

Beaumont Library District

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Library Hours

Sunday—1 to 6 p.m.
Monday—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Tuesday—10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Wednesday—CLOSED
Thursday—10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday—10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Bookmobile Stops

Monday—11:30 to 12:30, Chatigny Community Center
Tuesday—2:30 to 4, Beaumont Sports Park
Friday—8:30 to 10, Petco
Saturday—9 to 10, Trevino Park; 10 to Noon, Nicklaus Park

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LIBRARY CLOSED

Monday, January 21,
in observance of
Martin Luther King, Jr.
Day, a federal holiday
since 1986.



BEAUMONT LIBRARY DISTRICT

a California Special District,
independent of both city and county
government, providing library services
to Beaumont and Cherry Valley



January 2019

New in '19 at Beaumont Library: Staff, Streaming Video, and More!

by Luren Dickinson, Director

As Beaumont Library welcomes in the New Year, we are also welcoming two new librarians, adding a streaming video resource, and planning for much more in 2019.

We were sad to see Children's Librarian Nell Secor leave us last month but we know her move to Idaho was a job opportunity for her husband, and it puts them and their children closer to the grandparents! With her nearly ten years here, we know we cannot

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replace her, but we have found an experienced person in Sarah O'Brien, who has coordinated children's programs at La Quinta Library for the past four years.

Sarah graduated from high school in California, earned her B.A. in History and Anthropology from St. Mary's in Indiana, and graduated with a Masters in Library and Information Science from San Jose State.



Sarah currently co-runs her local chapter of the nationally acclaimed Silent Book Club, where she has met and become good friends with fellow book worms. Besides doing bookish things, she enjoys traveling, creative writing, podcast discussions, and checking out new restaurants in town.



Also joining the Beaumont Library staff is Nathan Harris, who comes to us from a suburb of Kansas City-- Overland Park in Kansas, the state where he was born and raised.

He earned a paralegal certificate from Johnson County Community College and completed his Bachelor of Arts degree in History from Columbia College, in Columbia, Missouri.

He then began working as a research paralegal for a law firm in the Kansas City area while completing his MLS degree at Emporia State University, in Emporia, KS. While at ESU, he was one of ten scholarship students to study libraries in Serbia, was inducted into Phi Kappa Phi, a nationwide honorary academic society, and

became a member of Beta Phi Mu, the International Library and Information Studies honor society. Nathan belongs to the American Library Association, is an avid reader and lover of research and wants to share this interest with others.

Beaumont Library Now Offering Acorn TV, New York Times Online, Archives Unbound

Stream your favorite TV shows from the BBC and other networks in the UK, Ireland, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand through Beaumont Library's new streaming resource, Acorn TV. This free service gives access to "A Place to Call Home," "Agatha Christie's Poirot," and "Doc Martin," to name a few.



All of the programs can be easily accessed through RB Digital's app on your smartphone, tablet, laptop, or Internet-ready TV. The app also allows you to listen to e-audiobooks through the Library's OneClickDigital resource and read digital magazines through Zinio. If you have an older TV, you can use a streaming device like Roku, Google Chromecast, Amazon's Fire stick, etc. to get Acorn TV. But, remember, this free service requires a Beaumont Library card!

In addition, now available at the library are online access to the New York Times and Archives Unbound (which has over 290,000 documents related to U.S. and World History).

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