# Teens' EVENTS GUIDE

McFarland Branch Library





# Events for Teens (5)



#### Card Craze

Ages 12-18

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 10, 17 | 4 PM LIBRARY

Join us for an afternoon of strategy, bluffing, and fast paced fun, as we dive into a variety of exciting card games. From the thrill of *Chase the Ace*, to testing your truth-detecting skills in *Liar*, and the strategic game play of *Karma*, this event is perfect for anyone who loves a good challenge!

### Teen Craft

Ages 12-18

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 20 | 3 PM LIBRARY

Join us for an afternoon of painting, fun, and friendship. Whether you're a seasoned artist or just starting out, all skill levels are welcome!

### Family Flix- Interactive

All Ages

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 12, 19 | 3-5 PM COMMUNITY ROOM

This is not a quiet movie experience! Come ready to shout, dance, and participate along with the movie in progress.



### Staff In-Service Day

The Kern County Library will be closed on Friday, December 6, 2024, for our annual In-Staff Service Day and will reopen Saturday, December 7th, 2024. This gives our team the chance to collaborate, learn, and plan for even better services and programs!



### Happy Holi-reads!

Chill out with a good book this winter recess and collect your reads before we are CLOSED for winter recess. Kern County Library branches will observe Winter Recess from Tuesday, December 24, 2024, to Wednesday, January 1, 2025.





### Homework Station



WEEKDAYS | 3-6 PM LIBRARY

Need a quiet place to focus on your homework? Come to our homework station! Whether you need a space to concentrate or some extra supplies to complete your assignments, we've got you covered!



# Staff Picks



### Diana

**What Light** Jay Asher

Sierra's family runs a Christmas tree farm in Oregon—it's an idyllic setting for a girl to grow up in, except that every year, they pack up and move to California to set up their Christmas tree lot for the season. Sierra lives two lives: her life in Oregon and her life at Christmas. And leaving one always means missing the other. WHAT LIGHT is a sweet, aching tale of first love and forgiveness. It's about second chances and learning to see others for who they really are.



### Daniela

### I'm Dreaming of a Wyatt Christmas Tiffany Schmidt

Noelle lives for Christmas. Since her mother's death, she and her father have always made a point of making her favorite holiday extra special. But this year is different; her dad barely notices her, and when he nearly misses all of her Nutcracker performances, Noelle decides to accept a babysitting job that will take her to Vermont for the entirety of winter break. Incredibly, instead of insisting she stay home, her father enthusiastically agrees to this plan. Noelle heads out to spend Christmas on the ski slopes, away from all of her favorite traditions. When the dreamy older half-brother of her babysitting charges shows up at the family ski cabin, though, will all of Noelle's dancing fantasies come true, or is she in over her head?

For more event information, visit our website - kclevents.org

Library workshops, performances, and events are FREE and open to the public. We're adding more programs all the time! At times, programs may be rescheduled or canceled without advance notice.

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# hours

Tuesday- Thursday Friday Saturday

10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



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