



STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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Derique featured at libraries

Friends of the Library present unique performances by Derique, Saturday, Jan. 5, at libraries in Modesto and Salida. He will perform at the Modesto Library at 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., with free tickets available one hour before each show. A 3 p.m. performance will be offered at the Nick W. Blom Salida Regional Library.

Derique performs hambone, the art of body percussion. Children will learn about how this art form was created by African slaves, who were forbidden to use drums for fear that secret codes were hidden in the drumming.

This fun program also provides an opportunity for children to learn appropriate social skills for a live performance. Programs are sponsored by Friends of the Modesto Library and Friends of the Salida Library respectively.

For more information, please call the Modesto Library Children's Desk at 558-7810 or the Nick W. Blom Salida Regional Library 543-7315.

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