

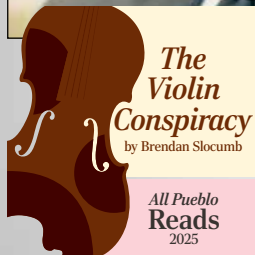
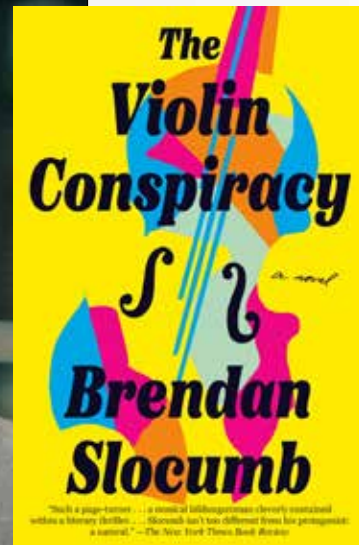
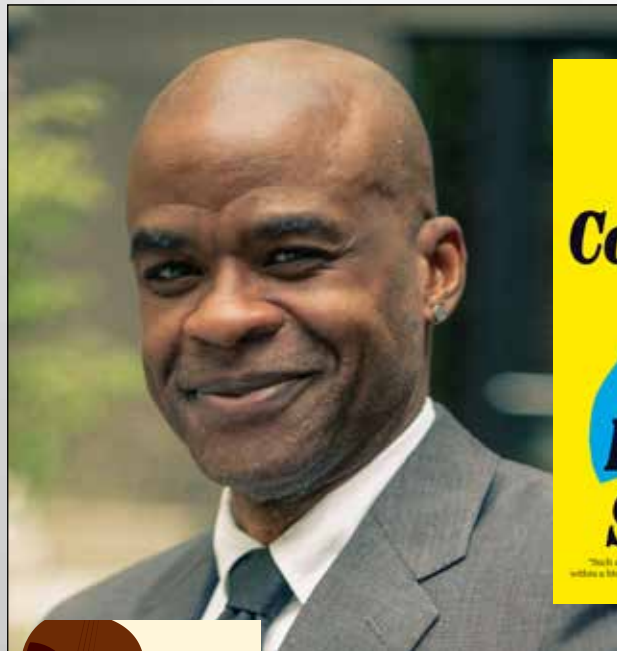
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All Pueblo Reads

FEATURING BRENDAN SLOCUMB *THE VIOLIN CONSPIRACY*

STARTS OCTOBER 3



Brendan Slocumb will be in person at:

BOOKLOVERS BALL: October 24

FREE PUBLIC AUTHOR TALK: October 25



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"The Violin Conspiracy" takes center stage

Get ready to strike a chord of suspense and symphony as we unravel the strings of Brendan Slocumb's, *The Violin Conspiracy*. Mark your calendars for these can't-miss movements:

A Literary Concert Experience with the Pocket Philharmonic

Fri., October 3, 6:30 - 9 p.m.

Experience *The Violin Conspiracy* through music with the Pocket Philharmonic. Enjoy themed selections, storytelling, and refreshments at this special afterhours kickoff event.

All Pueblo Reads Kickoff

Sat., October 4, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Rawlings Library

Pick up your free copy, mingle with fellow readers, and kick off the season on a high note.

Booklovers Ball

Friday, October 24, 6:30 p.m. at Rawlings Library featuring Brendan Slocumb

Don your semi-formal best, sway to live tunes, and toast to your favorite passag-



es. This ticketed event is a great opportunity to meet and interact with author Brendan Slocumb.

Public Author Talk

Saturday, October 25, 11 a.m. (doors open at 10:30 a.m.) at Rawlings Library featuring Brendan Slocumb

Hear the author of this musical mystery share backstage stories of his writings including *The Violin Conspiracy*. This is a perfect annual event for any book club to meet and interact with the actual author. RSVPs through our website are appreciated but not required.

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The exterior of the Patrick A. Lucero Library located on Pueblo's East Side is in the final stages of a nearly year-long renovation. An official ribbon cutting ceremony is scheduled for October 1.

Patrick A. Lucero Library grand reopening events

After a year of exciting renovations and expansion, the Patrick A. Lucero Library is ready to welcome you back—bigger, brighter, and better than ever! Join us for a week of events to welcome you back to a revitalized space built for learning, connection, and community pride.

Unveiling the Lucero Community Walls

Tuesday, Sept. 30 | 5:30–6:30 p.m.

Celebrate two new installations: a Digital History Wall honoring Pueblo's East Side and a Tribute Wall to Patrick A. Lucero. Light refreshments provided.

Leading with Courage: Hispanic Women Who Shaped Our Region

Tuesday, Sept. 30 | 6:30–7:30 p.m.

Join Charlene Garcia-Simms for a powerful evening of storytelling honoring Hispanic women pioneers of Pueblo and southern Colorado.

Lucero Library Ribbon Cutting

Wednesday, Oct. 1 | 9:30 a.m.

The Patrick A. Lucero Library is ready to welcome you back! Join us as we cut the ribbon and open the doors to a revitalized space built for learning, connection, and community pride.

Fur-Ever Friends:

Paws & Power-Up Party

Thursday, Oct. 2 | 4:00–6:00 p.m.

Petting zoo, free plushy adoptions, crafts, photo booth, and a back-to-school giveaway with backpacks, supplies, and snacks. Perfect for kids and families!



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Dia de los Muertos events

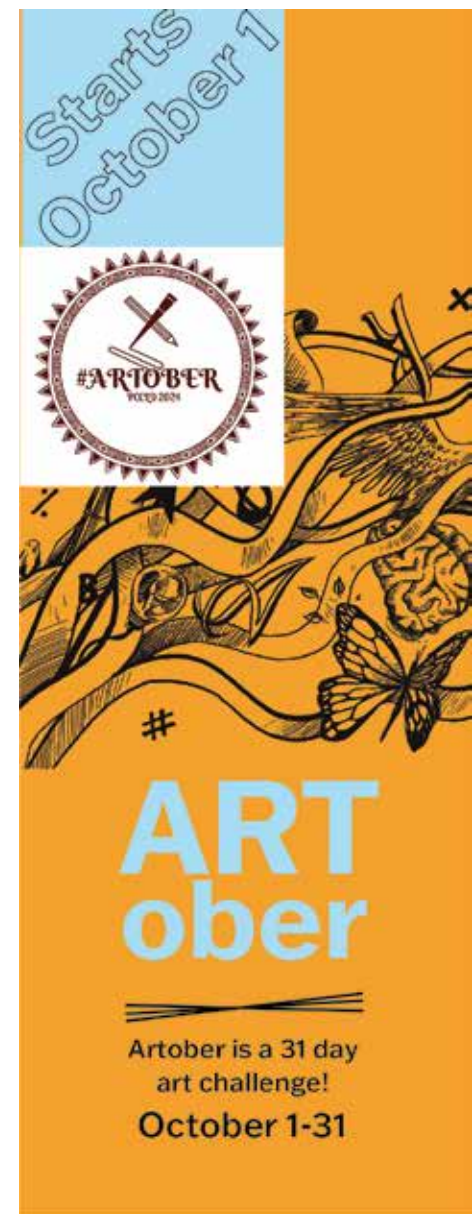
Dia de los Muertos

Saturday, Nov. 1, 1–4 p.m.

Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor

Celebrate your deceased loved ones with Mariachi Lobos, refreshments, sugar skull decorating, other activities, and an ofrenda procession.

If you'd like to have your loved one added to the ofrenda (altar), email their photo to jacque.carter@pueblo-library.org.



Barkman Branch Library

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OCTOBER 1-31

Barky Basket Challenge

Check out and Win the Barkman Check Out Challenge!!

Visit the Barkman Library for a program or check out some really great items and receive the change to win the Basket of the Month.

OCTOBER 1-31

ARTober 2025

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 9 to 17. ARTober is a 31 day Art challenge during the month of October using daily art prompts. All media of art is welcome. Register today and pick up your ARTober Kit2Go.

TUESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10 a.m.

Juvenile. This Storytime focuses on simple books, rhymes, and songs that help develop early literacy, language skills, and social skills.

TUESDAYS

Crafty Needles

10 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older. Join your friends and neighbors for crafting and conversation.

THURSDAYS

Family Storytime

10 a.m.

Family. Read books and sing songs at the library! This program is designed to support early literacy skills, while encouraging the love of books at an early age.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Barkman's Idea Forge

4 p.m.

All ages. Learn more about how vibrations create sound by making a popsicle stick harmonica.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

Read To Me:

A Storytime for Adults

6 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. You're never too old for a storytime. Drop in for a story, some short, some long, and some to be continued. Refreshments provided.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

APR Art Creations

2-4 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Make a beautiful piece of music-inspired art to submit to the teen and tween art show in November.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

Teen/Tween

Advisory Board

5 p.m.

Ages 11 to 18. Want to help decide what the library offers to teens and tweens? Have a say in programs, while earning volunteer hours by joining the Teen Advisory Board.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

Teen and Tween Lock In: Murder Mystery

6-8 p.m.

Ages 11 to 18. Put your deductive skills to the test and help Barkman solve a real whodunnit. Permission slip is required.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

The Story of the Stradivarius of the West

2-4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century, whose violins were loved by many, including Ede Remenyi, Elbert Hubbard, and Colorado Governor Benjamin Eaton.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Barkman's Idea Forge

4 p.m.

All ages. Create a rainstick - a musical shortcut towards serenity and healing rainstorms.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Every Teens Book Club

4 p.m.

Ages 13 to 17. A Book Club specifically for teens where tough questions are asked and learn from each other.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Barkman's Idea Forge

4 p.m.

All ages. Create breathtaking sound by creating your own set of pan pipes.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Busting Musical Canvas

1-3 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Craft a 3D explosion of musical-themed Busted Canvas to celebrate All Pueblo Reads. All materials provided.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Family Voices of Colorado

4:30 p.m.

Family. Family Voices is the Family-to-Family Health Information Center for Colorado. Family Voices Colorado is a grassroots organization run by parents of children with special healthcare needs.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Musical Jeopardy

4-6 p.m.

Family. What's that song? Team up to name that song and win fun prizes with this fun family event.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Movie Screening

Hocus Pocus (PG)

2-5:30 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Have a spooky good time. Refreshments provided.

Barkman Library
1300 Jerry Murphy Rd.
Monday - Thursday | 9 a.m.-9 p.m.
Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.



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Giodone Branch Library

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OCTOBER 28-31

Dia de los Muertos Kits2Go

Decorate a traditional sugar skull, and learn about this cultural holiday that honors those who have passed.

MONDAYS

Preschool Storytime

11 a.m.
Juvenile. Books come alive for children and their favorite adults while supporting early literacy and preschool skills.

MONDAYS

Citizenship Preparation Class

1-3 p.m.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and older. This class is for students with intermediate to advanced English skills and prepares students for the citizenship exam and interview. Presented in partnership with Catholic Charities of Southern Colorado.

WEDNESDAYS

Tai Chi Easy Class

10:30 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Level 1 Holden QiGong teacher guides attendees through 30 minutes of low impact movements.

WEDNESDAYS

Intermediate English Class/Clase de Inglés

Clase de Inglés - Nivel Intermedio
1:30-3 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Improve your English language skills in a fun and welcoming environment.

¡Mejorar sus habilidades lingüísticas en la biblioteca! Acompáñanos a clases de Inglés en un ambiente divertido.

FRIDAYS

Crochet Club

3:30-5 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Join your neighbors for tea, conversation and crochet.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

Office Hours with Senator Hickenlooper's Casework Advocates

10 a.m.-noon
Ages 18 and older. Sen. Hickenlooper's Constituent Advocates offer assistance with federal programs or agencies. The office can assist with passport applications, Department of Veterans Affairs benefits, and more.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

Minecraft Mania!

4-5:30 p.m.
Ages 9 to 12. We're bringing the pixelated fun of Minecraft into the real world with awesome DIY activities and unwind with a Minecraft movie viewing.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

Do a Little Art: Tiny Canvases

Create your submission for the Teen/Tween Art Show!
2-3:30 p.m.
Ages 9 to 17. Enjoy some downtime being creative. The Teen/Tween Art Show opens in November.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

Tai Chi Easy Class - Hour Long

10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. This low impact mindful movement class may help reduce stress, improve balance, and more.

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Monday – Thursday | 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Friday and Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Things That Go Bump in the Lore:

*Spooky Folkloric
Creatures from
Around the World.*
4-6 p.m.

All ages. Need more spooky and scary folklore in your life? Join us for tales of fright presented by Shannon Shatzer.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Barkman's Halloween Bash

3-6 p.m.
All ages. Haunt the library and enjoy snacks, games, and tons of spooky fun.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Barkman Book Club

"The Violin Conspiracy"
4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. This month, the All Pueblo Reads book, "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb. Light refreshments provided.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

Office Hours with Senator Hickenlooper's Casework Advocates

10 a.m.-noon
Adult. Sen. Hickenlooper's Constituent Advocates offer assistance with federal programs or agencies.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

Every Teens Book Club

4 p.m.
Ages 13 to 17. A Book Club specifically for teens aged 13-17, where tough questions are asked and learn from each other.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Trick or Treat Storytime

10 a.m.
Family. Hear some fun Halloween stories, make some spooky crafts, and trick-or-treat around the library. Costumes are encouraged.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Family Voices of Colorado

4:30 p.m.
Family. Family Voices is the Family-to-Family Health Information Center for Colorado. Family Voices Colorado is a grassroots organization run by parents of children with special healthcare needs.

Greenhorn Valley Branch Library

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MONDAYS

Happy Hookers Fabric Group

5-7 p.m.
Ages 13 and older. Meets weekly, drop ins are welcome.

TUESDAYS

Pinochle at the Library

10:30-noon & 5-7 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Play a game of pinochle during a morning or afternoon session.

WEDNESDAYS

Music & Movement Storytime

11 a.m.
Juvenile. Each story time involves songs, an activity break, two reading segments and a craft or coloring pages.

WEDNESDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

6 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. A slow flow, appropriate for all level yogis. Modifications will be provided; no physical adjustments will be made.
Note, the instructor is not a medical provider and no medical advice will be given.

THURSDAYS

Pinochle at the Library

10:30-noon & 5-7 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Play a game of pinochle during a morning or afternoon session.

THURSDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

7 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. A slow flow, appropriate for all level yogis. *Note, the instructor is not a medical provider and no medical advice will be given.*

FRIDAYS

Kids Yoga

10:15-10:45 a.m.
Family. Join Ashley for a kid-friendly yoga flow. We will learn fun poses, breathing techniques and get our wiggles out. Best for ages 3 and older.

FRIDAYS

Family Friday!

11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Family. Join us for an afternoon of crafts and activities every Friday. All ages welcome. Supplies provided, while supplies last.

SATURDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

9 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. A slow yoga flow. *Note, the instructor is not a medical provider and no medical advice will be given.*

SATURDAYS

Saturday Night Magic

1-5 p.m.
Ages 13 and older. Learn to play the card game Magic the Gathering. Players of all experience levels welcome.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

Dungeons and Dragons

*Literary One
Shot Adventures*
1-4 p.m.

Family. Family-friendly and literature-themed one-shot Dungeons and Dragons campaigns. But younger children should be accompanied by a parent to help on their adventure (and with math).

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

Music Trivia Night

6-8 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Celebrate All Pueblo Reads and all things music with this adult-only trivia night. Create your own team, or come join a team and meet new people.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

Stradivarius of the West

6-8 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century, whose violins were loved by many, including Ede Remenyi, Elbert Hubbard, and Colorado Governor Benjamin Eaton.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Murder Mystery

6-9 p.m.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and older. Solve a murder mystery! Join us for a fun, interactive murder mystery party, come dressed in character, and enjoy some light refreshments. Theme for this night is "Murder on The High Seas."

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Murder Mystery

6-9 p.m.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and older. Solve a murder mystery! Join us for a fun, interactive murder mystery party, come dressed in character, and enjoy some light refreshments. Theme for this night is "Murder on the Night Train."

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Dungeons and Dragons

*Literary One
Shot Adventures*
1-4 p.m.

Family. Family-friendly and literature-themed one-shot Dungeons and Dragons campaigns. But younger children should be accompanied by a parent to help on their adventure (and with math).

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Greenhorn Valley Branch Library, cont.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Stuffed Animal Sleepover: Ghost Hunting Edition

6-8 p.m.
Juvenile. Drop off your stuffed friend at the library for an evening of stoytelling, snacks, crafts and ghost hunting. They can be dropped on Saturday night and picked up Monday anytime after 10 a.m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Book Club After Dark

6-8 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. An after-hours book club with a heavy focus on horror, thrillers, true crime and the wide world of contemporary romance. Snacks, coffee and tea provided, while supplies last.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Daytime Greenhorn Valley Book Club

1-3 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. This month's book is the All Pueblo Reads book, "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Dungeons and Dragons

Literary One Shot Adventures

1-4 p.m.
Family. Family-friendly and literature-themed one-shot Dungeons and Dragons campaigns. But younger children should be accompanied by a parent to help on their adventure (and with math).

Giodone Branch Library, cont.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

Giodone Book Club

5 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Join your neighbors for tea, snacks, and discuss this month's book.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

Combined Tween/Teen Hangout: Musical Wreath

4-5:30 p.m.
Ages 9 to 17. Create your own noteworthy wreath.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Chile Ristras

10:30 a.m.-noon

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Ristras can be used for decoration and are said to bring good health and good luck. More often, they are hung up to dry for later cooking and eating.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

The Story of the Stradivarius of the West

2 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century, whose violins were loved by many, including Ede Remenyi, Elbert Hubbard, and Colorado Governor Benjamin Eaton.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Coffee and Crafts

10:30 a.m.-noon

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Join us for coffee and a craft or art project. This month, make beaded wind chimes.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Combined Tween/Teen Hangout: The Shadow of Music

4-5:30 p.m.
Ages 9 to 17. Create a bird-song silhouette filled with music.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Words and Music and Pastries: "The Violin Conspiracy"

10:30 a.m.

Ages 13 and older. Readings of All Pueblo Reads author Brendan Slocumb's soaring descriptions paired with the music itself, with light morning refreshments.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Things That Go Bump In the Lore:

Spooky Folkloric Creatures from Around the World

2-4 p.m.

Family. Explore chilling creatures from global folklore; perfect for the Halloween season. It would include visual slides, storytelling, and light historical/cultural context.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Combined Tween/Teen Hangout:

Painting Pumpkins

4-5:30 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Personalize a pumpkin to get into the spirit of the season.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

Spooky Movie and Craft

1-2:30 p.m.

Family. Watch a spooky movie and make a craft.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Halloween Celebration

11 a.m.

Family. Celebrate Halloween with spooky crafts and a movie.

Lamb Branch Library

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OCTOBER 1-31

Identify the Musical Instruments Scavenger Hunt

Find the hidden instruments, write the number beside each instrument name, and bring your completed sheet to the desk for a small prize from the treasure chest. While supplies last.

TUESDAYS

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors

2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. For assistance registering, call (719) 562-5600.

October 7: Scent of the Season Candle Class

October 14: Locker Hooking Basics

October 21: Haunted Headwear Workshop

October 28: No-Water Cactus Terrariums

TUESDAYS

Teen/Tween Hangout

5-6:30 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Join us for a craft and a snack.

October 7: Hocus Pocus Potions - Potion Bottle Making

October 14: Fall Foodie Workshop - Carmel Apples

October 21: Cozy Plush Creations

October 28: Dia de los Muertos - Sugar Skulls

WEDNESDAYS

Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Family. Books come alive for children and their favorite adults while supporting early literacy and preschool skills.

FRIDAYS

Family Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Family. Children and their favorite adults can read books and sing songs at the library.

FRIDAYS

Fun Friday

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Family. Kids program will vary each week: games, STEM, arts and crafts and more.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Lit Happens

6 p.m. The Ethos, 615 E Mesa Ave

Ages 13 and older. A book club exploring whimsical, mysterious, and heartwarming reads. This month selection is the All Pueblo Reads book "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

The Story of the Stradivarius of the West

6 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

Movies for Grown Ups

Black Bag (R)

3-5 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. When intelligence agent Kathryn Woodhouse is suspected of betraying the nation, her husband - also a legendary agent - faces the ultimate test of whether to be loyal to his marriage, or his country. Popcorn provided.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Lamb Adult Craft:

Love You to Death

Cute Creepy

Stickers to Color

6:30-8 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Celebrate the eerie and the endearing! Use colored pencils to customize stickers, blending spooky charm with romantic flair.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Stories for Kids,

Coffee for Grown-Ups

3-5 p.m. Minnequa Park Apartments, 1400 E Orman Ave.

All ages. Enjoy family fun at our pop-up location in the Minnequa Park Apartments. This month, enjoy autumn themed activities.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Socialite Saturday Teens

DIY Halloween

Headbands

2-3:30 p.m.

Ages 14 to 18. Create spooky and stylish Halloween headbands! Use fun materials like felt, glitter, and faux spiders to craft your perfect costume accessory.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Shaping Sound

A Hands-On Clay

Instrument Experience

2-4 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Explore the art of sound and clay in this hands-on ocarina-making workshop taught by Pueblo's own Home Hearth Pottery. Attendees must be able to attend both sessions.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

Gentle Stretching for Seniors

10 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Improve flexibility and mobility with guided gentle stretches designed for seniors of all fitness levels. No experience needed.

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Beulah School of Natural Sciences | 8734
School House Lane
Tuesdays & Saturdays | 2-6 p.m.

Library @ the Y | 3200 Spaulding Ave.
Monday - Friday | 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Closed 1:30-2 p.m.
Saturday | 9:30 a.m. -1:30 p.m.

Lamb Branch Library

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

Spanish Peaks Tapestry

11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Discover the wonderful world of fiber through tapestry.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Lovely's Virtual

Book Club presents:

"The Last Dreamwalker"
by Rita Woods

4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Layla inherits an island off the shore of South Carolina and a power from her Gullah-Geechee ancestors. She is a Dreamwalker, able to inhabit the dreams of others—and to manipulate them. Discussion takes place on the Lamb Library Facebook and YouTube page.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Slow Down and Slow Stitch

Hand Sewing

10-11:30 a.m.

Ages 13 and older. Join us for this once a month session where stitching meets meditation. Create beautiful fabric projects while focusing on the present moment. While supplies last.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Family Matinee

"How To Train Your Dragon" (PG)

3-5 p.m.

Family. Join us at Lamb for a family-friendly movie and popcorn.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

Exploring

Community Legends

*A Ghost Hunting
Adventure*

6:30-8:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Join us for a night of exploring historical events, ghostly rumors, and a little paranormal investigation. This program is intended for adults only and a signed waiver is required.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

Office Hours with Senator Hickenlooper's Casework Advocates

10 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older. Sen. Hickenlooper's Constituent Advocates offer assistance with federal programs or agencies. The office can assist with passport applications, Department of Veterans Affairs benefits, Small Business Administration programs, and more.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

Gentle Stretching for Seniors

10 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Improve flexibility and mobility with guided gentle stretches designed for seniors of all fitness levels. No experience needed.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

All Pueblo Reads Book Discussion

"The Violin Conspiracy"

Noon

Ages 18 and older. Bring your lunch and join us for a lively All Pueblo Reads book chat. You can also register for our senior craft program.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Record Mandalas

6-8 p.m.

Ages 13 and older. Turn old records into unique mandala art, no experience needed, just bring your creativity.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Lamb Adult Craft - Chia Seed Cemeteries

6:30-8 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Create your own chia seed cemetery—decorate a terracotta pot, add some spooky props, and watch it become overgrown.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Southern Colorado Photography Society

6-8:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Southern Colorado Photography Society.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Shaping Sound

A Hands-On Clay

Instrument Experience

2-4 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Explore the art of sound and clay in this hands-on ocarina-making workshop taught by Pueblo's own Home Hearth Pottery. Attendees must be able to attend both sessions.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Adelante Connect: Technology 101

5 p.m.

All ages. Do you need help learning how to use technology effectively? PCCLD and CSU Pueblo have partnered together to create a technology class that can address basic and advanced technology questions.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Horror Cafe

A Book Club to Die For
7 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. This month's book is "Something Wicked this Way Comes" by Ray Bradbury. Light refreshments, including espresso drinks provided.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

Gentle Stretching for Seniors

10 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Improve flexibility and mobility with guided gentle stretches designed for seniors of all fitness levels. No experience needed.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Family Storytime: Spooky Edition!

10:30 a.m.

Family. Children and their favorite adults can join us for a family-friendly Halloween themed storytime!

THURSDAYS**Preschool Storytime**

9:30 a.m. & 10 a.m.

Family. Stories come alive with books, puppets, rhymes, and songs.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**Creative Workshops at the YMCA***Sugar Skull**Screen Printing*

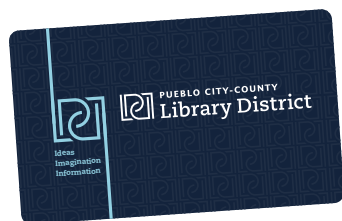
Noon-1:30 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Personalize a wood slice magnet in this fun, hands-on craft session—perfect for adding a natural touch to any space. While supplies last.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2****The Y Book Club**

9 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. A book club for meaningful stories, rich discussions, and shared laughter through engaging, thought-provoking reads. This month is the All Pueblo Reads book, "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb.



Don't have a PCCLD library card? Sign up for one at any PCCLD location. It's free!

OCTOBER 1-31**ARTober****REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Ages 9 to 17. ARTober is a 31 day Art challenge during the month of October using daily art prompts. All media of art is welcome! Register today and pick up your ARTober Kit2Go.

OCTOBER 1-31**Exhibit: Ofrendas Over the Years**

Ofrendas are a beautiful expression of Pueblo's Mexican culture that our library has participated in since 2014. Look back at the years of ofrendas in this picturesque exhibit all month long.

OCTOBER 1-31**Community Ofrenda**

Contribute a photo in memory of a loved one to the community ofrenda all month long. Be part of a tribute to those who are no longer with us in person.

MONDAYS**Monday Mingle**

11 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Enjoy a beverage in a relaxed space to meet new people and enjoy fun activities.

MONDAYS**Snack Attack**

3:30-5:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and younger. Enjoy a craft and a nutritious meal provided by Pueblo School District 60.

October 13: Halloween Bingo

October 20: Ghost Tissue Craft

October 27: Bat crafts Kits

TUESDAYS**Sensory Storytime**

10 a.m.

Family. Explore sight, sound and touch in an interactive story time especially welcoming to kids who are sensory-sensitive. Children of all abilities, parents and caregivers are welcome.

TUESDAYS**Digital Drop-In***FREE help with technology!*

10 a.m.-noon

Digital Navigators offer free digital support services for one-to-one and small group assistance and instruction. In partnership with PCCLD, CSU Pueblo, and the Adalante Connect Project.

TUESDAYS**Chess with Mark from HardKnox Gang Prevention & Intervention**

3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older.

WEDNESDAYS**Snack Attack**

3:30-5:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and younger. Enjoy a craft and a nutritious meal provided by Pueblo School District 60.

October 8: Wooden Skull Painting

October 15: Spooky Ghost pom poms

October 22: Yo-Yo Ma Interview

October 29: Fear Factor Food Challenge

THURSDAYS**Beat Builders 101***Learn Ableton Live*

3-5 p.m.

Ages 12 and older. Learn to make your own beats and songs using Ableton Live! A fun, hands-on intro to music production. No experience needed.

THURSDAY**Chess with Mark from HardKnox Gang Prevention & Intervention**

3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Work on your chess game and your critical thinking with mentor Mark Salazar of Hardknox Gang Prevention Pueblo.

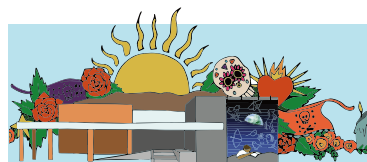
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**Spice Library: Spooky Edition**

All ages. Try it if you dare, spooky edition. While supplies last.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1**Ribbon Cutting for the Patrick A. Lucero Library Grand Opening Week**

9:30 a.m.

All ages. The Patrick A. Lucero Library is ready to welcome you back. Join us as we cut the ribbon and open the doors to a revitalized space built for learning, connection, and community pride.

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Patrick A. Lucero Library
at 1315 E. 7th St.

Monday – Thursday | 10 a.m.-7 p.m.

Friday and Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Patrick A. Lucero Branch Library, cont.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

**Fur-Ever Friends:
Paws & Power-Up
Party at the Library**
Grand Opening Week
4-6 p.m.

All ages. Celebrate the Patrick A. Lucero Library Grand Opening with a petting zoo, plushy adoptions, DIY collars, and photo booth fun for kids and families. Come play, cuddle, and create.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

**The Story of the
Stradivarius of the West**
4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

**Crafty Crew: Halloween
Busted Canvas**
*Unleash your creativity
this spooky season!*
11 a.m.-1 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. This hands-on session invites adults to craft a one-of-a-kind Halloween-themed art piece. All materials provided.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Minecraft Mania!
1-3 p.m.
Ages 9 to 12. Get ready to craft, create, and chill at our Minecraft-themed program with awesome DIY activities and unwind with a Minecraft movie viewing.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

**Spice Library:
Drying Herbs 101**
*Unlock the flavors of
your garden year-round!*
11 a.m.-1 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Participants will leave with samples, recipes, and the confidence to start drying herbs at home. No prior experience necessary.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Paint a Custom Nicho
11 a.m.-1 p.m.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Adult. Paint custom nichos- 3D display boxes- for your next ofrenda to celebrate Dia de los Muertos. Learn about the significance of nichos and paint.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

**Things That Go
Bump in the Lore**
*Spooky Folkloric
Creatures from
Around the World*
2 p.m.

All ages. Explore chilling creatures from global folklore with storyteller, Shannon Shatzer.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

Bilingual Storytime
10 a.m.
Family. Explore stories in English and Spanish during an interactive story time designed for kids, families and caregivers.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

**Crafty Crew: Halloween
Cookie Decorating**
11 a.m.-1 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Celebrate the spooky season with a sweet and creative twist.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

**Trick or Treat
at the Library!**
Trick or treat in the library, pick up candy and watch scary movies. Costumes are encouraged but not required.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Estate Planning 101
10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Join us for an informative session covering the essentials of protecting your legacy.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

**Spice Library: Roasted
Pumpkin Seeds**
Sweet and Savory
11 a.m.-1 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Adult. Whether you're a foodie, a fall enthusiast, or just curious about spices, this flavorful experience is sure to spice up your season.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

**The Crafty Hour:
Mini Masterpieces**
Noon

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Whether you're a music lover, a maker, or simply looking for a unique artistic experience, this program offers a harmonious blend of creativity and culture.

Library at CSUP

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

**The Violin Conspiracy
Book Discussion and
Book Giveaway**
11 a.m. CSU Pueblo Library
Celebrate Ask an Archivist Day. Maria Smyer discusses the All Pueblo Reads book, "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb. Books available to the first 20 people.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

**Children's Choral
Concert**
7 p.m. Hoag Hall

Library at PCC

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

OCTOBER 1-31

Our Music, Our Art
Stop by the library at PCC to make your own artwork inspired by your favorite song. Add to our community art collection. Supplies available.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Our Music, Our Art
10 a.m.-noon

Join us for an interactive art-making experience inspired by music. Add your favorite songs to a collaborative playlist, then choose from provided art materials to create your own visual interpretation of the music. No experience necessary.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Diverse Voices Concert
3 p.m.
Concert by the CSU Pueblo faculty wind quintet.

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OCTOBER 1-31

ARTober

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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OCTOBER 1-31

Art Exhibit

Ray P

Artwork by Ray P. will be on display in the cafe area all month long.

OCTOBER 1-30

October

Checkout Basket

Halloween

Checkout at least 10 items and then show your receipt at the front desk for an entry form.

OCTOBER 7-11

Banned Books Week

Banned book Week Oct 5th-11. Check out Banned Books and pick up a Kit2Go, While supplies last.

OCTOBER 13-31

Dia de Los Muertos

Community Ofrenda

Contribute to our Community Ofrenda this Dia de los Muertos! Bring a photo of a deceased loved one to honor their memory.

MONDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9:10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Yoga instructor accepts small donations per class.

MONDAYS

Swedish Weavers and Needle Work Group

10 a.m.-noon
Ages 18 and older. Fiber arts craft club. Visitors welcome.

TUESDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9:10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Yoga instructor accepts small donations per class.

TUESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10 & 10:30 a.m.
Juvenile. This Storytime focuses on simple books, rhymes, and songs that help develop early literacy, language skills, and social skills.

TUESDAYS

Cast-Offs Knitting and Craft Club

1-4 p.m.
Ages 13 and older. Fiber arts craft club. Visitors welcome.

TUESDAYS

Tween Hangout

3:30-5 p.m.
Ages 8 to 12.
October 7: Let's Make Art!
October 14: Printmaking Music + Collage
October 21: Kpop Sing Along!
October 28: Art Show Prep

TUESDAYS

Teen Hangout

3:30-5 p.m.
Ages 13 to 17. Enjoy some snacks and games after school.

TUESDAYS

MahJongg Club

6-9 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. Visitors are welcome at this fun, weekly game of mahjongg.

WEDNESDAYS

Teen Hangout

3:30-5 p.m.
Ages 13 to 17. Enjoy some snacks and games after school.

WEDNESDAYS

Society for Creative Anachronism

6-8:30 p.m.
Family. Weekly meeting. Visitors welcome.

THURSDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9:10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Yoga instructor accepts small donations per class.

THURSDAYS

Baby Storytime

10 a.m.
Family. For children from birth to 15 months and their parent or caregiver. Talk, sing, read, and play together in a format perfect for babies.

THURSDAYS

Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.
Juvenile.
October 2: Leaf It to Fall
October 9: The Music Inside Us
October 16: Terrific Tails
October 23: Zoom! Vroom! Beep!
October 30: Boo to You!

THURSDAYS

Teen Hangout

3:30-5 p.m.
Ages 13 to 17. Enjoy snacks and games after school.

THURSDAYS

Cozy Sensory Storytime

6:30 p.m.
Family. This story time offers stories, songs, and sensory-focused activities for children of all ages and abilities.

FRIDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9:10 a.m.
Ages 18 and older. Yoga instructor accepts small donations per class.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Craft Club

3-5 p.m.
All ages. Have a pile of half finished crafts? Bring them to Craft Club to work on alongside like minded crafters. Junk Journaling, Jewelry, yarn craft and more! All are welcome. Bring your own materials or use the provided supplies.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 01

History Round Table

History of Halloween

6:30-8 p.m.
Ages 18 and older. For all history fans, a different historical topic will be discussed each month. This month's discussion looks at the history of Halloween.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

Calligraphy 101

1-2:30 p.m.
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and older. Taught by Leslie Barstad of the Colorado Calligraphers' Guild, this weekly calligraphy workshop will teach everything from the

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298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd.
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

ARTober Artstravaganza!

11 a.m.-1 p.m.

All ages. Celebrate the kickoff of ARTober! Create unique art using a large variety of materials.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

Magic the Gathering

2-4 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Play Magic the Gathering! Best for beginner and casual gameplay. Cards available for free thanks to the MagiKids Program.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

Pueblo Model

Railroad Association

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Ages 13 and older. Pueblo Model Railroad Club monthly meeting.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Adult Craft Series

CD Scratch Art

3-5 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Scratch a design onto a painted CD. Supplies provided.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Colorado Needleworkers

Pueblo West Stitch-In

6-8 p.m.

Ages 16 and older.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

Calligraphy 101

1-2:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Taught by Leslie Barstad of the Colorado Calligraphers' Guild, this weekly calligraphy workshop will teach everything from the basics to the more advanced skills.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

Alive Inside

A Story of Music of Music and Memory

4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. In this documentary, Dan Cohen, founder of the nonprofit organization Music & Memory, demonstrates music's ability to combat memory loss and restore a deep sense of self to those suffering from it.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Nerf and Roblox Lock In

6:00pm-8:00pm

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 8 to 13. Join us after the library closes for an evening of Nerf and Roblox fun.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Veteran

Information Brief

Learn More About

Veteran Benefits

9 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older. Learn and ask questions about Veteran benefits including Pueblo resources, spouse benefits, end of life planning, and more.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Southeastern Colorado

Genealogical Society

Prussia and the Eastern

German Diaspora

2-4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Guest speaker Mark Rabideau joins us virtually to share strategies for researching ancestors.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Yarn Hoarders

Anonymous

Crochet Club

3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Cozy crochet crafting open to all levels.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Sky Corral R/C Club

6-8 p.m.

Family. Monthly model airplane club meeting. Visitors welcome.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Banned Book Club

"Skeleton Crew"

by Stephen King

7-8:30 p.m.

Ages 16 and older. Join us at PW for a book club featuring Banned and Challenged books. Each month will feature a banned or challenged book. This month, "Skeleton Crew" by Stephen King.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

APR Adult Craft

Vintage Sheet

Music Coasters

1-3 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Create a unique set of drink coasters using vintage music sheets.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Zine Workshop

3-5 p.m.

All ages. Learn the history and art of the Zine. Create your own zine using magazines, stamps, lyrics, and more.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Foreign Film Series

"Wunderkinder"

6:30-9 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. A tale of three exceptionally musically talented children, who develop a deep and genuine friendship, extending beyond their different religions and nationalities.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Calligraphy 101

1-2:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Taught by Leslie Barstad of the Colorado Calligraphers' Guild, this weekly calligraphy workshop will teach everything from the basics to the more advanced skills.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

Mystery Book Club

7 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Monthly discussion of selected book.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Yogapalooza

Zoom! Vroom! Beep!

10 a.m.

Family. Planes, trains, and yoga games! Stretch, move, and play with things that go.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

Dungeons and Dragons:

Campaign Two

2-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Join us at the library for a monthly Dungeons and Dragons session.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Adult Craft Series

Faux insect Taxidermy

3-5 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Create your own faux insect taxidermy using fake insects, paint, ribbons, glitter, and more.

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Pueblo West Library, cont.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Things That Go Bump in the Lore
Spooky Folkloric Creatures from Around the World
6:30-8 p.m.

Ages 13 and older. Storyteller and folklore expert, Shannon Shatzer, will discuss creepy creatures from global folklore through storytelling and visuals. Perfect for the Halloween season.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Calligraphy 101
1-2:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Taught by Leslie Barstad of the Colorado Calligraphers' Guild, this weekly calligraphy workshop will teach everything from the basics to the more advanced skills.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Love and Transfiguration
A Film Screening
4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Filmed at Sydney's Carriageworks, the Australian Chamber Orchestra take us on an exquisitely beautiful and moving journey about love's emotional highs and lows.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Music and Movement Storytime
10 a.m.

Family. Join us for a special Music and movement storytime at Pueblo West.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

Pueblo West Chess Club
11 a.m.-1 p.m.
All ages. Gather together with other chess enthusiasts and sharpen your skills.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

Yarn Hoarders Anonymous
Crochet Club
3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Cozy crochet crafting open to all levels. Two staff members will be on hand to help beginners. Bring a project or start a new one. Hooks and yarn are available, but bring your own if you can.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Pueblo West Book Club
7 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Monthly discussion of selected book.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Calligraphy 101
1-2:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Taught by Leslie Barstad of the Colorado Calligraphers' Guild, this weekly calligraphy workshop will teach everything from the basics to the more advanced skills.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Halloween Trunk-n-Treat
3-6 p.m.

Family. Little goblins, little ghosts, Scaring folks, Themselves the most! All are welcome at our annual trunk-n-treat Halloween celebration. Wear your costume and enjoy free candy, books, and music.

Rawlings Branch Library

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OCTOBER 1-31

ARTober
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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OCTOBER 1-31

Expressions Of A Native Son

We are delighted to showcase Rick Espinoza's remarkable mastery of color and form, inviting viewers to explore a vivid tapestry of cultural heritage, imagination, and the human experience.

OCTOBER 3-31

Boys & Girls Clubs of Pueblo County Youth Art Exhibit

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Pueblo County proudly celebrates the creativity and imagination of young artists ages 6 to 17. In partnership with the Think 360 Arts for Learning.

MONDAYS

Bilingual Storytime

Cuentos y Cantos
11 a.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

Family.

TUESDAYS

Open Tech Lab

3-5 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor

Adult. Free tech help with digital devices.

TUESDAYS

Clase de Conversación en Inglés

English

Conversation Class

5:30 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor

Ages 18 and older.

¡Acompáñanos a conversaciones informales en inglés para mejorar tus habilidades de habla y escucha! Join us for casual English conversations to strengthen your speaking and listening skills!

TUESDAYS

Beginner Spanish Class

6-7:30 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor

Ages 13 and older.

WEDNESDAYS

Baby Storytime

10 a.m.

Juvenile.

WEDNESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Juvenile.

WEDNESDAYS

Clase de Inglés - Nivel Principiante

Beginner English Class

10:30- a.m.-noon Thurston Meeting Room, first floor

Ages 13 and older. ¡Practica hablar, leer y escribir inglés en una clase amistosa para principiantes! Practice speaking, reading, and writing English.

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Monday – Thursday | 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Sunday | 1-5 p.m.

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WEDNESDAYS

Clase de Conversación en Inglés

English Conversation Class

12:15 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor
Ages 18 and older.
¡Acompáñanos a conversaciones informales en inglés para mejorar tus habilidades de habla y escucha! Join us for casual English conversations to strengthen your speaking and listening skills!

WEDNESDAYS

Cooperative Drawing

1:30-3:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Work on collaborative artwork with Bob Marsh

WEDNESDAYS

Digital Memory Lab Open Hours

Learn How to Digitize Your Family History
4-6 p.m. Local History and Genealogy Dept., third floor

Ages 18 and older. Need help preserving your family's history? Our staff is on hand to provide guidance and assistance with digitizing your home movies, photos, and other personal media. No reservation is required.

WEDNESDAYS

TableTop Gaming Club

5:30-8 p.m. Friends of the Library Room, first floor
Ages 18 and older.
October 1: Boardgame day!
October 8: RPG Extravaganza!
October 15: Learn Magic The Gathering!
October 22: RPG One-Shot!
October 29: MTG Draft!

WEDNESDAYS

Clase de Inglés - Nivel Principiante

Beginner English Class
6-7:30 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor
Ages 13 and older. ¡Practica hablar, leer y escribir inglés en una clase amistosa para principiantes! Practice speaking, reading, and writing English in a friendly beginner class.

THURSDAYS

Tween Hangout!

4 p.m.
Ages 8 to 12. Get together with other tweens Create, game and hangout. Every week is something new.

THURSDAYS

Language Hangout

4:30 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor
Ages 13 and older. Is there a language you want to learn? Practice your conversational skills with other language learners. Tea and snacks provided while supplies last

FRIDAYS

Preschool Storytime

11 a.m. Youth Program Room, second floor
Juvenile. Books come alive for children and their favorite adults while supporting early literacy and preschool skills.

SATURDAYS

Open Maker Hours in the Maker Space

Noon-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
All ages. Bring a project your working on, an idea you have, or come to just enjoy creating with provided supplies.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Craft Along

Audio Book Club
5:30-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Join Sharon for some crafting of your choice, just bring a project you are working on, while listening to a cozy audiobook. Tea and snacks provided.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

Homeschool: Radical Reptiles with Nature's Educators

11 a.m. Youth Program Room, second floor
Family. Homeschool families, come learn about reptiles and amphibians and meet a handful of live herptiles up close. This is an educational and fun event for homeschool children and their guardians.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

Classical, Cozy Fall Crafting

Open Maker Hours
1-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 9 and older. Join us a relaxing time listening to classical music while crafting! Feel free to bring your own craft, or come take advantage of available supplies.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

The Life of a Showgirl Listening Party

4-5:30 p.m. Teen Space, second floor
Family. Step into your showgirl era! Join us as we celebrate the release of Taylor Swift's 12th studio album, The Life of a Showgirl. All ages are welcome, but parental discretion is advised.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3

A Literary Concert Experience with the Pocket Philharmonic

6:30-9 p.m.
Family. Experience The Violin Conspiracy through music with the Pocket Philharmonic. Enjoy themed selections, storytelling, and refreshments at this special afterhours kickoff event.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

All Pueblo Reads Kickoff: Music, Makers & Magic!

11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Family. Celebrate All Pueblo Reads with live music from the Ukulele Choir & Pueblo Municipal Band, plus crafts for kids to make instruments & prep costumes. Fun for the whole family.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

The Writers of the Minute

An Author's Gathering
Noon-1:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 13 and older. Join some fellow local authors in some brain-storming, tip-sharing, and talking shop over some snacks, tea, and coffee (of course)!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4

Ply and Dye Yarn

2-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 12 and older. Join Melissa in plying and dyeing your yarn.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 6

All locations are closed

All locations are closed for Cabrini Day and Staff Development Day.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

Office Hours with Senator Hickenlooper's Casework Advocates

10 a.m.-noon Chostner Study Room, second floor
Ages 18 and older. Sen. Hickenlooper's Constituent Advocates offer assistance with federal programs or agencies. The office can assist with passport applications, Department of Veterans Affairs benefits, Small Business Administration programs, federal taxes, immigration, and more.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

All Pueblo Reads Adult Storytime

11 a.m. Quiet Reading Area, second floor
Ages 18 and older. When was the last time someone read to you? Come have a snack and hear selections from this year's All Pueblo Reads book.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

Tea & Makes

2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 9 and older. Make collaborative art and music. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Braids & Tradition: Exploring Oaxacan Ribbon Braiding

4-5:30 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor
All ages. Discover the beauty, symbolism, and skill behind Oaxacan ribbon braids—a stunning tradition that weaves together heritage, identity, and artistry.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

Beginner Leather Work Class with Sonya

6-8 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and older. Discover the timeless craft of leather working in this hands-on, beginner-friendly class. In this class, create a keychain.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

Hispanic Heritage Film Series

1:30-4:30 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor
All ages. Join us in celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month with a screening of "Selena" (PG).

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

Boo-tiful Bookcraft

5-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Find your next spooky read and create a haunted book journal to keep track.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Open Ukulele Choir

11 a.m. Maker Space, first floor
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
All ages. Make music and learn with instructor Claire! Limited spaces, please register for each date. Participants are encouraged to bring their own ukuleles.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Explore the Hobby of 3D Printing!

1-3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 12 and older. Join Jeremy Morgan of Thinker's Alchemy to learn the basics of 3D printing, and how to design fun objects in Tinkercad.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

Chess with Mark from HardKnox Gang Prevention & Intervention

3:30-5:30 p.m. Teen Space, second floor
Ages 9 and older. Work on your chess game and your critical thinking with mentor Mark Salazar of Hardknox Gang Prevention Pueblo. Pizza and lemonade provided.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Tea & Makes +Resin Art

Noon-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 13 and older. Learn to make resin art and resin jewelry. All supplies provided while supplies last. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Researching Hispanic Ancestry

2:30 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Researching Hispanic ancestry offers centuries of rich records. Learn to discover and translate the records of your ancestors.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

The People's Choir of Southern Colorado

3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
All ages. Join Jody and Clare of The People's Choir for an hour of singing together.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

Stradivarius of the West

Maker Space, first floor

Reception: 5-6 p.m.

Program: 6-7:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. The Story of the Stradivarius of the West is a historical lecture and performance by Aaron Zimola. The story follows the extraordinary life of George W. Fisk, one of the most renowned violin makers of the late 19th century, whose violins were loved by many, including Ede Remenyi, Elbert Hubbard, and Colorado Governor Benjamin Eaton.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Hispanic Heritage Film Series

3-6 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor
All ages. Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with a screening of "Cesar Chavez" (PG-13).

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13

Library to You Information Session

4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Stop by to find out more about the Library To You Homebound Program. It's a free library service that brings library materials to those who are unable to visit. Tea and snacks provided, while supplies last. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

Rawlings Mystery Book Club

4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Discuss mystery reads while enjoying tea and snacks. This month, the All Pueblo Reads book "The Violin Conspiracy" by Brendan Slocumb. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14

Adult Learning Session

5:30-7 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor
Ages 18 and older. Adult Learning Sessions empower participants with essential reading and writing skills. Must be able to read and write in English at a basic level.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Craft Along

Audio Book Club

5:30-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Join Sharon for some crafting of your choice, just bring a project you are working on, while listening to a cozy audiobook. Tea and snacks provided.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Preschool Blacklight Dance Party

11 a.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor
Juvenile. Wear neon colors and dance to kid's techno music, including EDM remixes of children's music, played by a live DJ.

→ ALL PUEBLO READS

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Classical, Cozy Fall Crafting

Open Maker Hours

1-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

Ages 9 and older. Join us a relaxing time listening to classical music while crafting! Feel free to bring your own craft, or come take advantage of water colors, giant coloring, and drawing.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

Curious and Creepy Crafts

2-3:30 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

Ages 9 to 12. You're invited to an afternoon of eerie crafting at the library-including monster portraits and DIY wreaths. All materials provided, while supplies last.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

All Ages Blacklight Dance Party

6:30-9 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor

All ages.. Wear neon colors and bring big energy to dance to the latest electronic dance music with a live DJ.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

The Writers of the Minute

An Author's Gathering

Noon-1:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

Ages 13 and older. Join some fellow local authors in some brain-storming, tip-sharing, and talking shop over some snacks, tea, and coffee- of course.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

3D Printing in the Professional World

1-3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 12 and older. After the 3D Printing Hobby program, join Jeremy Morgan from Thinker's Alchemy to explore the world of 3D Printing further by learning about professional applications.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

Stamp Club

1-3 p.m. Friends of the Library Meeting Room, first floor

All ages. Learn about stamp collecting. Donations of foreign and/or U.S. stamps for free distribution at club meetings are welcome.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20

Ask a Genealogist!

2-4 p.m. Local History and Genealogy Dept. third floor
Ages 18 and older. Bring your family history questions for one-on-one assistance.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

SNAP Event

10 a.m.-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Find out if you qualify for SNAP benefits. In person interviews.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

Write Your Own Mystery Workshop

4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 9 and older. Explore the art and craft of writing your own mystery while sharing ideas and having fun. Tea and snacks provided, while supplies last. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Tea & Makes

2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 9 and older. Make collaborative art and music. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Musical Bingo

5 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor
Family. Excited about All Pueblo Reads and want a little musical mystery of your own? Come play musical bingo and see if you can guess all of the songs! Lyrics will be provided for all song snippets played.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Screen Printing

5:30-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor
Ages 9 and older. Print a spooky design on a tote bag.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Origami Odyssey

7-8:30 p.m.
All ages. Origami Odyssey is for intermediate and advanced folders. Come ready to learn new and wonderful folds in the Japanese art of paper folding.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Medicare 101

2-4 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Melissa Strait from Senior Resource Development Agency discusses Medicare basics. Snacks provided, while supplies last. For more info, call (719) 553-3453.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23

Shadowed Memories: Victorian Hair Art with a Spooky Twist

5-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 13 and older. Whether you're inspired by history, intrigued by the gothic, or just love getting crafty, this unique workshop is the perfect blend of the sentimental and the spooky.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Hispanic Heritage Film Series

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Youth Program Room, first floor

All ages. Join us in celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month and getting ready for Dia de los Muertos with a screening of "Book of Life" (PG).

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Open Ukulele Choir

11 a.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 9 and older. Make music and learn with instructor Claire. Limited spaces, please register for each date. Participants are encouraged to bring their own ukulele, limited ukuleles are provided by the library.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Classical, Cozy Fall Crafting

Open Maker Hours

1-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

Chess with Mark from HardKnox Gang Prevention & Intervention

3:30-5:30 p.m. Teen Space, second floor

Ages 9 and older. Work on your chess game and your critical thinking with mentor Mark Salazar of Hardknox Gang Prevention Pueblo.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

All Pueblo Reads Booklovers Ball

6:30-10 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor

SOLD OUT!

Author talk, dinner and book signing featuring Brendan Slocumb author of the All Pueblo Reads book "The Violin Conspiracy." All proceeds benefit the Pueblo Library Foundation.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24

All Pueblo Reads Contest Deadline

5 p.m.

Design your own violin to symbolize how music makes you feel.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

All Pueblo Reads Public Author Talk with Brendan Slocumb, author of "The Violin Conspiracy"

11 a.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor

Doors open at 10:30 a.m.

Free and open to the public, join us for an author talk and book signing featuring Brendan Slocumb, author of this year's All Pueblo Reads book, "The Violin Conspiracy."

Refreshments provided.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

Sharon Needle Felts

Noon-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Join Sharon to earn how to free form needle felt a decorative musical instrument.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

Beginner Leather Work Class with Sonya

2-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Discover the timeless craft of leather working in this hands-on, beginner-friendly class. In this class, make a traveler's notebook.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27

Spinning Club

1-3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

Ages 18 and older. Join Donna Graham to learn about the ancient art of making yarn and thread from loose fibers.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

Adult Learning Session

5:30-7 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29

Society for Creative Anachronism

Arts & Sciences

6-8:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

All ages. Monthly meeting of SCA.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Queertastic Bookfaire at Ethos: Halloween Edition

5-8 p.m. The Ethos, 615 E Mesa Ave.

Family. Costume contest? Spooky queer reads? Button making? Come to the Queertastic Bookfaire: Halloween Edition for all of this and more.

→ **ALL PUEBLO READS**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

All Pueblo Grows Seed Library

6 p.m. Friends of the Library Meeting Room, first floor
Family. Join the Pueblo County Master Gardeners to learn about timely horticultural topics and gardening tips.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Hispanic Heritage Film Series

Noon-3 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

All ages. Join us in celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month and getting ready for Dia de los Muertos with a screening of "Coco" (PG).

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Trick-or-Treat Library Parade!

11 a.m.

Family. Join us for a fun Halloween parade around the 2nd floor of the library! Meet in the youth area for a short Storytime followed by a trick-or-treating at 8 spots in the library. Costumes encouraged.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

Spook-Tee/Tea with Archives!

6-7:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

Family. Join us for a spook-tacular screen printing using images from the archives in this special after-hours event.

Tote bags will be provided, but you are most welcome to bring your own articles to screen print.



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