

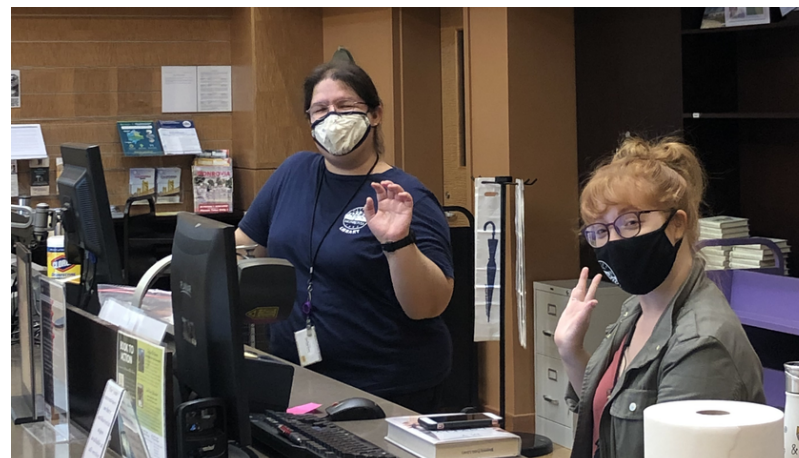
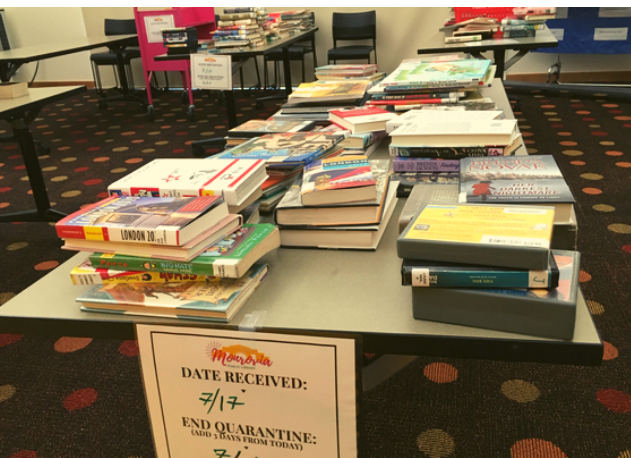
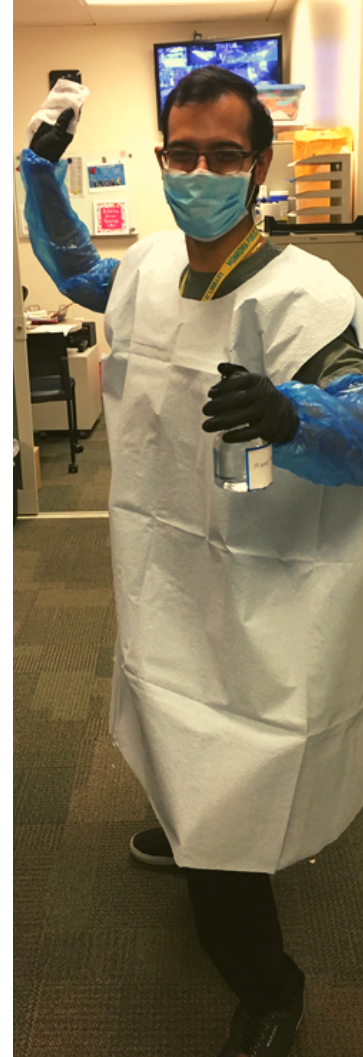
MONROVIA PUBLIC LIBRARY

# **LIBRARY SERVICES DURING COVID**

MONROVIA CITY COUNCIL  
FEBRUARY 16, 2021

# Protections for staff & the community

- temperature check & Covid screening when onsite
- PPE for staff, including masks, gloves, hand sanitizer, and cleaning supplies to wipe down workstations
- physical distancing of staff, with staggered schedules to limit the total number of people onsite at a time
- returned materials quarantined for 5 days, based on national research of how long Covid lasts on surfaces
- glass shields installed in November 2020 on service desks, public computer stations, and in the Friends bookstore







# Curbside Pickup Service

**24,195**

items borrowed from July 6, 2020 - Feb. 7, 2021

**7,226**

patrons assisted

**342**

e-cards created

# Digital Resources

63,417 catalog searches

16,908 ebooks borrowed

8,863 e-resources sessions

## e-Resources include:

**HelpNow** – online tutoring for K-12 & college students (available in both English & Spanish)

**JobNow/VetNow** – career resource site with LIVE resume & interviewing skills support

**Tumblebooks** – interactive ebooks for kids and teens

**Monrovia Legacy Project Online Collection** – local history photos, books, and documents



# Literacy

222 virtual programs  
1,249 participants  
1,296.5 volunteer hours

# Veterans

93 Zoom meetings or calls with  
volunteers  
31 virtual veteran interactions  
133 remote trainings and webinars



# 30,933

views of our virtual programming,  
including online storytimes, craft, STEM,  
and other videos on social media &  
YouTube



# 4 holiday programs *with* 286 attendees!

Holiday Sounds Concert via Zoom  
Santa Storytime  
Ms. Claus Zoom Storytime  
Noon Year's Eve Storytime







Partnered with Recreation on...

**18 storytimes**

*watched*

**740 times!**

Comfy Camping – Summer 2020

Spooktacular Halloween

Family Adventure – Fall 2020

Winter Wonderland – Winter 2020



# Upcoming Virtual Programming

## *Ongoing*

Storytime - Mondays & Fridays at 11 am on YouTube

Craft Corner - alternating Wednesdays at 11 am on YouTube

Science at Home - alternating Wednesdays at 11 am on YouTube

LIVE Virtual Reference - Saturdays from 2-3 pm on Zoom

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) Meeting - 1st Monday of the month on Zoom

Instagram Trivia - 1st Friday of the month on Instagram

## *Special Events*

Zoom Club for Kids - March 17, April 21, & May 19 at 4 pm on Zoom

Digital Storytelling Workshops - March 27, April 21, & April 24

Book to Action: Sustainability events April 21 - May 21