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Meet the Robot Generation at Moreno Valley's Main Library

Moreno Valley – Have you ever met a robot and the humans who maintain and control them? The Robotics Club from Moreno Valley High School will bring their mechanical units to the Moreno Valley Public Library. After a quick introduction, the teen robot overlords will demonstrate multiple activities, such as robo-bowling, robot programming, and you'll even get the chance to drive a robot car!

The Robotics Club will host robotics during Discovery Club once a month on the following dates:

- 4 p.m., Tuesday, February 25
- 4 p.m., Tuesday, March 18
- 4 p.m., Tuesday, April 22
- 4 p.m., Tuesday, May 27

The Moreno Valley Public Library offers weekly Discovery Club sessions for "tweens" and middle schoolers to explore creative expressions and navigate new technical methods:

- Iris Plaza Library: Mondays, 4 p.m.
- Main Library: Tuesdays, 4 p.m.
- Moreno Valley Mall: Wednesdays, 5 p.m.

All library events and programs are free and open to the public. Registration is not required.



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For more information about the Moreno Valley Public Library, please visit moval.org/mv-library or email <u>citylibrary@moval-library.org</u>. You can also call the Main Library at 951.413.3880, the Iris Plaza Branch Library at 951.413.3670, and the Mall Branch Library at 951.413.3761.

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About Moreno Valley Public Library

The Moreno Valley Public Library's goal is to provide services that contribute to the educational development and cultural vitality of Moreno Valley. Visitors to the Main Library (25480 Alessandro Blvd., 951.413.3880), the Mall Branch (22500 Town Cir., Suite 2078, 951.413.3761), and the Iris Plaza Branch (16170 Perris Blvd., Suite C3, 951.413.3670) will find both physical and digital books and other materials, public computers, Wi-Fi, veterans' resources, family-friendly special events, and other free activities for all ages. The Library Commission, comprising seven members appointed by the City Council, advises and recommends to the City Council on operations. Library services are operated by Library Systems & Services, LLC. For more information, visit www.moval.org/mv-library.

About Moreno Valley High School Robotics Club

MoVal Robotics, FTC Team #17600, is a team dedicated to helping minority students learn and improve upon new skills in robotics. We recognize the need for STEM opportunities for students to be able to develop skills applicable to STEM fields, especially for minority groups not well represented in the industry. As a team both in a Title I school and in a minority majority community, we aim to fill this gap by providing an environment for students to be able to learn and apply those skills in a collaborative setting. For further information on the club and FTC, reach out to us at <u>movalrobotics@gmail.com</u>.