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Photo Caption: *The Healthy Babies children's dance troupe will perform at the Pleasanton Library on February 8 in celebration of the Lunar New Year.*

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Pleasanton Library Celebrates 2015 Chinese Lunar New Year on February 8

Pleasanton, CA—The **2015 Chinese Lunar New Year** will be celebrated at the **Pleasanton Library** on **Sunday, February 8 at 2:00 p.m.** In a free performance for the public, the celebration includes dancers, singing, and musicians. Soloists and chorus, and music performed on traditional Chinese musical instruments will be featured, as well as traditional Chinese dance performed by both children and adults.

Soloist singer Xiaofei Liu, a Bay Area vocal teacher, is included on this colorful and joyful program. She won second place in the 2008 International L'Opera Rinata in Italy and was also the recipient of the achievement award from the Department of Education in China.

For more information about this and other library events, please visit the library's website at www.cityofpleasantonca.gov/services/library, or call (925) 931-3400 ext. 4.

About Pleasanton

The City of Pleasanton is a vibrant Northern California community of 71,000 residents situated at the crossroads of Interstates 580 and 680, in close proximity to the San Francisco and San Jose metropolitan areas. The city's location has historical significance as a major trading route of early Native Americans and later along the route of the First Transcontinental Railroad. Pleasanton is a major suburb identified by the U.S. Census as one of the wealthiest middle-sized cities in the nation and was included on Money Magazine's list of the 'Best Cities to Live 2014' and on 24/7 Wall Street's list of 'America's 50 Best Cities to Live'. Among Pleasanton's many attractions are an excellent school system, a highly educated workforce, 1,200 acres of parkland and recreational open space, a nationally recognized business park, a regional retail shopping mall, and a historic downtown district. For more information, please visit www.cityofpleasantonca.gov.