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MIGUEL DE BENAVIDES LIBRARY



Calendar of Activities

Library and Information Services Month (LISM) and
National Book Week (NBW) 2023 celebration

NOVEMBER 7

Opening

LISM and NBW celebration kick-off

NOVEMBER 7-28

Contests

Libra-Riddle/Library Features

Description: Facts and riddles about the library, its resources, and services will be posted three times a week on the Library's social media pages.

NOVEMBER 7-30

Activities/Games

Book swap

Description: A place that allows participants to trade books they have already enjoyed for new ones.

De-Stress Zone

Description: A space to de-stress will be available at the Social Sciences Section. DIY Bookmarks, origami, and pop bubbles will be provided for activities.

Online Quizzes by ScienceDirect, Wiley Online Library, and Cambridge Core

Description: Online quiz which uses game-based learning strategies to challenge the academic staff and students while familiarizing them with various library databases.

Printed Journal Sale

Description: Duplicate copies of printed journal subscriptions of the library will be on sale.

Outreach

Book donation drive

Description: this aims to support and help underserved communities through the pre-loved Books given by some of the members of the Thomasian community.



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NOVEMBER 10

Seminar

Navigating the gray areas: Ethics in research

Description: Seminar for the Thomasian community to discuss ethical implications and explore ethical principles in research.

NOVEMBER 13

Activities

Book amnesty

Description: bring back your overdue books without having to pay your fines.

Training

Osiris and Orbis database training

Description: Webinar on Osiris and Orbis database with invited speakers from partner publishers.

NOVEMBER 15

Learning Session

Facilitating resource discovery and research using Metadata

Description: Learning session for the Thomasian community to introduce metadata and how it is used for resource discovery and research.

Training

Osiris and Orbis database training

Description: Webinar on Osiris and Orbis database with invited speakers from partner publishers.

NOVEMBER 16

Learning Session

Guidelines for securing documents

Description: A learning session for the Library Administrators and staff to introduce guidelines For securing documents.



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NOVEMBER 17

Games

Game On! Board game activities at the Learning Commons

Description: Board game coaches will be invited to facilitate and assist students in playing.

NOVEMBER 17

Outreach

Book discussion "Tree for All" (Puno para sa lahat)

Description: An outreach activity for students of San Martin Elementary School in Bamban, Tarlac. A book discussion with interactive visual aids will be presented to entice students' imagination.

Training

Emerald Insight database training

Description: Webinar on Emerald insight database with invited speakers from partner publishers.

NOVEMBER 24-30

Activities/Games

Book rewind

Description: Anchored on this year's National Book Week theme, "Read, Reread, Relive," the SHS Library will showcase books ranging from coming-of-age (top picks for Read), classics (choices for Reread), and titles that have movie adaptations (selections for Relive).

Book Tok

Description: Aims to promote the love of reading, encourage critical thinking, and inspire creativity among SHS learners by creating short engaging video book reviews.

Library's WOW (Will of the Wheel)

Description: Try your luck in answering questions from the SHS Library book collection on Star Wars, Marvel Comics, and DC Comics. Spin the wheel to determine the category of questions and the prize to be received.

Lucky JHS patron of the day

Description: Provides patrons who visit the JHS Library the opportunity to find freebies in different library services.

How many books are on the shelf?

Description: the challenge is to guess how many books are on a specific bookshelf of the JHS Library.



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Top class book borrower

Description: the JHS Library will give the Top Class Book Borrower Award to the section with the most students who borrowed from September to November 2023.

Book buffet

Description: the JHS Library will showcase different genres of the library collection.

#IamASerialReader

Description: the Serials Section will be giving rewards to loyal patrons.

NOVEMBER 24-30

Contests

Mystery Photo Contest

Description: Unmask your favorite resources from the Serials Section. Students will be challenged to think outside the box, be resourceful, and search for potential materials in the Serials Section that match the description provided.

NOVEMBER 28

Workshop

Igniting imagination through Storytelling

Description: A storytelling workshop that aims to explore the significance of storytelling across all ages.

NOVEMBER 28-30

Contests

Library Trivia Contest

Description: Aims to reacquaint EHS students with the rich resources, facilities, and services of the Library.



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NOVEMBER 29

Seminar

Kathang Duyaw 2023

Description: In its second year, Kathang Duyaw is a series where prominent Thomasians who are experts in reading, languages, writing, libraries, and other related fields, give a lecture and inspire learners to explore new worlds through books.

Activities

Prefect's Cup

Description: First-ever UST Library bowling tournament.

Signed:


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Prefect of Libraries

