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Are You Ready, Set, Connected?

On September 20, CTN launched the fifth Ready, Set, Connect! (RSC). A partnership between CTN and Oakland Public Libraries, RSC is a professional development program for youth aged 16 to 24. And, thanks to YOU, the program has been boosted by more than $12,000 through a recent fundraising campaign that was supported with a matching grant from Twitter! Read more about this year’s program.

Help CTN Get Out the Vote!

Through a series of special trainings this month at computer labs, CTN is helping seniors register to vote and manage their voting preferences. Want to help? Use our handy tip sheet to help someone you know complete a California voter registration online!

Bring-Your-Own-Device Trainings Help Seniors

This summer, employees of tech companies Quantcast and Optimizely volunteered to help seniors get to grips with their own gizmos, such as smartphones, tablets, and laptops. Find out more about the BYOD trainings here.

Comcast Kicks Off Another Great Year

Internet Essentials is Comcast’s low-cost internet access program, and CTN is proud to be a partner in the latest pilot initiative to expand enrollment in San Francisco. CTN helped celebrate another year of the program this September, and seniors who attended

MOUSE IN THE HOUSE: Getting California Connected At Home

You may know that CTN supports public-access computer labs, but did you know we are also committed to getting more people online in their own homes? Read the latest CTN blog post to
each received a free laptop! Read more about
Internet Essentials here.

UPCOMING EVENTS
October 12, 1pm to 3pm: Online Voter Registration/Downtown Senior Center with Quantcast Volunteers

October 13, 11am to 2pm: Online Voter Registration workshop at Centro Latino with USF Volunteers

October 13, 3:30pm-5:30pm: CTN Volunteer Training

October 15, 9am to 10:30am: PAMF LinkAges Volunteer Training

October 20, 1pm to 3pm: Online Voter Registration at IT Bookman

October 25, 9am-11am: CTN Volunteer Training

October 25, 4pm to 5:30pm: Monthly Volunteer Refresh

October 29, 2pm to 3:30pm: PAMF LinkAges Volunteer Training

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