



NEWS RELEASE
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Movie Night at the Library on September 3

The Santa Maria Public Library is pleased to screen the movie *Rescue Dawn*, which is rated PG-13. The film will be shown at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 3, 2014 in Shepard Hall, with a discussion to follow.

As a part of the California Reads program, the Library is screening this dramatic action thriller, starring Christian Bale, about a United States fighter pilot's epic struggle of survival after being shot down on a mission over Laos during the Vietnam War. He is taken captive by the enemy and forced to endure time in a Vietnamese prison camp. The movie is based on a true story.

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Seating is limited and is offered on a first come, first served basis.

The Santa Maria Public Library is open Monday through Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., and Friday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The Library is closed on Sunday.

Questions may be directed to the Reference Office at 925-0994 ext. 827.

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