

On May 22, 2019 members of the Friends of the Aptos Library presented Spanish language and bilingual books about the ocean to Santa Cruz Public Libraries Bookmobile staff for distribution to young Bookmobile patrons. The presentation was the final event for **the 2019 season of Our Community Reads**, which featured “The Death and Life of Monterey Bay,” by Stephen R. Palumbi and Carolyn Sotka.



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From left: Eric Chalfant, Bookmobile staff; Janis O’Driscoll, Assistant Director of Libraries; Diana Mejia, Ofelia Garcia, Gale Farthing, Aptos Friends members; and Denise Ward, Chair of Our Community Reads



From left: Susan Nemitz, Director of Libraries; Eric Chalfant, Bookmobile staff; Deborah Peronto, President, Aptos Library Friends