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### FEATURED MARCH PROGRAMS AT THE LIBRARY

Las Vegas, NV—The Las Vegas-Clark County Library District will offer a variety of programs throughout the month of March. Highlights of the month include:

#### **Peter Fletcher in Concert**

Clark County Library, 1401 E. Flamingo Rd., 702.507.3458

Wednesday, March 2 at 2 p.m.

Currently on a nationwide 2015-2016 tour, acclaimed New York classical guitarist Peter Fletcher returns to perform masterworks as Bach's *Jesu Joy Of Man's Desiring*, Tchaikovsky's *Dance Of The Sugar Plum Fairy*, Praetorius's *Terpsichore*, a variety of Catalan folk songs and other audience favorites that he performed recently at Carnegie Hall. CDs will be available for purchase and signing after the performance. Free.

#### **Meet Author Kathryn Gibbs Davis**

West Las Vegas Library, 951 W. Lake Mead Blvd., 702.507.3983

Thursday, March 3 at 10:30 a.m.

Come meet Kathryn Gibbs Davis, the author of the selection for the 6th annual Each One Read Once community reading program, *Mr. Ferris and His Wheel*. Free.

#### **Las Vegas Stories: Changing the Game – Women at Work in Las Vegas**

Clark County Library, 1401 E. Flamingo Rd., 702.507.3459

Thursday, March 3 at 7 p.m.

From casino owner Sarann Knight Preddy to company manager Fluff Lecoque, Joanne L. Goodwin will discuss the stories of women who lived and worked in Las Vegas in the last half of the twentieth century. Co-sponsored by University Nevada Press and the Women's Research Institute of Nevada at UNLV. Free.

#### **17,000FT: A Story of Rebirth**

Summerlin Library, 1771 Inner Circle Dr., 702.507.3861

Saturday, March 5 at 3 p.m.

Fox Deatry will share his unorthodox journey through the world of publishing by means of social media and smartphone apps like BooksILove. Deatry will also discuss his most recent novelette, *17,000 FT: A Story of Rebirth*. Free.

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**Guitar Basics 101**

Sahara West Library, 9600 W. Sahara Ave., 702.507.3631

Sundays, March 6, 13, 20 at 12 p.m.

Local guitar instructor, Matt Hennager, teaches this three-week course covering how to read music, what type of guitar is best for you, an introduction to guitar chords, chord practice progressions and other key components. Bring your own electric or acoustic guitar and arrive 10 to 15 minutes early to tune your guitar. Free.

**Spring Fling Book Fair**

Clark County Library, 1401 E. Flamingo Rd., 702.507.3458

Saturday, March 19 at 11 a.m.

Meet dozens of local and regional authors, buy autographed books, attend writer workshops and network with publishers, writers and readers that make up our fascinating local literary community. Free.

**Spring Love with Ziba Shirazi**

West Charleston Library, 6301 W. Charleston Blvd., 702.507.3964

Saturday, March 19 at 7:30 p.m.

Clark County Library, 1401 E. Flamingo Rd., 702.507.3458

Sunday, March 20 at 3 p.m.

Celebrate the traditional Iranian festival of spring, Nowruz through the musical Spring Love, a play about three generations experiencing love at first sight. It is the story of Iranian migration, the pain of separation, the joy of new experiences and the transformation from what we were into what we have become. Ziba Shirazi is a poet, singer, songwriter and storyteller. Free.

**Growing Tomatoes in Terrible Dirt and Desert Heat**

Centennial Hills Library, 6711 N. Buffalo Dr., 702.507.6107

Wednesday, March 23 at 6 p.m.

Join Master Gardener and author Leslie Doyle from Sweet Tomatoes Test Garden. She will share her knowledge and experience on how to grow big, red, juicy tomatoes in our searing desert heat. Free.

**Hiking Las Vegas**

Centennial Hills Library, 6711 N. Buffalo Dr., 702.507.6107

Thursday, March 24 at 6 p.m.

Branch Whitney, local author of five hiking guidebooks including *Hiking Las Vegas*, will teach you what to bring on a hike and how to be safe. Whitney has led thousands of hikers to 100 peaks and is the creator of the 52 Peak Club. Free.

**OLDTIMERS - The Musical**

West Las Vegas Library, 951 W. Lake Mead Blvd., 702.507.3989

Friday, March 25 at 3 p.m. and at 7 p.m.

Saturday, March 26 at 3 p.m. and at 7 p.m.

Join us as *OLDTIMERS*, the musical stage play, comes to life providing purposed awareness along with a glimpse into the lives of our loved ones battling with the progressive disease that destroys the memory and other important mental functions. A panel discussion moderated by local Alzheimer's representatives will be available for communal dialogue and questions immediately following the performance. Co-sponsored by the Foundation for Educational Development, Inc., and the Southern Nevada Regional Alzheimer's Association. Free.