



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

San Diego Public Library Central Library Programs for October 2008

Exhibits

1st Floor Lobby:

**San Diego Fellow Calligraphers
Miniature Book Society Traveling Exhibit
San Diego Fellow Calligraphers**

Outside Windows:

Wangenheim Room:

Who Signed That?: Autographed and Inscribed Books from the Wangenheim Room Collection
Featured in the exhibit are signed and inscribed books by Mark Twain, Jack and Charmian London, Ray Bradbury, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, and Herbert C. and Lou Henry Hoover.

Programs

October 1, Wednesday
Youth Services Program



**Teen Space Workshop –
How to Make Caricatures, by Harold Hamernik**
3:00-5:00 p.m., Teen Space.

October 1, Wednesday
Film Forum



Live Music for Silent Film – Featuring Curtis Glatter.

Part I

La Glace a Trois Faces by Jean Epstein.
Le Tempestaire by Jean Epstein.

Part II

Vampyr (excerpt) by Carl Theodore Dryer.
Fold, Bend, Break and Convergence by Nathan Hubbard.

Curtis Glatter is an American composer, improviser and percussionist. Glatter was raised in Dearborn Heights, Michigan and began performing at the age of eight. In 2000, Glatter graduated with a B.A. in Music Composition from Oakland University in Rochester, Michigan. In the past 10 years, members of the Trummerflora Collective, Detroit Symphony, Pontiac Oakland Symphony and the Camarada Ensemble have premiered his compositions. 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 2, Thursday
Children's Program



Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m., Children's Room.

October 5, Sunday
Author Talk



Author Talk: DEBORAH PRATT—The Vision Quest: Book Two: The Odyssey. These adventures follow the hero Lazer, a boy of seventeen, whose carefree life on the newly risen continent of Atlantia is altered forever when one of the four mysterious knowledge gnorbs is stolen and the land falls under the control of the evil leader of the biodroid-based Black Guard, Five. Become a Questor at www.thevisionquest.com. Pratt was the head writer of the award winning series, "Quantum Leap", which aired for five years, was awarded multiple Emmys, two Golden Globes and numerous other prestigious awards. As a producer, she is a four-time Emmy nominee and Golden Globe nominee.
2:00 p.m., Wangenheim Room

October 6, Monday
Film Forum



POV preview film screening: UP THE YANGTZE by Yung Chang. Nearing completion, China's massive Three Gorges Dam is altering the landscape and the lives of people living along the fabled Yangtze River. Countless ancient villages and historic locales will be submerged, and 2 million people will lose their homes and livelihoods. With cinematic sweep, "Up the Yangtze" explores lives transformed by the biggest hydroelectric dam in history, a hotly contested symbol of the Chinese economic miracle. 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 9, Thursday
Children's Program



Preschool Storytime. 10:30 a.m., Children's Room.

October 12, Sunday
Concert Series



Fine Arts Trio. Robert Hart, Piano; Tom Johnson, Violin; Willis Frisch, Cello. Performing works by Mendelssohn, Robert Hart, and Peter Warlock. 2:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 13, Monday
Film Forum



The Go-Getter (2006, USA). With an amazing cast of actresses (Zoey Deschanel, Judy Greer, Jena Malone, Mara Tierney) surrounding a heartbreaking central performance by Lou Taylor Pulci, Director Martin Hynes's *The Go-Getter* is a smart and sensitive indie drama. Half road film/half French New Wave love story, the film chronicles the story of a young man who steals a car to find his lost brother. The car's owner (Deschanel) not only doesn't want to arrest him, but strikes up a relationship with him via her cell phone. 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 15, Wednesday
Film Forum



ITVS preview film screening: LIONESS by Meg McLagan and Daria Sommers. They went to Iraq as cooks, clerks and mechanics and returned a year later as part of America's first generation of female combat veterans. In *LIONESS*, Directors Meg McLagan and Daria Sommers give an intimate look at war through the eyes of women and the U.S. military policy that bans them from combat. 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 18, Saturday
Youth Services Movies



Movie with Free Popcorn. Ratatouille.
1:30 p.m., 2nd Floor Meeting Room

October 19, Sunday
Sunday Afternoon
at the Movies



POV preview film screening: SOLDIERS OF CONSCIENCE by Catherine Ryan and Gary Weimberg. When is it right to kill? In the midst of war, is it right to refuse? Eight U.S. soldiers today, some who killed and some who said no, reveal their inner moral dilemmas in *Soldiers of Conscience*. Made with official permission of the U.S. Army, the film transcends politics to explore the tension between spiritual values and military orders. 2:00 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 20, Monday
Film Forum



Kabluey (2008, USA). A distraught suburban mom (Lisa Kudrow) raising two hellions by herself while her National Guardsman husband is in Iraq asks her mousy brother-in-law, an inarticulate loser (writer-director Scott Prendergast) to be a live-in babysitter. A little later he takes another demeaning job as a corporate mascot, passing out fliers while wearing a bit, blue, blobby foam-rubber suit. This bleak, absurdist, hilarious look at modern middle America "catches the nation's mood of economic anxiety and workplace exploitation more pungently than anything else in theaters" (*The Village Voice*). 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 23, Thursday
Children's Program



Special Halloween Program: Spooky Stories with Marilyn McPhie. 10:30 a.m., Children's Room.

October 27, Monday
Film Forum



Snow Angels (2008). Arthur busses tables in a Chinese restaurant, plays trombone in the high school marching band, and has his eye on smart, funny offbeat Lila – who definitely has her eye on him. But as Arthur takes tentative steps toward his first romantic relationship, the long-time relationships of adults around him teeter and crash, drawing Arthur into a vortex of events that will change his world forever. Directed by David Gordon Green. 6:30 p.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

October 30, Thursday
Children's Program



Special Program: Traveling Lantern Theater Presents, Caterpillar Hunt. 10:30 a.m., 3rd Floor Auditorium.

Come celebrate the Clairemont Branch Library's 50th Anniversary. Saturday, October 18 from 10 a.m. to Noon. Children crafts, face painting, music and a hula hoop exhibition all are scheduled. Also meet local authors Nick Popaditch and Kevin Gerard. The Clairemont Library is at 2920 Burgener Blvd.