



MID-VALLEY LITERACY NEWS



SPECIAL CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR "NEW U.S. CITIZENS"

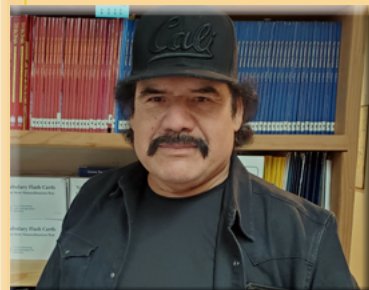


Antonio D. received his "Citizenship" on October 10. Pictured with Antonio is his wife and daughter.

"Congratulations to three students receiving their United States Citizenship in October." We are always proud of our new citizens; this accomplishment is always well deserved... This is a major success as it takes tremendous commitment and a great amount of studying. With special congrats to our students, *all three passed their exam.*

That makes 14 students this year!

A question on the Citizenship exam: There are four (4) amendments to the US Constitution about who can vote, describe one of them. Do you know what they are? See answers below.



Juan C. received his "Citizenship" on October 13.

- ◆ Citizens eighteen and older can vote
- ◆ You don't have to pay a poll tax to vote
- ◆ Any citizen can vote (women and men can vote)
- ◆ A male citizen of any race can vote



Pictured left is our student Niki W. and right, MVLC tutor, Theresa L. What a great feeling it was when Niki told us: "The front desk employees always make me feel welcome, tutors are amazing, patient, and take the time with you when you don't understand something."



Pictured above is student Manuel G. Manuel received his **GED** in September. Congratulations Manuel! (His math tutor was Theresa L., pictured at left, far right.)

OUR MISSION

"Empower adults with the literacy skills needed to increase economic stability and overall quality of family life."

What We Do

Mid-Valley Literacy Center (MVLC) is a nonprofit offering adult education in the following areas: English for Speakers of Other Languages, GED, and US Citizenship preparation in English or Spanish, basic Spanish Literacy, computer basics and Pre-CNA (Preparation for Certified Nursing Assistants).

We have trained over 790 volunteer tutors who teach our students in small groups. They have taught over 4,000 adult students in seven counties. Our students have come from 60 countries, speaking more than 30 languages. We also offer the Workplace Literacy Program for businesses; we design the curriculum and teach the employees on their job. The businesses want to help their employees improve their English skills to be more productive on their job and increase their opportunities for advancement.

Hits and Giggles Golf Tournament



There were only 32 people who golfed with us this year but fortunately our net income was higher than last year. Our participants and sponsors help many adults improve



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their English skills or obtain their GED Certificate. Thank you for helping them reach their goals!

In addition, we would like to thank "McNary Golf Course" for their continued support!



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Pat Moss

Golf Tournament Title Sponsor



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"Spotlight on Literacy"
April 26, 2024 at
Roth's in West Salem.

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