

April is National Poetry Month  
Save the Upcoming Dates for Jeff Bettger Events

“Poetry Across Languages”

Sunday, April 6, 2025 2:00-3:30pm (please arrive by 1:45)

The auditorium at the Chula Vista Civic Library, 365 F Street, Chula Vista, CA 91910  
Created by Jeff Bettger. For more information go to [www.PagesAndCanvas.com](http://www.PagesAndCanvas.com)

A free, family-friendly event celebrating poetry composed in different languages. Guest Poets will present their poem in English and then in their native language, such as Spanish, Russian, French, American Sign Language and even the language of Mathematics! Come learn how poetry of different languages is guided by different forms and rules, such as rhyming, meter, syllables, and/or subject matter. This will be a great overview program for both those who are newer to poetry and for those who have enjoyed poetry for many years.

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“Poetic Inspirations: Paintings, Life Events and More.”

The Poems of Jeff Bettger [www.JeffBettgerPoetry.com](http://www.JeffBettgerPoetry.com)

Saturday, April 26, 2025 1:00-1:30pm

The Bonita Museum and Cultural Center, 4355 Bonita Rd, Bonita, CA 91902

From where does the inspiration of a poem originate? In this presentation, Jeff will explain how paintings, photos, life events, and historic forms inspire poetry. Join Jeff for a 30-minute overview of his poetry and a display of the paintings that inspire him. This is a free event.

