

Edgar Allan Poe to visit the San Bernardino Public Library

Broadway and film actor Duffy Hudson will return to the Feldheym Central Library on Tuesday, October 6, 2015 at 6:00 PM to bring his talent and fascination for Edgar Allan Poe to life in a unique one-man play. This program will mark 166 years since Poe's death on October 7, 1849.

In the Shadow of the Raven begins as Edgar Allan Poe rises from the scene of his mysterious death and continues as he pieces together the events of his life. Using a combination of biographical information and the dramatic interpretation of Poe's literature, *Annabel Lee*, *The Raven* and *The Tell Tale Heart*, Hudson provides a unique, in-depth theatrical experience of the life and works of one of America's best-known and enigmatic personalities.

Duffy Hudson is an actor, director, writer, teacher and filmmaker. He has performed in hundreds of plays and has directed over 300 theatrical pieces, including workshop productions with Brooke Shields, *The Three Sisters* with Jessica Lange, Don Johnson and Tatum O'Neal, and *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf* with Marlo Thomas. Duffy tours the US with his one man shows of Edgar Allan Poe, Albert Einstein, George Burns, Dr. Seuss, and *A Christmas Carol*.

Duffy has performed Poe over 1000 times to more than 300 standing ovations and was recently honored with the title "Voice of Poe" for the Poe House and Museum in Fordham NY. When you take the tour of Poe's home you will hear Duffy's voice performing Poe's work.

This free performance will take place in the Bing Wong Auditorium at the Feldheym Central Library at 555 W. 6th Street, San Bernardino at 6:00 PM on October 6th. Although the library officially closes at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesdays, the auditorium will remain open for this 6:00 PM program. Attendance slips will be available for students whose teachers are offering extra credit. Contact Linda Yeh at 909.381.8238 or visit www.sbpl.org for more information. For more information about Duffy Hudson visit www.duffyhudson.com