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Library Card Sign-Up Month

During the month of January new library cardholders can get two cards for the price of one. And best of all, the price is FREE. While supplies last, new customers will receive a wallet-sized calendar card to help celebrate Library Card Sign-up Month. The 2007 calendar should come in handy for keeping track of when books are due back at the library.

Library card holders have access to thousands of books, books on tape/cd, classic movies and educational videos and DVDs, magazines and newspapers. More than 140 computers are available for public Internet use and word processing at libraries throughout the county. Small group computer classes are offered at many libraries. ReadingWorks Adult Literacy students and tutors meet at libraries to help people improve their reading and writing skills.

The library is also a wonderful place for children to learn and explore. All branches of the Stanislaus County Library offer weekly StoryTimes and special children's programs. Students can find reliable information at the library, in print and through premium online services. College-bound students will find information on colleges, scholarships and financial aid, as well as a video collection of 124 top-rated colleges.

At www.stanislauslibrary.org customers can search the library catalog and access their library card accounts, chat with a reference librarian 24 hours a day and apply for a library card online. Through premium online services, available only to library cardholders, customers can search from home and find magazine articles, car repair manuals for specific makes and models, biographies, position papers and literary essays about authors and their works.

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