office, 10:30-11:30 am  
ONYX, Onyx Emporium, 12-1 pm  
KELSO VALLEY, Bass Avenue & Quail Lane, 2-3 pm  
LONGVIEW, Hwy 178 & Navajo Ave., 3:30-4:30 pm

## Volunteer Opportunities

Beale Memorial Library  
**Volunteer Orientation:**  
**Saturday, June 8, 3pm**

Beale's Orientation Meetings are in Gates Computer Lab, 2nd floor. For more information, call 661-868-0745.

Volunteers for all other branches, please call your local branch.

## Library Tours

Library Tours are available by appointment.

At Beale Memorial Library:  
Elementary schools (Grades 1-6) please call the Arkelian Children's Library, 661-868-0750.

Secondary schools & adults (Grades 7 and up), please call the Reference Desk, 661-868-0770.

For all other branches, please contact your neighborhood library.