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**January's independent film at the InfoZone**

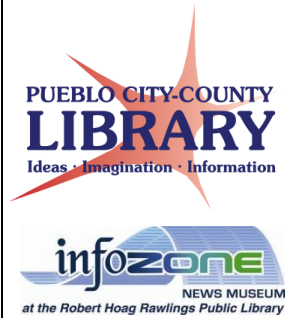
**Pueblo, Colo.** – *Free Men* is the film playing at the InfoZone Theater in the Rawlings Library in January. In German-occupied Paris, a young unemployed Algerian named Younes (played by break-out star, Tahar Rahim) earns his living as a black marketeer. Arrested by the French police but given a chance to avoid jail, Younes agrees to spy on the Paris Mosque. The police suspect the Mosque authorities, including its rector Ben Ghabrit, of aiding Muslim Resistance agents and helping North African Jews by giving them false certificates. At the Mosque, Younes meets the Algerian singer Salim Halali, and is moved by Salim's beautiful voice and strong personality. When Younes discovers that Salim is Jewish, he stops collaborating with the police and gradually transforms from a politically ignorant immigrant into a fully-fledged freedom fighter.

*Free Men* will be shown at 7 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 19 in French with English subtitles. **Doors to the library open for movie attendees at 6:30 pm. and the movie begins at 7 p.m.** Independent films are not rated and may not be suitable for all ages.

Independent films shown in the InfoZone are award-winning movies, honored at many notable festivals held each year around the world. The movies are works by up-and-coming directors from countries such as Canada, Brazil, India Denmark and Italy. The movies are not rated, and recommended for viewers ages 17 and older. Held on the third Saturday evening of each month, Independent Film Night is free to attend, and seating is on a first-come, first-served basis.

The InfoZone News Museum is a division of the Pueblo City-County Library District. All events are free and open to the public. The museum's mission is to provide broader knowledge of news and information. The museum focuses on journalism, the First Amendment, historic news and current events. For more information about the InfoZone News Museum and its events, please call (719) 562-5604.

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