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## 2016-2017 Calendar of Events

9/22/16 PARC in the Park: Mindfulness Training with Linda Uribe-DeCou and Dawn Gonzalez, Location: Hillsborough Park, Roseville

10/20/16 Literacy and Technology with Christina Bartell and Brandon Blom, Location: Stoneridge Elementary School, RCSD

10/22/16 SARA Conference, Location: Del Dayo Elementary [www.readsacramento.org](http://www.readsacramento.org)

11/4-5/16 CRA State Reading Conference/PDI, Location: Visalia, CA [www.californiareads.org](http://www.californiareads.org)

12/8/16 CYRM Book Talk and Tea, Location: Joanne Devine's Residence

1/26/17 Literacy and Social Studies with Nancy Rogers Zegara, Location: Diamond Creek Elementary School, RCSD

2/23/17 Differentiation with Guided Reading with Judy Lynch, Location: Creekview Ranch School, DCJESD

3/23/17 Young Authors' Celebration, Location: Excelsior Elementary School, EUSD

4/20/17 Seeds of Literacy Banquet: Honoring Placer Area Teachers, Location: Sierra View Country Club

5/4/17 Literacy and Science with Lori Lewis, Joanne Ligamari, and Kathy Goodwin, Location: TBD

(Watch for more info on all of the above  
at [www.placerareareadingcouncil.org](http://www.placerareareadingcouncil.org))

### 2016-2017 PARC Planning Meetings

*All are invited!*

*Second Monday of every month*

Location: Raley's Community Meeting Room

1915 Douglas Blvd. Roseville, CA

4:30 to 6:00



## Placer Area Reading Council

*Planting the seeds of  
literacy from the valley to  
the foothills.*

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## Why Join Placer Area

### Reading Council?

Placer Area Reading Council (PARC) is a professional organization affiliated with the California Reading Association ([www.californiareads.org](http://www.californiareads.org)) and the International Literacy Association ([www.literacyworldwide.org](http://www.literacyworldwide.org)).

We are composed of teachers, administrators, parents, librarians, paraprofessionals, students and others interested in promoting literacy.

#### Membership Benefits:

- Automatic membership in the California Reading Association(CRA)
- Discounts on all CRA conferences and publications and PARC sponsored professional development events
- Email notification of meetings, workshops, conferences and PARC Newsletters
- Staff development with professional growth opportunities
- Involvement in a network of colleagues and community members interested in the promotion of literacy
- Special prizes, drawings, grants and awards

#### Check us out at

[www.placerareareadingcouncil.org](http://www.placerareareadingcouncil.org)

#### “Like” us on Facebook

Placer Area Reading Council

### PARC Mission Statement

PARC seeks to foster the love of reading, and improve the teaching of writing at all educational levels by providing informative meetings and professional development; recognizing the efforts of local educators, students, and community members; and promoting mutual understanding and cooperative efforts among teachers, administrators, parents and the community.

### International Literacy Association

The Placer Area Reading Council is affiliated with the International Literacy Association (ILA).

This association is a professional membership organization dedicated to promoting high levels of literacy for all by improving the quality of reading instruction, disseminating research and information about reading, and encouraging the lifetime reading habit.

Members include classroom teachers, reading specialists, consultants, administrators, supervisors, university faculty, researchers, psychologists, librarians, media specialists, and parents.

ILA publishes the highly acclaimed **Reading Teacher** and **Reading Today**.

### Placer Area Reading Council

#### 2016-2017 Membership Application

Please tear off this portion and mail with your appropriate membership dues (payable to PARC)

c/o Debi Pitta 1768 Stone Canyon Dr., Roseville, CA 95661

A PARC membership automatically makes you a member of CRA and both are valid for 12 months from the date of the application.

\_\_\_\_\_ \$40.00

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 Student, BTSA, Retired Teacher Discount

NAME (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ Grade level \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_