

UCSD co-sponsors Coffee in honor of author Niven Busch

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Niven Busch, author of "Duel in the Sun" and "The Postman Always Rings Twice" will be honored Friday, August 4, at an informal coffee sponsored by the University of California, San Diego and the La Jolla Library.

The coffee, scheduled from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m., will be held in the main reading room of the library located at 1006 Wall Street., La Jolla. The public is invited to visit the library to meet and talk to Busch and to enjoy light refreshments.

Busch is spending six weeks in La Jolla this summer as coordinator and teacher of a film and lecture series sponsored by the UCSD Summer Session. The series, entitled "Films - Media and Message," is scheduled to conclude Monday., August 7, with a talk by actor Billy Bush and the showing of the film, "Culpepper Cattle Co."

Busch has worked as a screenwriter and/or producer for Paramount, 20th Century Fox, RKO, Warner Brothers., and Universal Pictures. He has written more than 30 screenplays including "Till the End of Time," "Duel in the Sun," "Pursued." "The Westerner," and "The Postman Always Rings Twice."

He was nominated for an Academy Award for his screenplay "In Old Chicago." Of Busch's 12 novels, five have been best sellers. "Duel in the Sun," published in 17 languages, has sold over five million copies, and is on the all-time list of the first twenty best selling novels in the world.

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