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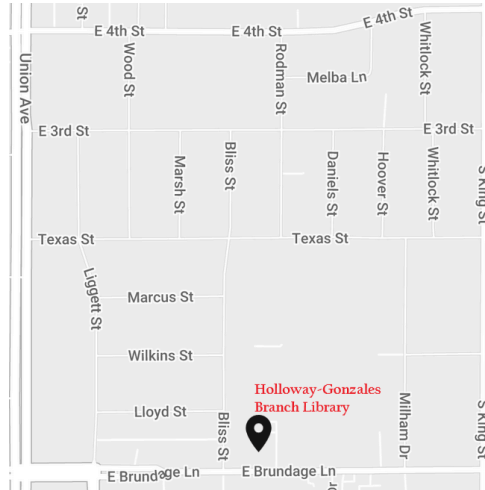
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Hours

Tuesday - Thursday	10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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Adults' EVENT GUIDE

Holloway-Gonzales Branch Library





Events for Adults



One Book Project



Family Night: Karaoke, Bingo, & Pictionary

All Ages

FRIDAYS | 4:00 P.M. | COMMUNITY ROOM

Oct.2nd: Karaoke | Oct.9th: Bingo | Oct.16th: Pictionary |
Oct.23rd: Karaoke | Oct.30th :Bingo



Volunteer Orientation

Ages 14+

SAT., OCT. 3RD | 12:00 P.M. | COMMUNITY ROOM

Interested in volunteering at the library? Learn about different volunteer opportunities, fill out an application, and get a library tour!

Inspired Art: Picasso; "Cat Catching a Bird"



Ages 18+

WED., OCT. 14TH | 5:30 P.M. | COMMUNITY ROOM

Join us in creating art inspired by famous artists!
This month we are inspired by Picasso!



Saturday Documentary

Ages 14+

SAT., OCT. 24TH | 2:00 P.M. | COMMUNITY ROOM

Discover the wildlife of Transylvania, a mysterious and secretive region hiding some of Europe's last true wilderness. Its soaring Carpathian Mountains and vast ancient forests provide sanctuary for wolves, bears and lynx.

For more event information, visit our website - kernlibrary.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.

The One Book Project is a countywide reading and discussion project that fosters empathy, promotes awareness, and strengthens the fabric of our community by exploring the themes in this year's One Book selection, *We Need to Talk: How to have conversations that matter* by Celeste Headlee.

They are, perhaps, the most dreaded four words in the English language. But in her timely, insightful, and wonderfully practical book, *We Need to Talk*, Celeste Headlee makes the case that they are urgently needed.

Today most of us communicate from behind electronic screens, and studies show that Americans feel less connected, but the erosion of our conversational skills as a society lies with us as individuals.

Log all your One Book Project reads on Beanstack!

"THIS BOOK IS NECESSARY." —BUZZFEED

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