



Robert J. Kleberg Public Library

Newsletter

Happenings @ Your Library

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LIBRARY HOURS:

Tuesday-Friday:
8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Saturday:
9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Closed Sunday & Monday

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IMPORTANT DATES

February:

**01 – Library Resource
Presentation with the Retired
Teachers Association**

**27 – Book signing with Alfredo
E. Cardenas, 10 a.m.-12 noon**

**Toddler Storytime every
Thursday at 9:30 a.m.**

Author Book Signing



On Saturday, February 27, 2016, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, the library will host a book signing with Mr. Alfredo E. Cardenas, author of the historical novel *Balo's War: A Novel about the Plan of San Diego*. In *Balo's War*, Mr. Cardenas gives readers a glimpse into South Texas history in the early 20th century. To escape the turmoil of the Mexican

Revolution, citizens from Mexico came to the United States, but struggled to retain their culture and history. Join us for this FREE event and learn more about this fascinating piece of South Texas history.

Blind Date with a Book

Not all blind dates are bad experiences. During the month of February, the library is featuring a selection of books that are completely wrapped. Patrons check out a book based on the clues listed on the wrap. After the "blind date," each patron will have an opportunity to "Rate Your Date." For local schools, the library will supply students with a list of eBooks with only a QR code and a link, so the students can access each of these selections in the library's digital collection. The "blind date" selections cover a variety of genres. February is the season to fall in love with a new read or reignite passion for an old favorite.



Featured Service: PROCTORING

The Library offers proctoring services for students enrolled in distance learning or online courses. To utilize this service, a patron calls the library to schedule a proctoring session. The student is responsible for making all necessary arrangements with the school. On the day of the proctoring session, the patron presents a valid picture I.D. and pays a \$5.00 non-refundable session fee. Once the student completes the test, if the test results need to be faxed to the institution, the student is responsible for applicable faxing fees. If the results need to be mailed and the institution did not provide a postage-paid envelope, the student must provide a postage-paid envelope. Call the library for more information or to schedule a proctoring session.