

# *A Day in the Life of the New Mitchell Park Library and Community Center*

9 AM	<i>Automated handling machine checks in and sorts library returns for shelving *</i>
10 AM	Children's pre-school storytime starts in the library's Kids Place <i>Class on using the internet to plan travel begins in the Ventura Technology Learning Center (TLC) *</i> Art class for pre-schoolers and their parents in the Adobe art room at the community center Immigrants from China read the Mandarin newspapers on the second floor of the library Table tennis tournament for seniors in the El Palo Alto event space <i>Several people arrive at the café for hot tea after daily tai chi in the park *</i>
11 AM	<i>One-on-one literacy tutoring in the Barron Park conference room *</i> Reference librarian assists patron researching a medical condition A new parent logs on from home to research energy efficient washing machines using Consumer Reports
NOON	Avenidas hosts an event for seniors in the El Palo Alto event space Foothill College students come to study between classes after eating lunch in the park People stop by on their lunch hour to pick up their books on hold
1 PM	Using the wi-fi network, entrepreneurs refine their business plan in the Fairmeadow conference room *
2 PM	First grade students log on from home to the homework help database to research an African animal <i>Class on using the library's online historical and genealogical resources in the Ventura TLC *</i>
3 PM	<i>Middle school students arrive to do homework, get a snack at the café, and check email in the Teen Zone *</i>
4 PM	<i>Google researcher offers "Super Searcher" class for kids ages 10 to 12 in the Ventura TLC *</i> <i>Recreation class begins in the Matadero Technology Lab for students to learn to edit videos *</i> <i>College counselor meets one-on-one in the Palo Verde conference room with a client *</i> Half court basketball tournament continues next to The Drop
5 PM	<i>Wedding rehearsal in the El Palo Alto event space *</i>
6 PM	Parents stop by to pick up audio books for a weekend car trip with the kids
7 PM	<i>"Around the World" series continues with a session on Costa Rica in the Midtown room *</i> <i>Nonprofit board meeting in the Greenmeadow conference room *</i> Children's author and illustrator tells bedtime stories in the Kids Place
8 PM	<i>High school students arrive to finish homework and listen to music at sound stations *</i>
9 PM	Retirees check the investment database online to research stock picks
10 PM	Book club members get an e-mail about the next book and reserve their copy online

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- MORE THAN 1,000 PEOPLE WILL USE THIS BUILDING EVERY DAY
  - OVER 1,700 BOOKS, DVDs, AND OTHER MATERIALS WILL BE CHECKED OUT EVERY DAY
  - ONLINE BOOK RESERVATIONS, REFERENCE INQUIRIES, AND DATABASES ARE AVAILABLE 24/7
- \* Denotes an activity that cannot occur in today's buildings*

