The Trivia Bee is a fun-filled event designed to promote awareness about literacy and to raise funds in support of Butte County Library Literacy Services.

Teams of three members compete by answering questions contributed by some of our community’s finest experts—Butte County Librarians and Library Staff!

Funds raised will be used to provide learning materials, resources, and support for adults and children in our community working to improve their basic reading and writing skills.

The Buzz...

Each team consists of three members. Teams are given 20 seconds after each question to confer and write down their final answer. One point is given for each correct answer; there are no penalties for wrong answers. There are three rounds, and each new round starts at zero. The Qualifying Round consists of 30 questions. The ten teams with the highest score will compete in the Semi-final Round of 15 questions. The Final Round for the top five teams will have a total of 7 questions. In the event of a tie, a “Sudden Death” tie-breaker will take place.

It’s as simple and fun as that! Please join us for great food and good cheer—all surrounding a bit of friendly competition as you show off your gray matter and flex your trivia muscle!

2011 Winning Team...

‘Da Bookies (Sponsored by Teacher’s Book Connection)

2010: Three Men & No Baby
2009 & 2008: Butte County D.A.’s Office
2007: ‘Da Bookies

Trivia Question Sampler:

1. What is the nautical term for the left side of a sailboat?
2. According to mythology, who is said to support the world on his shoulders?
3. The Statue of Liberty holds the torch in which hand?
4. What is the longest river in the United States?
5. What Zodiac sign begins and ends with the same letter?
6. What term refers to the lowest possible temperature?
7. Name a planet in our solar system that has no moon.
8. What are the names of the two lions that sit in front of the New York Public Library?
The heart of Butte County Library Literacy Services is the Adult Reading Program. Adults interested in improving their basic reading and writing skills are matched with trained volunteers from the community. Pairs work towards the adult learner’s goals which may range from getting a better job to being able to read a bedtime story to his/her child. Additional activities and support are provided to parents who are improving their skills with the intention of being able to help their children. These include special family gatherings and gifts of engaging children’s books to help develop home libraries.

Team Sponsor Team up a couple pals to represent you, your business, your organization, or sponsor a team to play on your behalf*. $300

Spectator Cheer on your favorite team! Includes delicious food, entry into the event, and an opportunity to play along in the audience—matching wits with the competing teams! $25

Donor Contribute a gift basket, art, wine, services, or other tantalizing treats to be raffled the evening of the event. Your generosity will be highlighted and appreciated!

*All team sponsorships include one ticket per team member. Team member entry includes a limited-edition souvenir, delectable food and a chance at the Championship!

Thank You! Your much appreciated contribution(s) will provide valuable support ranging from adult learning materials and workbooks, eyeglasses, and learning evaluations, to learner and tutor workshops, fields trips and many other worthwhile offerings. You’re also helping in a BIG way to meet the demand for children’s books for kids to choose and take home and keep for their very own.

Questions? We have answers! Call 530 538-7198 or email triviabeeforliteracy@gmail.com

Okay! Buzz Me In!

Enclosed is my sponsorship for
- Biggie Bee Sponsor / $2,500
- Honey Bee Sponsor / $1,000
- Bumble Bee Sponsor / $500
- Team Sponsor / $300
- Spectator / $25

I can’t participate, but have enclosed a donation of $________________________

Please contact me:
- I have a raffle/auction item to donate.
- I have an idea about how I can help with this important event.

Your Name: ___________________________________________
Address: _____________________________________________
Phone:______________________ Fax:_____________________
Email: _____________________________________________

Team Information

Team Name: ________________________________

Team Members
1) _______________________________________
2) _______________________________________
3) _______________________________________

(Please copy this form for additional team registrations)

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We are Butte County Library Literacy Services

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It’s never too early to learn! Services to K-6th graders in the Oroville area are provided through one-on-one tutoring at the library. Kids meet regularly with volunteer tutors to work on reading, writing, homework, and fun activities that encourage learning.

The Literacy Coach brings story times, art activities, and children’s books to little ones under 5 and their families throughout the County who may not have access to the wonders of the library due to geographic, economic, transportation, or language barriers.

In collaboration with the Library’s Children’s Services, Literacy Services provides delightfully engaging Library Playtimes and Babies Love Books programs in the branches for our community’s youngest members, those under 3 years!

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