

Bookstore Buzz November 2009

Bookstore Hours

Santa Rosa Campus:
Mon, Tues: 8am-7pm
Wed, Thurs: 8am-5:30pm
Fri: 8:30am-3:45pm
Closed Sat and Sun

Petaluma Campus:
Mon, Tues: 9am-7pm
Wed, Thurs: 9am-5:30pm
Fri: 9:30am-3:45pm
Closed Sat and Sun

Please Note: Thursday
November 10th is PDA Day
Store hours will be 8:00
A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Also, both
Bookstores will be closed
Wednesday, November 25.

Bookstore Bites:

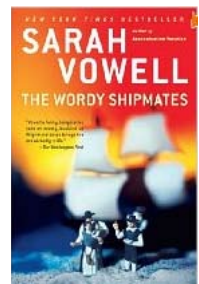
Bookstore welcomes new Petaluma Bookstore Manager!

The Bookstore is thrilled to welcome **Rachel Minor as our new Petaluma Bookstore Manager**. Rachel will oversee the day-to-day operations of the Petaluma Bookstore and we are very lucky to have her joining our team. Having been the general manager for the popular Riley Street Art Supplies stores in Santa Rosa and San Rafael prior to coming to us, Rachel brings a great deal of retail experience and proven management excellence. Stop by and say hello to the newest face at the Bookstore!

The monthly newsletter of the Santa Rosa Junior College Bookstore

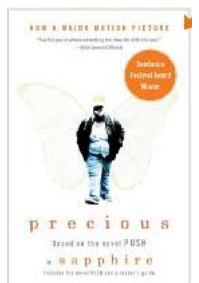
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November's Featured Books:



The Wordy Shipmates by Sarah Vowell
Essayist and public radio regular Vowell revisits America's Puritan roots in this witty exploration of the ways in which our country's present predicaments are inextricably tied to its past,

tracing the 1630 journey of several key English colonists and members of the Massachusetts Bay Colony. Gracefully interspersing her history lesson with personal anecdotes, Vowell offers reflections that are both amusing (colonial history lesson via The Brady Bunch) and tender.



Precious by Sapphire

Claireece Precious Jones endures unimaginable hardships in her young life. Abused by her mother, raped by her father, she grows up poor, angry, illiterate, fat, unloved and generally unnoticed.

So what better way to learn about her than through her own, halting dialect. An intense story of adversity and the mechanisms to cope with it.

Bookstore supports Free Ride program

Santa Rosa Bookstore employees **Megan Lowry-Reed** and **Mary Sandberg** are doing their part to "spare the air". They are members of the Santa Rosa Free Ride program. Through incentives (such as movie passes, discounted bus passes, and more) to walk, carpool, use public transportation, or bicycle to work, the Free Ride program is designed to improve air quality by reducing the pollution caused when people drive to work alone. Also included is a guaranteed free ride in a taxi, in the event of an emergency. If you are interested in learning more, contact Steve Donica at District Police or visit <http://www.santarosafreeride.org>.

Bookstore Holiday Open House set for Dec 8 and 9.



Save the date! Include the Bookstore's Annual Holiday Open House on your calendar! This festive event is always a lot of fun; featuring live music, store-wide discounts, raffles, refreshments, and other holiday cheer.

All the fun takes place at the **Santa Rosa store on Tuesday, December 8 from 11am-2pm and at the Petaluma store on Wednesday, December 9 from 11am-1pm**. What a great time to come meet the newest member of our team (see story at right) or experience our new technology (see story below)!

New registers at Santa Rosa store promise improved shopping experience

The Bookstore is excited to announce the installation of new POS (Point of Service) registers at the Santa Rosa store. These new, state-of-the-art touch screen terminals offer far greater (and faster) performance, which speeds up our busy customer's wait and transaction processing time. We are continually looking for ways to improve the shopping experience of our customers, and we are delighted at the efficiency our new equipment will provide.



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