



# CITY OF CALEXICO

## COMMUNITY SERVICES

### DEPARTMENT NEWSLETTER



# HAPPY NEW YEAR

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**The Calexico Arts Commission**

## **3rd Annual Black & White Art Exhibit**

**January 23-26, 2012**

**5:00-8:00p.m.**

**Calexico Cultural Arts Center  
421 Heffernan Ave.**

Reception

Thursday, January 26, 2012

**\$5.00 Admission**

For more info contact Leah @768-2170 or larellano@calexico.ca.gov  
\*\*Free Admission Monday-Wednesday

#### **Calexico Arts Commission**

Hildy Carrillo, Chair \* Soledad Salazar \* Judith Mazon \* Sergio Gaytan

**Comm. Svcs. Director:** Sandra Tauler

The Calexico Arts Commission meets the first Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Nene Torres Council Chambers at City Hall 608 Heber Ave., Calexico, CA

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# LIBRARY



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You're Invited to a  
Pajama Party!

Wednesday, January 25, 2012

6:00-7:45p.m.

Registration begins @5:30p.m

Enjoy games, prizes, crafts, free books & raffles!

Free event for the family!!



Associated Calexico Teachers  
TOGETHER WE ARE STRONGER

WEAR YOUR PJ'S

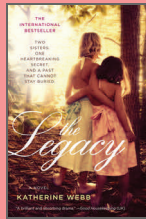
Sponsored by the Calexico Teachers Association

## Read Eat And Discuss!

Let's R.E.A.D Book Club

This month's book is...

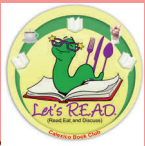
**The Legacy**  
by  
Katherine Webb



Monday, Jan. 23, 2012  
@ 6:15p.m.

Every meeting is a potluck!

This activity is for ages 18+  
To learn how to join call  
768-2170



## Author Visit & Book Signing Event!

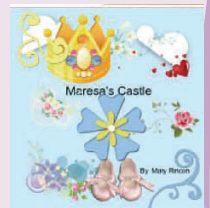
January 24, 2012

6:00p.m.

**Mary Rincon**

Mary Rincon is a local author of children's books. She will be reading her latest book "Maresa's Castle" and autographing copies.

Come and enjoy a memorable night with your family.



## Library Board of Trustees

Gaspar Cuevas, President  
Norberto Nuñez, Vice-President  
Armida Romero  
Elaine Perez  
Jeanette Chew

Community Services Director:  
Sandra Tauler

The Library Board of Trustees meets the fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at the Carnegie Technology Center 420 Heber Ave. Calexico, CA

## Camarena Memorial Library

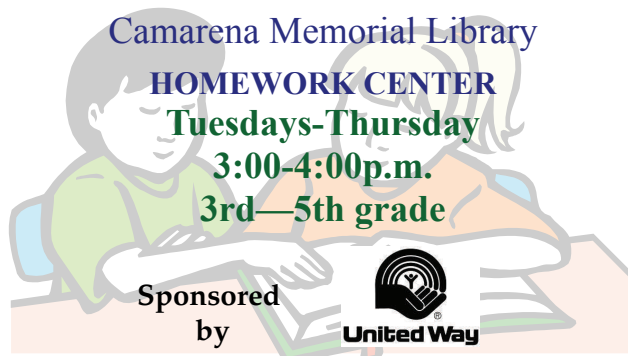
**HOMEWORK CENTER**

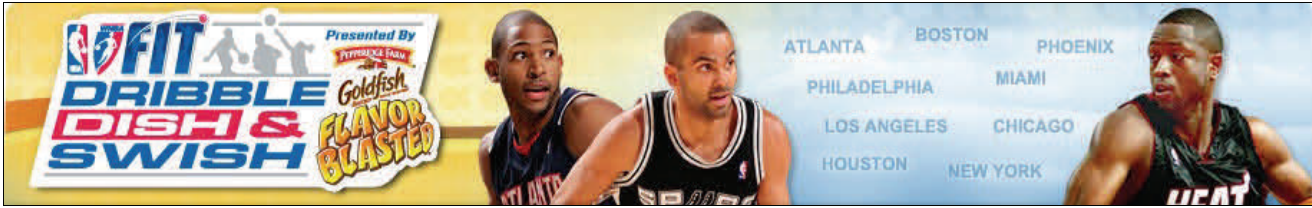
**Tuesdays-Thursday**

**3:00-4:00p.m.**

**3rd—5th grade**

Sponsored  
by





The 2011 Los Angeles Lakers NBA FIT/WNBA FIT Dribble, Dish and Swish Presented by Pepperidge Farm Flavor Blasted Goldfish, Regional Competition was held on Tuesday, December 27, 2011 at the Lafayette Park Recreation Center in Los Angeles.

Dribble, Dish & Swish is based on completing a series of routines in the fastest time. It begins with making a lay-up, then a shot from the foul line. After those shots are made (or missed after three attempts), the player dribbles the ball, weaving through a set of cones, and passes the ball to a coach, who throws it back. The player then resumes dribbling through the cones for a final lay-up.



There were three Calexico youths who participated in this event and they performed very well. The winners received an event t-shirt and were presented with a regional award plaque. Their families were also guests at the Staples Center and all first place winners were introduced and recognized on the court during half-time of the Lakers' game against the Utah Jazz.

- Gael Gonzalez: 1st Place in the 7 & 8 year old boys division.
- Monique Carrasco: 1st Place in the 9 & 10 year old girls division.
- Mathew Piña: 2nd Place in the 9 & 10 year old boys division.

The first place winners regional times will be compared to the other 8 regional competitions. The two Regional Competition Champions nationwide with the fastest final time in each age and gender group will be invited to the National Finals, which will be held in Orlando, Florida in February.

### Recreation Commission

Pat Ureña, Chair  
Ricardo Ortega, Vice-Chair  
Estelita Castañeda  
Yolanda Bernal  
Manny Hernandez

Community Services  
Director: Sandra Tauler

The Recreation Commission meets the third Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall 608 Heber Ave. Calexico, CA

Good luck!! to Gael and Monique while they wait to see if their times are good enough to advance to Nationals.


# JANUARY 2012



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 City Offices CLOSED	3	4	5 Seniors Rosca De Reyes (Rec.) 	6 CLOSED	7
8	9 Special Arts Comm. Mtg.	10	11 Special Lib. Board Mtg.	12	13 CLOSED	14
15	16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day CLOSED 	17	18 Rec. Comm. Mtg.	19	20 CLOSED	21
22	23 Book Club @6:15p.m.	24 Author Visit & Signing @CML "Maresa's Castle"	25 Pajama Party RIF	26 Black & White Art Reception @CAC	27 CLOSED	28
3rd Annual Black & White Art Exhibit @CAC						
29	30	31	 Free Meals Daily 3-4p.m. 0-18 yrs old			

# FEBRUARY 2012



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3 CLOSED	4
5	6 Arts Comm. Mtg.	7	8	9	10 Valentine's Day Dinner Dance (Rec.) 	11 CLOSED
12	13	14 Valentine's Day 	15 Rec. Comm. Mtg.	16	17 Clx. Chamber Mardi Gras Mixer 	18 CLOSED
19	20 President's Day CLOSED 	21	22 Library Board Mtg.	23	24 CLOSED	25 Annual Daddy-Daughter Dance (Rec)
26	27	28	29			