New Faces at the Library Nancy Schram, Deputy Director of Ventura County Library announces the appointment of new librarians for Ventura



"We are pleased to announce the appointment of Molly Krill as the new Librarian at the Avenue and Saticoy Libraries

Molly's first day in her new position was March 20, 2017. Molly shared the following information about her new position and to introduce herself to Library Staff:

"I am so excited to join this incredible organization. One of my first jobs as a teenager was as a page at the Ojai Library. After college and work for several years as an English teacher in Japan, I returned to the Ojai Library as a library tech. Kit Willis, now retired from Ojai Library, is my friend and mentor and the person who encouraged me to pursue my library science degree at UCLA. While at UCLA, I worked for the California Center for the Book, UCLA's Rosenfeld Library, and the 20th Century Fox Research Library. Since graduating in 2001, I have been the Director of Libraries at Cate School in Carpinteria, and last fall I started as adjunct faculty at Ventura College and Santa Barbara City College.

My husband, Nick, and I grew up in Ojai, and Nick's mom, Abby Schlesinger, was also an Ojai librarian. Nick and I recently moved to Oxnard with our two little ones, Zoe (10) and Niko (6). We love hanging out with our kids, going for hikes, playing at the beach, and doing lots of arts and crafts. I have hoped for many years to return to the Ventura County Library System, and I am truly honored to have the opportunity to work at the Avenue and Saticoy branches. I can't wait to meet you all!"

Please join us in welcoming Molly to her new position!"



We are pleased to announce that

Irma Morales

has been appointed the new

Senior City Librarian at the E.P. Foster Library.

Irma's first day in her new position was April 24, 2017. In her new role, Irma will oversee the Foster Library and the other libraries in the Ventura Region. She will also be a member of the Library's Management Team.

Irma has worked for the City of Orange library system for 18 years. When asked to provide a brief bio to introduce herself, Irma says:

"I began my career in libraries as an intern through Santa Ana College's' Library Technology Program. I began officially as a library assistant in the Children's division and worked at both of the branches as a librarian. I then became a branch manager for 4 years and later was promoted to run our Adult &Branch Services division. I have come full circle back to the Children's and Teen division where I began as a library assistant and was the senior manager in this division.

I attended U.C. Irvine for my undergraduate work and San Josè State for my MLIS. I enjoy genealogy research and have been researching my family's history for about 15 years. I am a lifelong baseball fan and enjoy traveling--- I have traveled to Panama and seen the Panama Canal. I also traveled to Dutch Harbor in the Aleutian Islands to visit my brother and his family. (My love of travel and maps comes from my days working at the Automobile Club of So. Calif before I began working in the library.)

I am excited about beginning a new stage in my career at Ventura County Library System."