

## More than 150 attend job fair at Yuba Sutter Mall

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Nicole South has three jobs, but she's still looking for more work.

South was one of more than 150 people at the Yuba Sutter Mall on Thursday for a job fair sponsored by the Yuba and Sutter County One Stops.

"It was beneficial because I got a job at Beale from the last job fair I went to at Veterans Memorial Hall and an interview for another job," said South, 22, of Marysville.

She works at Lakeview as a cashier but looks forward to starting her new job at Beale Air Force Base's Child Development Center. She also works during concerts and other events as an usher at Toyota Amphitheatre near Wheatland.

"I'm trying to get more experience working with kids because I want to become a teacher," South said.

Caron Job, a business services representative with Yuba County One Stop, said partnering with Sutter County One Stop and the Yuba Sutter Mall helped with the job fair, which aimed to connect employers with people 18-24 years old.

"Last year, we had about 150 people at the Yuba County Government Center and for this year I thought, 'Where do kids hang out? At the mall.'"

Job said a few years ago when jobs were scarce, a lot of older adults took positions that might have otherwise gone to young adults.

"We have a lot of employers here with a lot of different jobs," she said. "We're focusing on out-of-school youth."



### Job Fair

Kaleb Neal, left, and Nicole South hand registration forms to Yee Lee, with the Yuba County One Stop, during a job fair on Thursday, April 28, 2016 at the Yuba Sutter Mall in Yuba City.