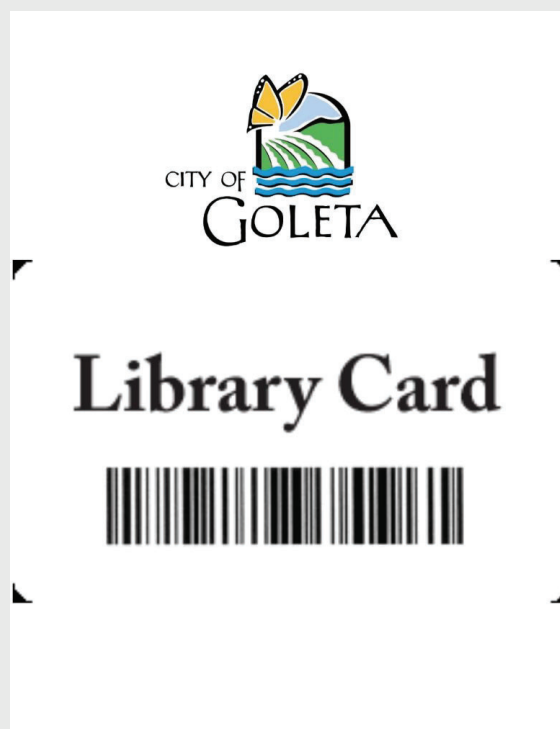


The background of the entire page is a photograph of several thin, dark brown branches of a flowering plant. The branches are adorned with numerous bright yellow flowers, some in full bloom and others as small buds. The flowers are scattered across the frame, with a notable cluster in the upper center and another in the lower left. The overall composition is light and airy, with a white background.

# GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2018/2019

The Goleta Valley Library Service Population is 95,202.  
At the end of June 2019, there were 10,103 registered library  
card holders.



The operating expenditures for FY18/19 were \$1,464,164

The Library was open 55 hours each week

The total open hours for the year was 15,437

261,316 people visited the Library during that time



10.88 FTE Staff members helped the more than a quarter of a million visitors fulfill their library needs



Library staff answered 21,736 reference questions



At the end of June 2019, the GVL held 116,315 physical volumes

6,472 audiovisual items were owned

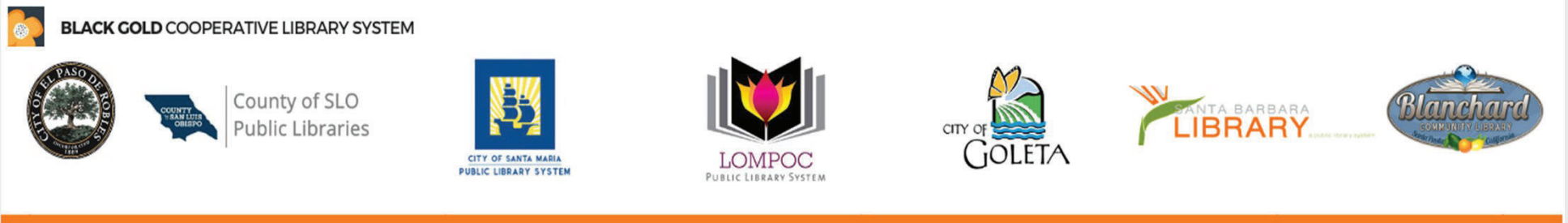
13,725 DVD's were in the collection



The total physical item circulation for FY 18/19 was  
605,935!



210,700 e-books were owned jointly through the  
Black Gold Cooperative Library System




17,390 e-audio items were in the collection

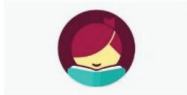
29,087 downloadable video materials were in the collection


The total circulation of electronic materials by GVL patrons for FY 18/19 was 75,610


**Take Goleta Library  
On The Go!**

**WE OFFER SEVERAL ONLINE  
LIBRARY SERVICES!**

  
**OverDrive**  
OVERDRIVE  
EBOOKS AND  
AUDIOBOOKS ON YOUR  
DESKTOP OR PHONE!

  
**LIBBY**  
MOBILE BOOK APP  
FROM THE MAKERS  
OF OVERDRIVE!

  
**rb digital**  
RB DIGITAL  
DOWNLOAD YOUR  
FAVORITE MAGAZINES  
TO YOUR COMPUTER!

  
**hoopla**  
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MOVIES, EBOOKS,  
AUDIOBOOKS, AND  
COMICS!

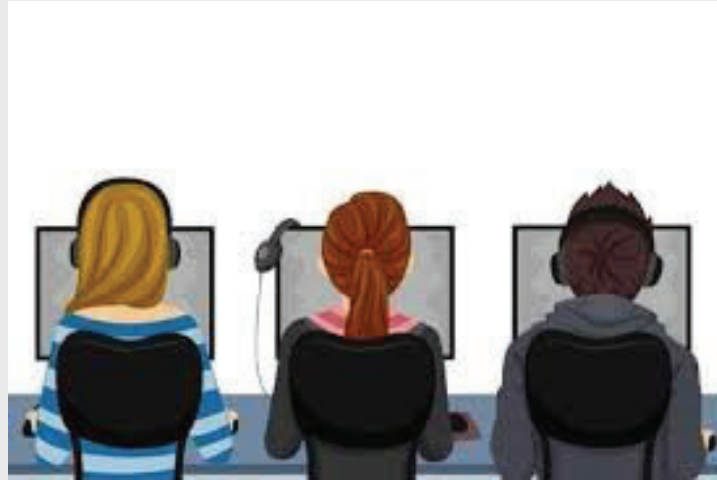
**Sign Up with your Library Card  
TODAY!**

Goleta Library 500 N. Fairview Ave (805) 964-7878

GVL patrons borrowed 67,913 items from other Black Gold libraries.

GVL sent 49,705 items to other Black Gold library patrons





18,587 people used public Internet computers

25,793 patrons made use of our free Wireless access to the Internet

50,891 visits were made to the Goleta Valley Library website

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Goleta Valley Library website. At the top left is the City of Goleta logo, and to its right is the text "GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY". Further right are links for "City of Goleta | About Us | Contact Us" and a "Select Language" dropdown menu. Below this is a dark blue navigation bar with icons and text for "Catalog", "e-Library", "Information", "I Want To...", "Youth", and a "Search..." field. Underneath the navigation bar are five light blue boxes with icons and text: "BLACK GOLD", "ONLINE RESEARCH", "STAFF PICKS", "VIEW MY ACCOUNT", and "SANTA YNEZ VALLEY LOCATIONS". The main content area features a large photo of a woman and a child reading together. Below the photo is the text "Free Tutoring at the Library in Person or Online" and a link to "Click here to access the online tutoring program Brainfuse HelpNow". To the right of the photo is a vertical bar with yellow, pink, light blue, and black segments. Further right is an "EVENTS CALENDAR" section with a list of events: "Buellton Bookworms Book Club" (Nov 15), "USA Learns Introduction/Sign-Up" (Nov 15), "Tech Tutoring" (Nov 16), "Family Place Workshop" (Nov 16), "Dungeons & Dragons - Solvang" (Nov 16), and "Coding Club: 3-D Printing with Tinkercad - Solvang" (Nov 16). A "VIEW ALL EVENTS" link is at the bottom of the calendar.

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GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY

Select Language

Home Catalog e-Library Information I Want To... Youth Search...

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VIEW ALL EVENTS



432 Children's & Teen's Programs were conducted with a total attendance of 16,289

# 204 Adult programs were held which attracted 5,164 participants

GOOD FILL, GOOD BOOKS, GOOD PRESS

**ADULT BOOK BINGO**

Sunday March 10th  
3:30-4:30PM

Goleta Valley Library  
500 N Fairview Ave  
(805)964-7878

All library programs are free and open to the public.

**OCEAN COUNTRY Book Discussion**

Wed, March 20th  
5:30-6:30 pm

Join us at the Goleta Valley Library for a lively discussion on the compelling book "Ocean Country" by Nancy Cunningham.

Pick-up a FREE copy at the library!

THE HEART OF LIFE IS INTERCONNECTION. INDIVIDUALLY WE STRUGGLE. WE NEED EACH OTHER TO SURVIVE.

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**Free Employment Workshop**  
at the Goleta Library

**MONDAY, OCT. 8TH 12-6PM**

OPEN TO JOB SEEKERS OF ALL AGES AND ABILITIES

Space is limited (No registration required)  
Bring your lunch (No formal lunch break)

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**GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY MYSTERY BOOK CLUB**

Book Discussed: *Mr. Penumbra's 24-Hour Bookstore* A Novel by Robin Sloan

**BY: ROBIN SLOAN**

**TUESDAY FEBRUARY 26TH 5:30-6:30PM**

GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY 805-964-7878

**GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY Love Meditation with love art and love field**

Embody Love  
Share love  
Feel love

Mondays in January and February:  
1/7, 1/14, 1/28, 2/4, 2/11, 2/25  
2:30pm to 3:30pm  
Goleta Multipurpose Room

Love melts all blockages & Transforms all life

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**GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY CELEBRATION OF MIND**

SATURDAY OCTOBER 20TH 2PM-4PM

COME SOLVE PUZZLES, PLAY WITH SHAPES, AND EXPLORE MATHEMATICS IN WAYS INSPIRED BY MARTIN GARDNER'S LEGACY

Co-sponsored by SB Family School  
500 N Fairview Avenue, Goleta, CA 93117  
(805) 964-7878  
goletavalleylibrary@cityofgoleta.org

## Welcome to DyslexiaLand, Population 1 in 5



Local expert Cherie Rae will provide resources about the early indicators of dyslexia, how to support dyslexic strengths and what parents can do to help their children reach their full potential.



Goleta Valley Library is pleased to host this first in a series of monthly Dyslexia Dialogues on

Sunday, September 30, from 2 - 4 pm



**GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY TECH TUTORING**

Bring your laptop, tablet or smartphone for personalized assistance

**DROP-IN ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE:**

WEDNESDAYS 3:30 - 5:30  
THURSDAYS 4:30 - 6:30  
SATURDAYS 10-3

CITY OF GOLETA

**Book Club**

The Next Chapter is Always the Best.

**Free Movie Screening**  
at the Goleta Valley Library

Admit One

**Date: Thurs. Oct 18th**  
**Time: 2:00pm**

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**Goleta Valley Library**

**Come Write in! NaNoWriMo**

Have a story you've been itching to write? Come use our quiet room to write your novel in November!

November 1st, 8th, 15th, & 29th  
5 pm to 6:30 pm

This is an independent event managed by a community partner. The NaNoWriMo name and logo are used by special permission.

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**ADULT WINTER READING PROGRAM**

JAN 2 - FEB 28

NEW YEAR, NEW YOU!

JOIN US AND PARTICIPATE IN THE SIXTH ANNUAL ADULT WINTER READING PROGRAM.

TO PARTICIPATE, READ OR LISTEN TO AT LEAST ONE BOOK AND COMPLETE A RAFFLE TICKET AT THE CIRCULATION DESK AT THE GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY FOR A CHANCE AT A FABULOUS PRIZE DONATED BY A GENEROUS GOLETA VALLEY LIBRARY SUPPORTER.

CITY OF GOLETA

27 Outreach programs attracted 2,736 participants

Altogether, the GVL held 636 programs with a total participation of 21,453 people!



**We are hoping for an even more  
successful 2019/2020 Fiscal Year!**

