



First Partner, Jennifer Siebel Newsom at The Mix July 20, 2023

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Celebrating Literacy, Creative Expression and Community

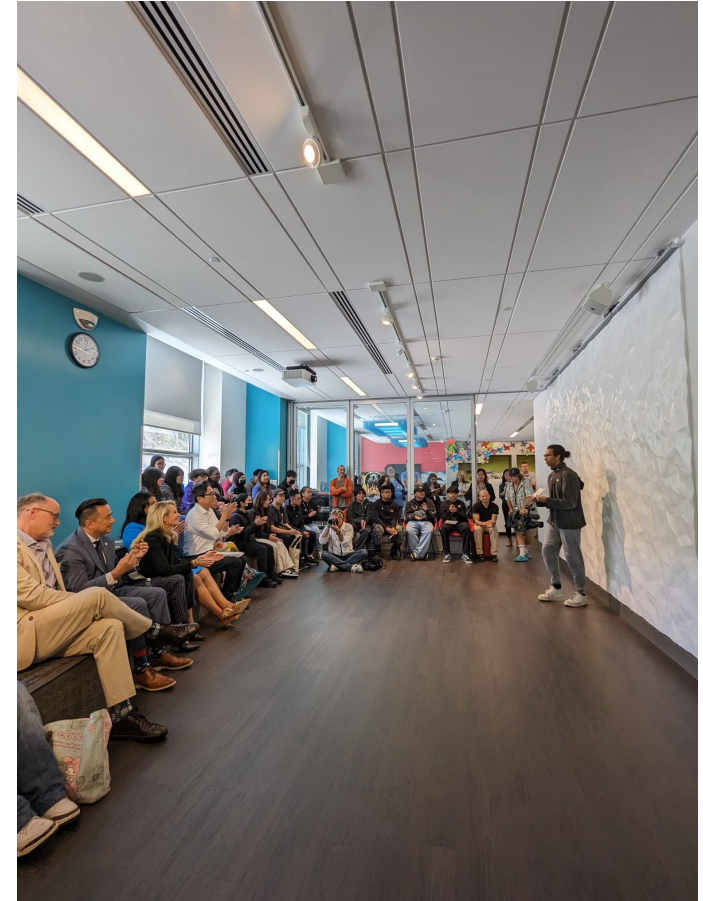
“Rather than banning or limiting children’s access to books, we’re working through the First Partner’s Summer Book Club to increase California children’s opportunities for reading and creative expression...Literature and the arts are critical for children’s mental health, social and emotional development, language mastery, and long-term academic achievement, and both provide an antidote to excessive time online.” – First Partner



Creative Workshops

The teens broke up into three groups to participate in three distinct creativity workshops:

- A poetry workshop with California Poet Laureate Lee Herrick with support from nonprofit organization Youth Speaks, led by its executive director, Michelle Mush Lee.
- The Mix maker space workshop, a hands-on creative craft project with The Mix manager, librarian Jason Hill.
- A dance and movement workshop with nonprofit organization ODC with Brandon "Private" Freeman and Colton Wall.



An Amazing Day at The Mix



