



Many scribes



California Library Literacy Services
(CLLS)

The mission of this program is to support literacy programs in public libraries that help Californians of all ages meet their literacy goals and use library services effectively. Currently, over 100 CLLS libraries serve over 20,000 adults annually in over 800 library branches and other outlets.

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Bearer of news



The California State Library Blog and CalibNews

Blog

Get the scoop on what is happening at the State Library and in libraries across California via the CSL Blog.

More Info

Simply go to www.library.ca.gov and select CSL Blog under Featured Links. Once you are there, be sure to sign up for an RSS Feed.

CalibNews

Keep up to date by linking to current news articles about California's libraries. Email and RSS subscriptions are available.

Website:

calibnews.wordpress.com

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A light on the past



Sutro Library

Did you know that the California State Library owns an amazing collection in San Francisco? The Sutro Library has the most extensive genealogy collection west of Salt Lake City; a comprehensive United States local history collection; Adolph Sutro's rare book and manuscript collections; genealogical, family and local history catalogs; and special indexes, guides, and bibliographies.

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*You are shielded from
slow connectivity*



California Opportunity Online Summit
(Dec 14-15, 2009)

California was selected by the Gates Foundation as one of seven states to participate in their Opportunity Online grant pilot project. The goals of this project are to create a strong advocacy for library connectivity and to establish the public library as an anchor institution where the public gains access to the digital world. This also will serve as the kick off to building a statewide plan for broadband sustainability in public libraries. All public library directors have been invited and will work with influencers from across the State to build our connectivity future.

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Public Library Staff Education
Program (PLSEP)

If you're considering pursuing an MLIS degree, you may qualify for tuition reimbursement under the California State Library's Public Library Staff Education Program.

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California of the Past Digital Storytelling Program

This program provides grant funding for libraries to implement a local digital storytelling initiative to capture and preserve the communities' memories.

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Braille and Talking Book Library (BTBL)

Do you have people in your community who have difficulties reading standard print? The California State Library loans Braille, cassette and digital talking books, magazines and playback equipment to northern Californians unable to read conventional print.

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Poring over documents



Government Publications

Do you need some government information? The California State Library's government publications collection is the only regional depository of federal government information in California and receives all publications distributed by the United States Superintendent of Documents to depository libraries. The Library is a full depository for California state government publications and is one of five Patent and Trademark Depository libraries in California.

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Tribal Libraries

Ninety-six percent of California is rural. California is home to 109 federally recognized tribes, and more Native American residents than any other state. Do you know your rural neighbors?

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*A collection travelling
to virtual lands*



Local History Digital Resources
Project (LHDRP)

Learn the ropes on starting a digital collection from your library's historical photographs while building a base of digital photos available locally and statewide. Apply to be part of the LSTA supported LHDRP this coming year.

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Californians reading



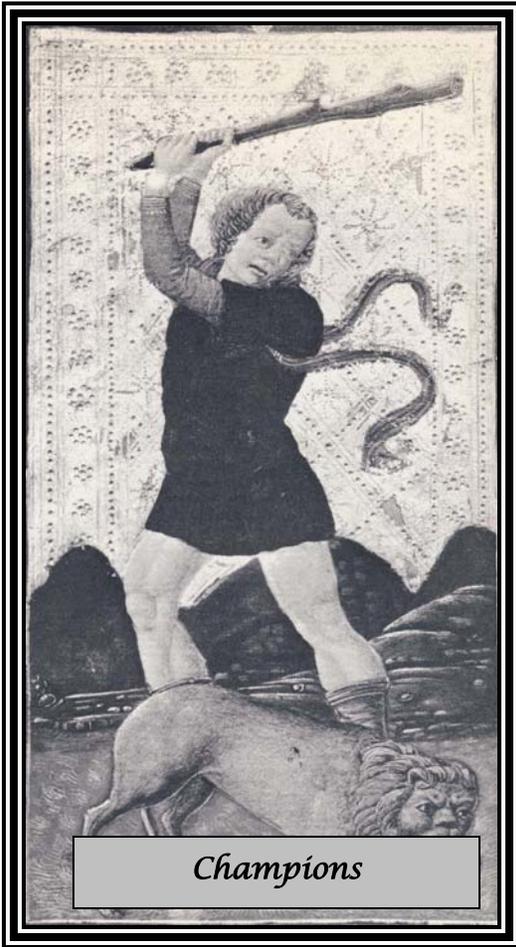
California Center for the Book

The California Center for the Book helps librarians and teachers get Californians reading.

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California Civil Liberties Public
Education Program (CCLPEP)

Grants for educational projects related to the World War II internment of Japanese Americans and permanent resident aliens of Japan are available to individuals and non-profit organizations.

CCLPEP grant applications will be available by February 2010 at <http://CivilLiberties.library.ca.gov>.

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Measuring rod



Count Yourself in the Know
with Library Stats

CSL gathers and reports annual statistics from every public library in California. Analyze trends, perform peer comparisons and examine service metrics to help plan and manage your library.

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*A rural library far, far
away*



Rural Library Initiative

The Rural Library Initiative provides access to training and resources to rural and tribal library support group's staff members to improve library service to rural and tribal communities and to strengthen support for rural libraries.

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*Preserving California
culture*



California Cultural and Historical Endowment (CCHE)

The Endowment was created to raise the profile and scope of California's historic and cultural preservation program in an era of dwindling historic structures and cultural homogeneity. Since its inception, the Endowment has funded over 150 capital projects and planning grants. Funding for the projects comes from voter-approved bonds from the California Clean Water, Clean Air, Safe Neighborhood Parks, and Coastal Protection Act of 2002, more commonly known as Proposition 40.

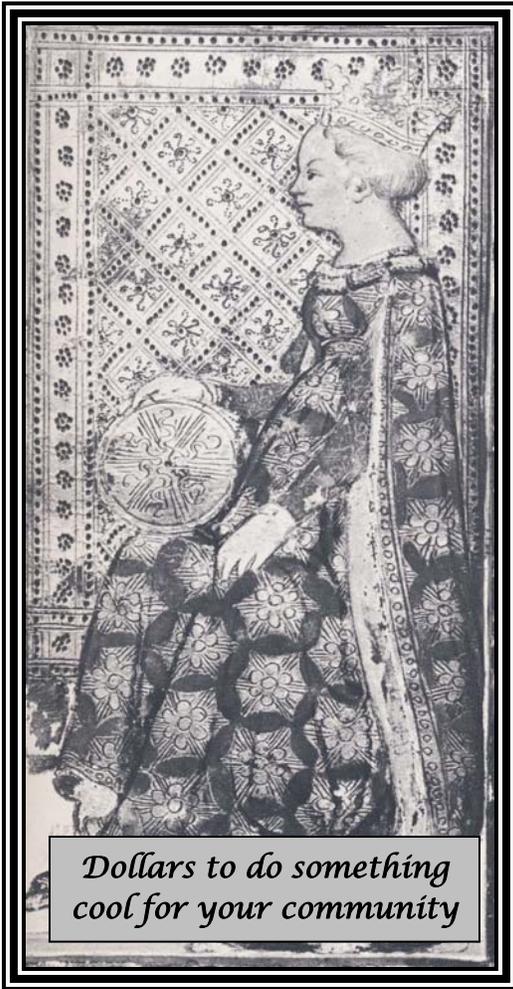
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*Dollars to do something
cool for your community*



Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA)

She ain't Harry's sister but her wizardry might bring you some federal funds. The Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) is a federal grant program that is administered in California by the State Library. Find out when the next call for applications goes out.

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California History Room

The California History Section holds a major collection of documents from and about California's rich history. The documents range from books, maps, newspapers, and periodicals, to pictorial materials (including daguerreotypes, lithographs, stereographs, and paintings) and ephemera (such as posters, programs, pamphlets, and sheet music). Researchers of all types – authors, historians, reporters, legislators, filmmakers, genealogists, historic preservationists, graduate students, teachers, and California citizens – visit the California History Room to use these resources. All are welcome!

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Future bright and long



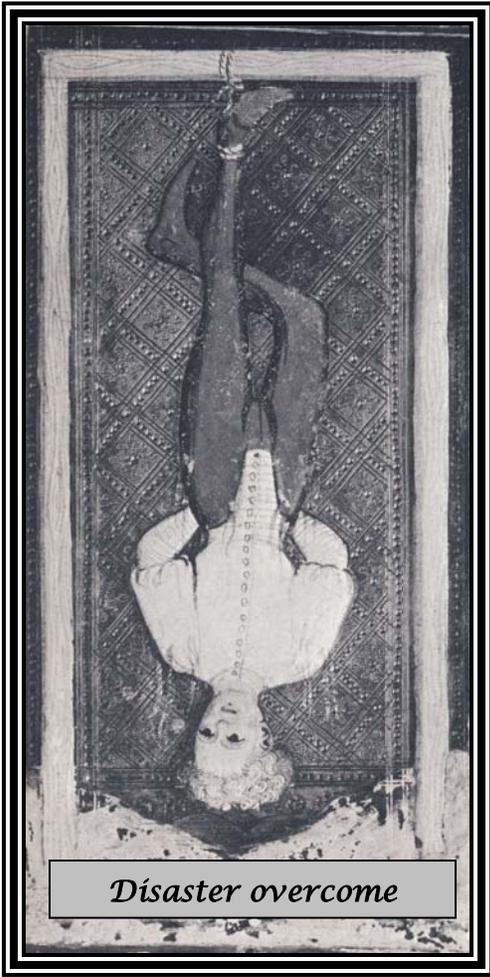
Public Libraries & Baby
Boomers Fellowship

Your future could be bright and long! Consider applying for a Public Libraries & Baby Boomers Fellowship, which will run from July 2010 to June 2011. Applications will be available mid-January 2010.

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California Preservation Program

Floods, Quakes, Fires, OH MY!
Need help with your Disaster
Preparedness Plan? The
California Preservation Program
is the place to go for Emergency
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Early Learning with Families (ELF)

This initiative enhances California libraries as they develop early learning programs and services for families with infants, toddlers, and preschoolers.

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*Receiving ideas and
information*



Studies in the News

Are you interested in current public policy information in an easy to read compilation? Check out Studies in the News (SITN), a weekly list of articles and reports compiled for California's policy makers by the State Library's California Research Bureau and by CSL Information Services. Previous lists are available on the State Library website, or you can subscribe to an RSS Feed to be alerted as new issues are released.

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E-Rate

Do your phone lines flow with E-lectricity? If not, send in a technology plan and get your e-Rate started. The application window for 2010/11 opens soon.

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California State Library -
Picture Catalog

Looking for an amazing collection of photographs, prints, drawings, and sheet music? Check out the California State Library website and search the wonderful treasure trove of images.

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Help divining answers



Out-of-School-Time (OST) Online Homework Help

Good students magically change their minds at their library. The Out-of-School-Time (OST) Online Homework Help project enables Libraries in the State to provide students with the homework assistance they need after school and on weekends. Applications to participate will be available January 2010.

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Witkin State Law Library of
California

The Witkin State Law Library
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Many helpers



Get Involved: Powered by Your Library

This initiative is designed to expand the visibility and contributions of skilled volunteers through public libraries. Your library can get involved and join the movement to make finding great volunteer opportunities in your community easy and fun!

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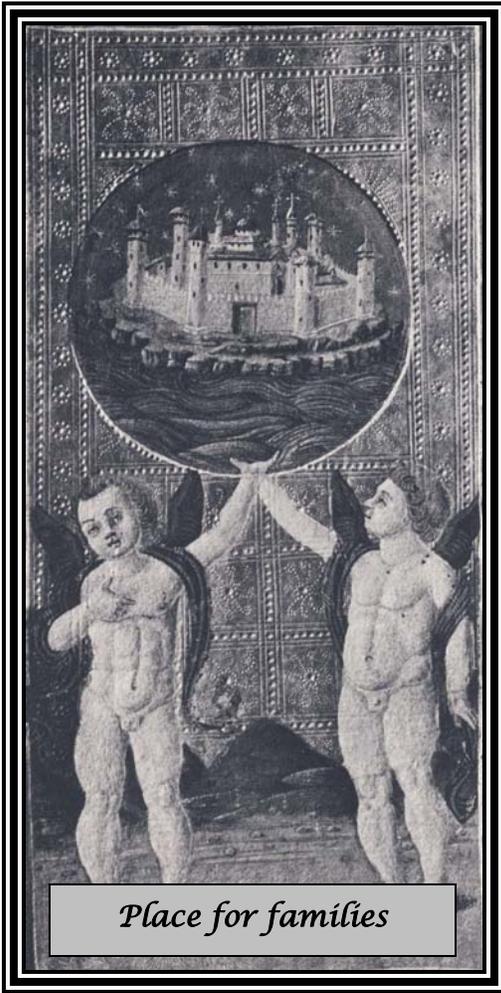
Public Library Fund

The Public Library Fund (PLF) is a State funded allocation to all public libraries. The amount provided each year is dependent on the total funds appropriated and the population served by the library. There is a maintenance of effort requirement.

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Place for families



Family Place

Family Place is a family centered library service model for children ages 0-3, parents, and caregivers. This opportunity will enable you to:

- change the way your library looks and feels
- develop family-centered community partnerships
- encourage emergent literacy in your library
- make a difference in the lives of young children and families

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