

# CAÑADA COLLEGE LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

Get Out the Vote Edition

## Election Day is November 6th

### WHERE TO DROP OFF YOUR BALLOT, WHEN TO BE SURE TO MAIL IT IN

Registered voters in San Mateo County are now vote-by-mail voters, so you should have received your ballot in the mail.

Every voter receives a booklet outlining local measures and statewide propositions, but you can also read your local measures in full on the San Mateo County Elections Office website (<https://www.smcacre.org/post/november-6-2018>).

The booklet and the website includes arguments in favor of and against each measure and a neutral analysis.

#### What do you do with your ballot after you've done your voter's homework and filled it out?

You can mail it in as long as it is postmarked on or before November 6.

You can drop your ballot off at a voting center in your town. In Redwood City has four locations including the County Elections office and the Fair Oaks Community Center. Find your ballot drop-off location at <https://www.smcacre.org/vote/all/centers>



## Why this election matters

Although we're not voting for president in Tuesday's election, we will be voting for governor and most high state offices like treasurer and attorney general. We are also voting for one senator and 53 congressional representatives. With 435 representatives in all, Californians elect more than one-tenth of the U.S. Congress. That's a lot of clout.

# Chocolate Caliente

at Cañada College Library

Monday November, 5th

12pm-2pm

Come join us for hot chocolate and pan dulce in front of the Library.

Browse our new books!



Enter a raffle to win a prize!

Questions? Contact Valeria Estrada at [estrada@smccd.edu](mailto:estrada@smccd.edu)



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# Food for Fines

Cañada College Library



**November – December 14**

Have overdue library fines? Donate nonperishable, non-expired, food items to make those fines disappear!

## **Recommended Items Include**

- Canned tuna, chicken or salmon
- Peanut butter
- Meals in a can (soup, stew, chili)
- Low-sodium canned vegetables
- Canned fruit in its own juice or water
- Olive or canola oil
- Spices
- Canned foods with pop-top lids
- Low-sugar whole grain cereals
- Healthy snacks

Please avoid items packed in glass. No candy or sugar-sweetened drinks.

# GET INFORMED ON POLITICAL TOPICS WITH CQ RESEARCHER

CQ Researcher started as a quarterly publication for legislatures and their staff to get information on current topics (CQ stands for Congressional Quarterly). Check out CQ Researcher for in-depth reports, statistics, pro and con arguments, and much more! To see what a report can offer, check out their report on Election Security and Voting Rights.

## Election Security and Voting Rights

October 12, 2018 - Volume 28, Issue 36

Is the ballot box safe from manipulation?

By Tom Price



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### Introduction



In the wake of Russian interference in the 2016 presidential election, experts warn that many states continue to rely on outdated voting machines and online networks that are highly vulnerable to hacking. Those warnings coincide with fresh evidence that Russia is working to sow discord and confusion among U.S. voters ahead of the high-stakes November midterms. Congress approved \$380 million this year to help states upgrade and protect their election systems, but state officials say far more is needed. Many experts say wider use of paper ballots would help prevent election mistakes and tampering, but others say paper records are still susceptible to human error. Some Republican-controlled states, meanwhile, have adopted photo ID requirements and other rules that they say protect election integrity by reducing voter fraud. But voting-rights advocates argue that such fraud is extremely rare and that the rules are designed to suppress voting among minorities and other groups that typically support Democrats.

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## Kanopy Recommendations for Native American Heritage Month



### Reel Injun: On the Trail of the Hollywood "Indian"

"Reel Injun takes an entertaining and insightful look at the Hollywood Indian, exploring the portrayal of North American Natives through the history of cinema.

Travelling through the heartland of America, Cree filmmaker Neil Diamond looks at how the myth of 'the Injun' has influenced the world's understanding - and misunderstanding - of Natives."



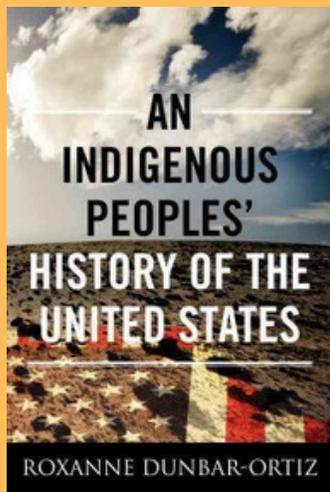
### Rumble: The Indians Who Rocked the World

"This revelatory documentary brings to light the profound and overlooked influence of Indigenous people on popular music in North America. Focusing on music icons like Link Wray, Jimi Hendrix, Buffy Sainte-Marie, Taboo (The Black Eyed Peas), Charley Patton, Mildred Bailey, Jesse Ed Davis, Robbie Robertson, and Randy Castillo, RUMBLE: The Indians Who Rocked the World shows how these pioneering Native American musicians helped shape the soundtracks of our lives."

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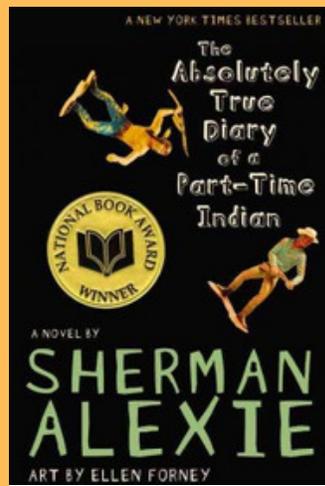
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Why not check out a book  
and check out some culture?



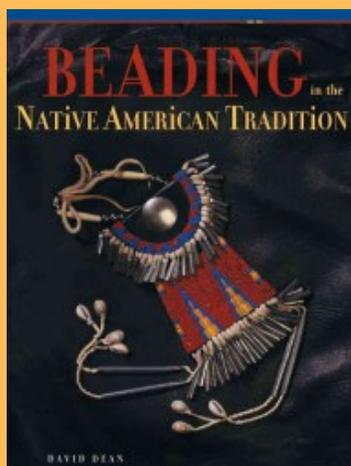
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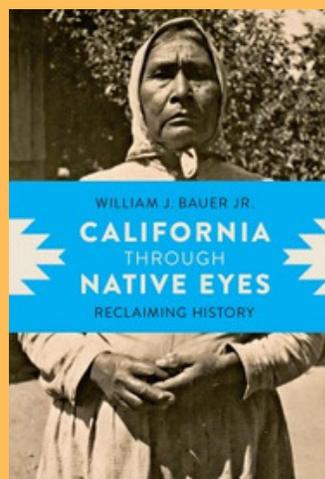
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