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PUEBLO CITY-COUNTY

news & events

March 2017

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Locations Key:
 AV Avondale Satellite
 BK Barkman

BS Beulah Satellite
 GI Giodone
 LU Lucero

LB Lamb
 LY Library @ the Y
 GV Greenhorn Valley

PW Pueblo West
 RA Rawlings

March is Women's history month

EXHIBITS

Red Cross Nurses display

Wednesday, Mar. 1-31

All library locations

Images of Red Cross nurses during WWI. These women contributed their services to our community, country and also served abroad.



Colorado Women's Hall of Fame

Wednesday, Mar. 1-17, PW

Portrait exhibition from the Colorado Women's Hall of Fame. The exhibit celebrates and informs about the enduring contributions of extraordinary Colorado women. Exhibit courtesy of CSU-Pueblo's Women's Studies program.

MOVIES

Strong Sisters: Elected Women in Colorado

Monday, Mar. 13, 6:30-8 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

A compilation of oral histories from past and current female elected officials is the foundation for this documentary. It examines questions such as why does Colorado have a proud history of electing women to public office?, and inspires today's women to build on our remarkable history. A panel of local elected officials will be available for discussion after the film.

PROGRAMS

Colorado Women's Hall of Fame Presentation

Wednesday, Mar. 1, 2-3 p.m., PW

Betty Heid, chair of the Colorado Women's Hall of Fame, will open the exhibition at a small launch held at Pueblo West Library. She will speak about the Women's Hall of Fame. Other brief comments will be made by other representatives, including Marina Cunin Borer, chair of CSU-Pueblo's Women's Studies program and Frank Vidana from the Pueblo West Library.



Outstanding Women Awards Luncheon

Friday, Mar. 10, Noon, RA, 2nd floor

These awards have honored women who have made important contributions to our community and have celebrated the important role that women have played in Pueblo's history. These awards provide an opportunity for any individual or organization to honor a special woman who has made an impact. Sections of materials on the 2nd floor will be blocked off for the program.

Pants=Power

Thursday, Mar. 16

7 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Trace women's efforts to "steal" both the wearing of pants and the power they represent, from men. Beginning with the origin of trousers, learn about selected periods in American history and how women challenged the system to expand their independence in life and in clothing. A presentation by Eileen Tannich Gose and Kathy Wiederstein DeHerrera, co-authors of *Reflecting Freedom: How Fashion Mirrored the Struggle for Women's Rights*.

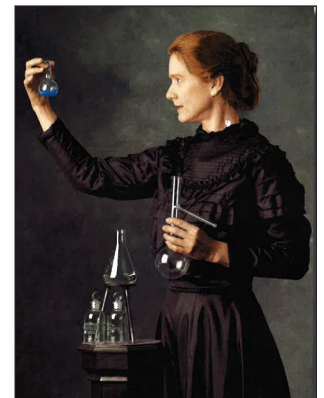


Chautauqua: A Visit with Marie Curie

Thursday, Mar. 30

7 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Time travel back to 1915 to witness the struggles and triumphs of the scientist who discovered a new element that really does glow in the dark. Marie Curie is best known for the discovery of radium and radioactivity and the first treatments for cancer, but few understand the obstacles she faced just to get into the laboratory. Hear her compelling journey. Portrayed by Colorado Humanities scholar Susan Marie Frontczak.



Hours:

Monday – Thursday
 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)
 Friday & Saturday
 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)
 Sunday (Rawlings only)
 1 – 5 p.m.

Phone: 562-5600

Locations:

Barkman Library
 1300 Jerry Murphy Rd.
 Greenhorn Valley Library
 4801 Cibola Dr.
 Colorado City, Colo.
 Giodone Library
 24655 U.S. Hwy 50 E.
 Lamb Library
 2525 S. Pueblo Blvd.
 Library @ the Y
 3200 Spaulding

Lucero Library
 1315 E. 7th St.
 Pueblo West Library
 298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd.
 Rawlings Library
 100 E. Abriendo Ave.

Satellite library locations:

Avondale Elementary
 213 Hwy. 50 E.
 Beulah School
 8734 Schoolhouse Ln.

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Events Calendar March 2017

Storytimes listed on page 8

Exhibits at the branches

- **Wednesday, Mar. 1-17**
• Colorado Women's Hall of Fame, PW
- **Wednesday, Mar. 1-31**
• Women Who Love Nature
• And Men Who Love Nature
RA, Hispanic Resource Center-
2nd floor
- Red Cross Nurses display
All library locations
- M & D Designs Jewelry, PW, Cafe
- **Thursday, Mar. 30-Apr. 29**
Lest We Forget: Remembering the
Great War, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Recurring programs

Mondays

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group, PW
- 1-3 p.m., Lamb Needlework Club, LB
- 3-5 p.m., HardKnox Gang Prevention and Intervention, LU
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW, King Room B
- 4:30-5 p.m., Tai Chi Club, PW
- 6-7 p.m., English Conversation Club, RA, Bret Kelly B
- 6-8 p.m., Citizenship Classes / Clases de Cuidadania, RA, Bret Kelly Room A
- 6:30-8 p.m., English Conversation Club, PW

Tuesdays

- 1-4 p.m., Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group, PW
- 3-5 p.m., HardKnox Gang Prevention and Intervention, LU
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW, King Room B
- 4:30-6 p.m., Tinker Lab, GV
- 6-8 p.m., Ma Jongg Club, PW
- 6 p.m., Advanced English Class, RA, Bret Kelly Room B
- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Tuesdays, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Advisory Board, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor

Wednesdays

- 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. FREE VITA Income Tax E-filing, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 1-3 p.m., Beginning English Classes / Clases de Ingles para Principiantes (no class Mar. 22), LU
- 3-5 p.m., HardKnox Gang Prevention and Intervention, LU
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW, King Room B
- 4 p.m., Kids Club, RA Program Room
- 6-8 p.m., Citizenship Classes / Clases de Cuidadania, RA, Bret Kelly Room A
- 6-8 p.m., Principles of Design: 3 Part Series, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6-8:30 p.m., Society for Creative Anachronism: Beledi Belly Dance Lessons, PW

Thursdays

- 1-4:30 p.m., Crafty Needles, BK
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room
- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Teen BIG Book Club, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor

Fridays

- 9:30-11 a.m., English Conversation Club PW
- 10:30-noon, English Conversation Club: Beginner's class, PW

Education and the Public Library



Jon Walker

by Jon Walker

A vital part of the public library's mission is ensuring support for lifelong learning among the individual members of our community. PCCLD's education basis is important. This has never been clearer than now. In the past year, we further emphasized our commitment to help our local public schools via ConnectED, an initiative which better guarantees local K-12 students have convenient access to the resources of the public library (for more information on this important project, see www.pueblolibrary.org/connected). PCCLD's role in this regard also extends to higher education. This is important. Studies show greater levels of formal education attainment correlate to positive outcomes for long-term economic and social success for individuals and the broader prosperity of communities.

College takes lots of effort to complete and can be expensive. There are many benefits to college education justifying both of these. College graduates earn more money on average during their working lives than people with high school diplomas. The U.S. Census Bureau reports that people with bachelor's degrees earn about one million dollars more over the course of their individual careers than do those whose formal education stops with high school. Individuals with more advanced college degrees beyond baccalaureate enjoy even better wage outcomes. Attending college should be viewed as an investment that pays off later in life.

The economic benefit is one good reason to earn a college degree. There are others. College graduates experience significantly lower rates of unemployment and poverty than high school graduates, and they are generally healthier, boast increased awareness of social issues, realize greater success in switching jobs and relocating based on lifestyle preferences, and have more

time for recreational activities and hobbies. College graduates also generally realize broader knowledge of world history, geography and culture plus improvement in critical thinking skills relevant and useful throughout a lifetime.

Research shows overall education levels parallel a community's welfare. The upside includes greater tax receipts for the common good, more participation in important public policy matters, and higher levels of employment with better paying jobs. College-educated parents are more likely to raise children who obtain a college degree as well.

Research indicates college graduates enjoy healthier lifestyles and the children of college graduates often receive a better start in life as they are aware from an early age about the importance of good nutrition and exercise. This in turn improves the general quality of life and life expectancy rates for college graduates and their entire families.

PCCLD seeks to contribute to local higher education efforts. Our librarians are prepared to assist in numerous ways, whether it is helping individuals select just the right college or major field of study, looking for college financial aid, or plain old studying and preparing for course projects and exams. We also provide special research resources to assist with all of this and more. We know this makes a positive difference both for individuals and for society at large.

In order to further improve upon this, PCCLD recently created formal relationships both with Colorado State University-Pueblo and Pueblo Community College in order to better assist their respective campuses with access to the public library. Now you will see in the academic libraries on both campuses PCCLD services available to complement the learning experiences there. We call these projects Library @ the U and Library @ PCC, respectively.

Our community is a wonderful place to live, work, and raise a family. PCCLD's mission is more fully accomplished through its support for our local K-12 schools, colleges and universities.

ADULT LITERACY

For more info: Jackie Swanson at 553-0206 or email jackie.swanson@pueblolibrary.org.

Wanted: Adult Learners

Improve reading and writing skills or pass a test. Sign up for a tutor today!

Become a VOLUNTEER

Help someone to improve their reading and writing skills. Be a tutor, change lives!

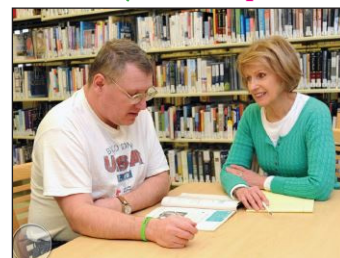
NEW! Mini Libraries

Coming soon to areas in the community! PCCLD Adult Literacy mini libraries. (take a book, leave a book).

English Conversation Club

Mondays, 6-7 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B, 6:30-8 p.m., PW and Fridays, 9:30-11 a.m., PW

NEW! Beginner's class, 10:30-noon, PW
Practice English conversation skills in this friendly group. All levels are welcome.



HOMEBOUND

For more info: call 553-0233 or email homebound@pueblolibrary.org.

Volunteers needed!

Looking for an enjoyable way to make a difference? Help deliver/retrieve library materials to and from customers who are unable to visit.

Homebound Services applications go green!

Send applications electronically! Go to pueblolibrary.org. From the Services tab; select Homebound.



Approximately 600 students at Pueblo Academy of Arts watched Becky Stone perform as Harriet Tubman for Black History Month.



A crowd of 100 gathered in the evening to watch the chautauqua at Rawlings Library.



Colorado Humanities scholar Becky stone adjusts her hair wrap while portraying Harriet Tubman.



Kyle Groves (center) gets help with a magic trick during the Friends of the Library Kid's membership party.



Children pet Shazam, the star of one of Groves' magic tricks.



Pecha Kucha Vol. 19 presenters, front row from left: Buck Weimer, George Samaras, Torri Shafer, Tamara Trujillo and Jane Crayton. Back row: Dustin Hodge, Frank Cordova, John Lavendar and Dave Hayden.



The Leadership Institute kicked off the 2nd class with 10 participants. The first meeting focused on learning about their strengths and leadership styles. They also determined the core values most important to them.

March 2017

- 10:30-11:30 a.m., Kid's Literacy Hub, GV
- 1:30-3:30 p.m., Hard Knox Gang Prevention and Intervention, LU
- 2-6 p.m., Teen Hangout, LB
- 3-4 p.m., Fireside Crochet, GI
- 4-5 p.m., Imagination Chapter, RA

Saturdays

- 10:15 a.m., Spanish Classes, advanced, RA, Bret Kelly Room A
- Noon-2 p.m., American Sign Language for Beginners, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 12:15 p.m., Spanish Classes, beginning, RA, Bret Kelly Room A
- 5:30-6:30 p.m., Yoga, GV (no class Mar. 11)

1 Wednesday

- 10-11:30 a.m., Daylight Book Club, PW
- 2-3 p.m., Colorado Women's Hall of Fame Presentation, PW
- 2-3:30 p.m., Super Seniors: Cloud Computing, RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- 4-5 p.m., Tween Program: Blarney Stones, GI
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Movie Nights: *Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

2 Thursday

- 3-4 p.m., Inspired By: Cesar Chavez, LB
- 3:30-5:30 p.m., Teen Advisory Board, PW, King Room B
- 4-6 p.m., Thursday Afternoon Movies: *Storks* (PG), LU
- 5:30-8:30 p.m., Southern Colorado Watercolor Society, PW
- 6-7 p.m., Teen Advisory Board, GI
- 6:30 p.m., Immigration Presentation by Izaguirre Law Firm, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

3 Friday

- 3:30-5 p.m., Free Legal Self-Help Clinic, LB
- 4-5 p.m., Kid's Bilingual Play Time, GI

4 Saturday

- 10 a.m.-2 p.m. FREE VITA Income Tax E-filing, PW
- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., How to Grow Western Native Plants from Seeds and Cuttings, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Minecraft Gaming Session: tweens/teens, GI
- 12:30 p.m., Southeastern Colorado Genealogical Society, RA, Bret Kelly B
- 2 p.m., *Ratchet & Clank* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3-4 p.m., Arts and Crafts Hour: Buttons, LB
- 3-5 p.m., Beauty & the Beast Tea Party, PW, King Room B

5 Sunday

- 2 p.m., *Ratchet & Clank* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

6 Monday

- 10-11 a.m., Chess Club, LU
- 2-3:30 p.m., McClelland School - Living Museum, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 4-5:30 p.m., Perler Bead Crafts, LU
- 6-8 p.m., Barkman Book Discussion Club, BK

7 Tuesday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Prepare for Success Series: Learn Job Search Resources, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 11 a.m.-Noon, Belated Fat Tuesday Party, LU

March 2017

- 2-4 p.m., Computer Classes: Google Drive and Docs, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 4-5 p.m., Tween Hangout: Game Time, PW, King Room A
- 5-6 p.m., Giodone Book Club and Tea, GI
- 5:45-8:30 p.m., Sacred Mayan Calendar, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

8 Wednesday

- 2-3:30 p.m., Super Seniors: Hacks, RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- 4-5:30 p.m., Teen Tech Week: Makey Makey Musical Water, LU
- 5:30-6:30 p.m., Couponers, GI
- 6-8 p.m., Pueblo Model Railroad Association, PW
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Movie Nights: *Arrival* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 6:30-9 p.m., Pueblo West Writers Group, PW

9 Thursday

- 1-3 p.m., Machine Embroidery Club, PW
- 3-5 p.m., Genealogy Research Sessions, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 3:30-5:30 p.m., Breakout EDU, PW, King Room B
- 3:30-5 p.m., Growing STEAM Makers, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 4-6 p.m., Thursday Afternoon Movies: *The Great Gilly Hopkins* (PG), LU
- 5-6:30 p.m., SoCo Makers Meetup, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 5:30-6:30 p.m., Bikers, Beaners, Borrachos, and Dreamers, GI
- 6-8 p.m., Winter into Spring- An Evening of Myth and Poetry, PW
- 6:30-8 p.m., Astronomy in Southern Colorado, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

10 Friday

- Noon, Outstanding Women Awards Luncheon, RA, 2nd floor
- 2-4 p.m., Beauty & the Beast Tea Party, RA, Youth Program Room

11 Saturday

- 9 a.m.-noon, Waterwise Gardening, PW
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Film Screening: Years of Living Dangerously series, RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo West Genealogy Club, PW
- 2 p.m., *Surf's Up 2: WaveMania* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3-4 p.m., Culinary Time, LB
- 4-5:30 p.m., Maker Studio: Celtic Knot Tying, GV
- 4-5 p.m., Travel Club: Share, plan an adventure, GI

12 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., Origami Odyssey: St. Patrick's Day Origami, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2 p.m., *Surf's Up 2: WaveMania* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

13 Monday

- **Through Mar. 18: Homeschool: Show & Tell Drop Off, RA**
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Afterthoughts, LU
- 4:30-6 p.m., Growing STEAM Makers, GI
- 5:30-7 p.m., Yarn Club, GV
- 6:30-8 p.m., *Strong Sisters: Elected Women in Colorado*, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

TECH TIDBITS

Check this out!

Database Highlight: Mango Languages

Available to residents of Pueblo County with a valid library card.

Go to <http://www.pueblolibrary.org/eresources>, click on Language Learning and choose Mango Online.

Best use: Impress your friends this St. Patrick's Day, learn Irish!

Mango Languages provides online language courses to over 70 world languages. Mango provides lessons that pertain to certain situations such as Italian Romance and Spanish Legal conversations, resulting in practical conversations you can use after each lesson. Learn Spanish, English, Italian or even conversational Pirate!



COMPUTER CLASSES

Held at **RA, Training Room-3rd floor**, classes are free and open to the public. No registration is required for classes. Seating is limited, first come, first served. For complete program descriptions, call 562-5600 or view online at www.pueblolibrary.org and click on the monthly events calendar. Classes taught by PCCLD's E-Resources and Digital Collections librarian, Lori Kozel.



Prepare for Success Series

Tuesdays, 10 a.m.-noon

A four-part series to prepare for an upcoming job search! Learn job search resources, resume writing tips, and interview tips. Basic knowledge of Microsoft Word is recommended.

Mar. 7: Learn Job Search Resources

Mar. 14: Resume Writing
Resume writing tips and resources. Bring work history information.

Mar. 21: Cover Letters
Cover letters, reference page and thank you letters.

Mar. 28: Interview Tips & LinkedIn
Interview tips and Linked-In social media.

Computer Classes

Tuesdays, 2-4 p.m.

Note: Those who do not wish to create a Google account can sit and learn.

Mar. 7: Google Drive and Docs
Create a Google account, navigate Google apps, and create a Google document.

Mar. 14: Google Slides
Create a slideshow presentation via cloud computing. Google/Gmail account required for hands-on participation.

Mar. 21: Google Sheets
Create spreadsheets via cloud computing. Google/Gmail account required for hands-on participation.

Mar. 28: Microsoft Excel
Spreadsheet program Microsoft Excel will be discussed.



Wednesdays, 2-3:30 p.m.

Note room change: RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor

Meet up with friends at PCCLD! Classes are small, relaxed and social. Super Seniors will be cyber Seniors after learning coding and robotics. Learn cloud computing, social media and become more productive with Life Hacks. No computer experience required.

Mar. 1: Cloud Computing

Mar. 8: Life Hacks

Mar. 15: Social Media

Mar. 22: Coding for Seniors

Mar. 29: Robotics for Seniors



PROGRAMS AT THE IDEA FACTORY

All programs held at **RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor**. **Registration required for all.** For more info or to register contact Derrick Mason at 553-0213 or email derrick.mason@pueblolibrary.org.

American Sign Language for Beginners



Saturdays, Mar. 4-25, Noon-2 p.m.

Learn American Sign Language from ADA Advocate Dale Buterbaugh. Increase knowledge to communicate with others.

Note: class is not for ASL Certification.

Principles of Design: 3 Part Series

Wednesdays, Mar. 8, 15, 29, 6-8 p.m.

Mar. 8: Idea Development & Illustration

Mar. 15: Print Art Production

Mar. 29: Concepts of Digital Media.

Supplies provided. Instruction provided by Carisa LVG, a professionally trained illustrator who consults and produces branding solutions in many forms ranging from website structure to social media.

Astronomy in Southern Colorado

Thursday, Mar. 9, 6:30-8 p.m.

Series continues as Astronomer Dave Furry discusses "What's up in the March night sky?," "The Astronomy of the Ancient Celts," and "Observing Venus."

SoCo Makers Meetup

Thursday, Mar. 9, 5-6:30 p.m.

Calling all Southern Colorado, tinkerers, hackers, makers, innovators, and DIY creators! Come share, collaborate and participate in the local Maker community. Bring projects or pictures and video of projects to show and tell, three slots available each meeting on a first come basis. Just add your name to the list at the beginning of each meeting to participate. Find inspiration and network with other local doers in our community.



Origami Odyssey

St. Patrick's Day Origami

Sunday, Mar. 12, 2-4 p.m.

Fold Origami with St. Patrick's Day themes. Beginner's welcome!

Small Purse Embroidery

Monday, Mar. 27, 2-4 p.m.

Decorate a "wallet on a string" purse with unique embroidery. Deadline to register: Monday, Mar. 13. Embroidery supplies provided.

Movies @ the Library

See a favorite film at one of the many library locations listed!



All movies are free!



Most movies are held at **Rawlings Library, InfoZone-4th floor** unless otherwise specified.

Kids Movie Matinees

Saturdays and Sundays, 2 p.m.

Ratchet & Clank (PG), Mar. 4, 5

Surf's Up 2: WaveMania (PG)

Mar. 11, 12

Middle School: The Worst Years of

My Life (PG) Mar. 18, 19

Scooby Doo and WWE: Curse of the

Speed Demon (NR) Mar. 25, 26

Teen Movie Night

Thursday, Mar. 30

3:30-5:30 p.m., PW, King Room B

The Legend of Tarzan (PG-13)

Film Screening: Years of Living Dangerously series

Saturdays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Discussion, snacks to follow.

Join some of Hollywood's environmentally active celebrities as they travel the globe from Miami to China searching for solutions to becoming a clean energy city. Although every episode stands alone, each of the eight installments presents a different aspect to the renewable energy sources problem along with some encouraging solutions. Eight-part series.

Mar. 11: *Fueling the Fire*, Arnold Schwarzenegger/

Gisele Bundchen

Mar. 25: *Collapse of the Oceans*, Joshua Jackson

Independent Film

Breathe (French with English subtitles)

Saturday, Mar. 18, 6:30-8:30 p.m.



Breathe

grows tired of her staid friends. Enter Sarah, a confident and charismatic new transfer student who brings with her an alluring air of boldness and danger. The two form an instant connection that leads to intimacy, jealousy and an inevitable collapse.

Thursday Afternoon Movies

Thursdays, 4-6 p.m., LU

Storks (PG) Mar. 2

The Great Gilly Hopkins (PG) Mar. 9

Wednesday Movie Nights

Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.

Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar

Children (PG-13) Mar. 1

Arrival (PG-13) Mar. 8

Hell or High Water (R) Mar. 15

Saving Mr. Banks (PG-13) Mar. 22

Deadpool (R) Mar. 29

Spring Break Movies

Monday-Friday, Mar. 20-24

11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Jumanji (PG) Mar. 20

Tangled (PG) Mar. 21

How to Train Your Dragon (PG)

Mar. 22

Mary Poppins (G) Mar. 23

The Peanuts Movie (G) Mar. 24

Hispanic Resource Center Film

Thursday, Mar. 16, 6:30 p.m.

Amor, Dolor y Viceversa (R)

2017 STORYMODE INDEPENDENT SHORT FILM AWARDS

For more information and to reserve seats online:

storymodefilms.com or email: info@storymodefilms.com.

Friday, Mar. 31, 4-6 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

4-6 p.m.: Special screening of a new feature-length indie film, followed by a panel discussion with the cast and crew. (Film TBA-head to storymodefilms.com for more info.)

Saturday, Apr. 1, 5:30-9 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

5:30 p.m.: Red Carpet filmmaker interviews

6 p.m.: SISFA Pre-Show presented by Sound Dokta G

6:30 p.m.: Awards-The Live Presentation of short films and awards, hosted by YouTube filmmakers.

9 p.m.: SISFA after-party: Network and celebrate a night of fun (Location TBA, visit storymodefilms.com for info)

An exciting celebration of film and fun where short films are showcased and awards are given to the winners. Presented in a live Oscar-esque fashion, the festival includes filmmaker panels, musical performances and audience voting. It's the only Colorado festival that combines live stage elements with amazing films, creating an experience that is like no other.

March 2017

14 Tuesday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Prepare for Success Series: Resume Writing, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 11 a.m.-Noon, Leprechaun Traps, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Computer Classes: Google Slides, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 3:30-5:30 p.m., Growing STEAM Makers, PW, King Room A
- 4 p.m., Retro-Gaming, BK
- 5:30-6:30 p.m., Family Craft Time: Leprechaun Jars, GI
- 5:45-8:30 p.m., Sacred Mayan Calendar, RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 6-8 p.m., Genealogy Research Sessions, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor
- 6-9 p.m., Shutterbug Photography Club, PW

15 Wednesday

- 2:30 p.m., Super Seniors: Social Media, RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- 4-5 p.m., Teen Program: Anti-Pinch projects, GI
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Rhythm Session with Drums and Rattles, LU
- 6-7:30 p.m., Social Security Administration: Disability, Medicare and Working While Disabled, PW
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Movie Nights: *Hell or High Water* (R), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

16 Thursday

- 3:30-5:30 p.m., St. Patrick's Day Crafts, PW, King Room B
- 4-6 p.m., Growing STEAM Makers, LU
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Tween Science: Leprechaun Traps, GV
- 6-8 p.m., Wordsmith and Storytellers, GI
- 6:30 p.m., Hispanic Resource Center Film: *Amor, Dolor y Viceversa* (R), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 7 p.m., Pants=Power, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Mystery Book Club, PW

17 Friday

- St. Patrick's Day
- 4-6 p.m., Scrap Glass: Mosaics, GI
- 6-8 p.m., Minecraft Lock-Ins, BK, PW
- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Laughter Yoga, PV

18 Saturday

- 10 a.m.-2 p.m. FREE VITA Income Tax E-filing, RA
- 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Tree Pruning Workshop with Perennial Favorites, GV
- 11 a.m.-1:15 p.m., Wildscape Ambassador Train the Trainer Workshop, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 2 p.m., *Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., Independent Film: *Breathe*, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

19 Sunday

- 2 p.m., *Middle School: The Worst Years of My Life* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

20 Monday

- Through Mar. 24: Homeschool: Show & Tell Display, RA
- 11 a.m., *Jumanji* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 2-4 p.m., Wii Gaming Session, LU
- 3 p.m., *Jumanji* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3:30-4:30 p.m., Dino-Mite Dinosaurs, BK
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room

March 2017

- 6:30-9 p.m., Pueblo West Writers Group, PW

21 Tuesday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Prepare for Success Series: Cover Letters, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 10 a.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, LY
- 11 a.m., *Tangled* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 2-4 p.m., Computer Classes: Google Sheets, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 2-3:30 p.m., Creation Studio: Making Chocolate Treats, LB
- 2-3 p.m., Minute To Win It, LU
- 3 p.m., *Tangled* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3 p.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, PW
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room
- 4-6 p.m., After School Hangout: Newspaper handbag, GI
- 4:30-6 p.m., Adult Coloring, BK

22 Wednesday

- 11 a.m., *How to Train Your Dragon* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th
- 11 a.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, LB
- 2-3:30 p.m., Super Seniors: Coding for Seniors, RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- 2-3 p.m., Homeschool: Show & Tell Presentations, RA, Youth Program Room
- 3 p.m., *How to Train Your Dragon* (PG), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3 p.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, GV
- 3-6 p.m., Sew Happy: Decorative t-shirts, PW
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Movie Nights: *Saving Mr. Banks* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

23 Thursday

- 10-11 a.m., Homeschool: Show & Tell Presentations, RA, Youth Program Room
- 11 a.m., *Mary Poppins* (G), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 11 a.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, LU
- 3 p.m., *Mary Poppins* (G), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3 p.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, GI
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room
- 5-6:30 p.m., Spring Clean Detox, GI
- 6-7:30 p.m., The 1680 Pueblo Indian Revolt in New Mexico, RA-InfoZone-4th floor

24 Friday

- Homeschool: Show & Tell Display, RA
- 10 a.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, RA
- 10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Bonfils Blood Drive, PW, library parking lot
- 11 a.m., *The Peanuts Movie* (G), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 2-6 p.m., Minecraft Hangout, LB
- 3 p.m., *The Peanuts Movie* (G), RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 3 p.m., Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library, BK
- 4-5 p.m., Hangouts, RA, Youth Program Room
- 4-5 p.m., Dino-Mite Dinosaurs, GI
- 6-8 p.m., Laser Tag Lock In, GI

What's happening at the library

For more info/questions on programs or to register call 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org.

BOOK CLUBS

Daylight Book Club

Wednesday, Mar. 1, 10-11:30 a.m., PW

Book: *The Girl from Venice* by Martin Cruz Smith.

Barkman Book Discussion Club

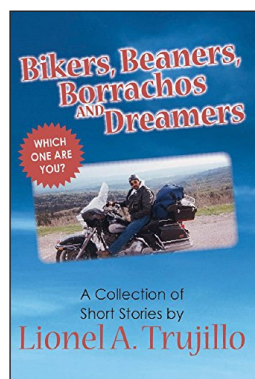
Monday, Mar. 6, 6-8 p.m., BK

Book: *The Nest* by Cynthia D'Aprix Sweeney.

Giodone Book Club and Tea

Tuesday, Mar. 7, 5-6 p.m., GI

Book: *To the Lighthouse* by Virginia Woolf.



Bikers, Beaners, Borrachos, and Dreamers

Thursday, Mar. 9 5:30-6:30 p.m., GI

Author Lionel A. Trujillo shares stories from his book. This collection of well-told adventures, can easily trigger a flood of memories if having lived through the same times. T young to remember? This is a good primer of what was happening a generation ago.

Mystery Book Club

Thursday, Mar. 16, 7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *The Butterfly Garden* by Dot Hutchinson.

Cook the Book Club

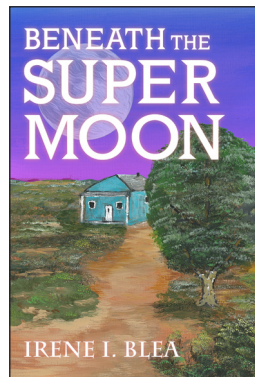
Saturday, Mar. 25, 1-2:30 p.m., LB

Registration required. Read a book and then bring a dish inspired by it. This potluck-style book club will satiate your appetite for literary discussion (and for snacks!) This month's book: *Guilty as Cinnamon* by Leslie Budewitz.

Pueblo West Book Club

Monday, Mar. 27, 7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *Refuge: An Unnatural History of Family and Place* by Terry Tempest Williams.



Author Visit: Dr. Irene Blea

Thursday, Mar. 30 6:30-8 p.m., LU

Adults. Author Dr. Irene Blea discusses her third book in the Suzanna trilogy, *Beneath the Super Moon*. Book signing to follow discussion. Refreshments provided.

CLASSES/PROGRAMS

HardKnox Gang Prevention and Intervention

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 3-5 p.m., LU and Fridays, 1:30-3:30 p.m., LU

All ages. Program focuses on addressing high risk/need areas such as the anti-social behaviors, thinking and personalities seen in gang members. Addresses negative peer groups and aims to work toward strengths in the areas of housing, education, recreation time, substance abuse and family relations.

Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

NEW DAY! Friday, Mar. 3, 3:30-5 p.m., LB

Registration required. Call 562-5672. A FREE legal clinic for parties who have no attorney, via computer link. Volunteer attorneys will answer questions, help fill out forms, and explain the process and procedure for the legal issues in many areas.

Sacred Mayan Calendar

Tuesdays, Mar. 7, 14 and 28

5:45-8:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Mayan AjQ'ij, Eduardo Griego Julajuj B'atz present the second series of the Sacred Mayan Calendar that teaches the legacy of the ancient teachings of the Maya and how present day humans can apply this science to living in the light. Discussions include prophecies of the Maya and how their predictions can help us. Each person attending receives a short reading of their birthday, their glyph and tone.

Winter into Spring—An Evening of Myth and Poetry

Thursday, Mar. 9, 6-8 p.m., PW

Adults. Wordsmiths & Storytellers present Annette Meserve and Cecelia Brownfoote performing, *Winter into Spring*, a program of traditional tales and original poetry. Refreshments provided.

Social Security Administration: Disability, Medicare and Working While Disabled

Wednesday, Mar. 15, 6-7:30 p.m., PW

Bridget Byerly, Public Affairs Specialist with the Social Security Administration, discusses eligibility factors, how to apply and appeal, what to report when on benefits, medical reviews and work incentives. She also will help participants navigate the SSA website set up a mySSA account.

Wordsmith and Storytellers

Thursday, Mar. 16, 6-8 p.m., GI

A local group of poets and authors reads from their individual creative works. Enjoy an evening of diverse stories told by a unique troupe of writers. Books for sale and refreshments provided.

Wildscape Ambassador Train the Trainer Workshop

Saturday, Mar. 18

11 a.m.-1:15 p.m., RA, Ryals room-4th floor

Free event, but registration required. Visit: <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/2766550>.

Enjoy gardening? Want to promote native landscapes, so others can enjoy the benefits of gardening for wildlife? Attend this train-the-trainer workshop made possible by the partnerships between Arkansas Valley Audubon Society, Pueblo City-County Library District, Audubon Rockies, Colorado Native Plant Society and High Plains Environmental Center. We will engage and train volunteers on spreading the word about actively restoring natural habitat for birds, butterflies and other pollinators by implementing water-wise and native gardens on our landscapes.

Creative Non-Fiction Workshop

Saturday, Mar. 25, 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m., PW

Register at www.pueblowestwriters.wix.com/pwwg. Creative non-fiction workshop.

Vinyl Destination

Tuesday, Mar. 28, 6 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Adults. Share a favorite record with other vinyl enthusiasts!

COMING IN APRIL!

Lest We Forget: Pueblo Remembers WWI

Saturday, Apr. 8, 5 p.m., Memorial Hall, 1 City Hall Place

Event is free and open to the public. In memory of the Centennial of America's entry into WWI, a Centennial commemoration ceremony will be held to honor those who served in WWI. The event features Judd Bankert as President Woodrow Wilson. He has been portraying President Wilson as part of the Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library and Birthplace's living-history program since 2000.

In addition to the Woodrow Wilson portrayal, Al Eberhardt will perform music of WWI and photos contributed by the community will be showcased in a memorial ceremony. Additional WWI events will take place in the community throughout 2017.

EXHIBIT

Lest We Forget: Remembering the Great War

Thursday, Mar. 30-Apr. 29, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Lest We Forget: Remembering the Great War an exhibition exploring the history of World War I and the Puebloans who served. The exhibition will be on view from March 30- April 29.

CRAFTS

Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group

Mondays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., PW

Lamb Needlework Club

Mondays, 1-3 p.m., LB

Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group

Tuesdays, 1-4 p.m., PW

Crafty Needles Thursdays, 1-4:30 p.m., BK

Southern Colorado Watercolor Society

Thursday, Mar. 2, 5:30-8:30 p.m., PW

Machine Embroidery Club

Thursday, Mar. 9, 1-3 p.m., PW

Yarn Club

Monday, Mar. 13, 5:30-7 p.m., GV

Meet to work on projects, socialize and share advice and patterns. Beginner or experienced welcome. Lessons not included.

Fireside Crochet

Fridays, 3-4 p.m., GI

Mar. 3: Stitches: Ripple Stitch

Mar. 10: Stitches: Shell Stitch

Mar. 17: Stitches: Chevron Stitch

Mar. 24, 31: Flowers: Granny Square Flowers

Scrap Glass

Mosaics

Friday, Mar. 17, 4-6 p.m., GI

Registration required. Cost: \$25.



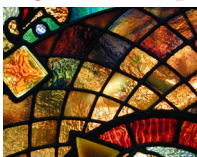
Learn one of the many processes for creating mosaics! Topics include cutting and shaping glass to grouting and preparing a piece for display. Complete a 4-inch by 4-inch letter mosaic to take home.

Class will last 1.5-2.5 hour(s) with drying times.

Suncatchers

Friday, Mar. 31, 4-6 p.m., GI

Registration required. Cost: \$35.



A 2 hour crash course on the "Tiffany" method of stained glass creation. Learn the vital steps for creating stained glass in the copper foil method including grinding to shape and prepare for adhesion to foiling, barnishing and soldering to create a sun-catcher. Choose from a bookworm or Fleur De Lis to complete in class and take home! Class will last 1.5 - 2.5 hour(s) with drying times.



Sew Happy: Decorative t-shirts

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 3-6 p.m., PW

All ages. Registration required. Cost \$10. Create a unique t-shirt of your own design using bling, transfer patterns, iron-on's, vinyl cut-outs, rhinestones and more! Bring a t-shirt in your size to decorate.

Lace Makers of Southern Colorado

Saturday, Mar. 25, 9 a.m.-Noon., PW

Join other lace makers to work on projects and share tips and patterns.

Sewing 101

Tuesday, Mar. 28, 5:30-6:30 p.m., GI

Learn sewing machine basics.

Fairy in a jar Tea Party

Tuesday, Mar. 28, 11 a.m.-Noon, LU

Adults. Create an illuminated jar with a fairy inside. Enjoy a fairy good time!



Cafe Crafts:

Tetrahedral Kites

Wednesday, Mar. 29, 3-6 p.m., PW

All ages. Create a tetrahedral kite to fly at Civic Center Park.

EXHIBIT

M & D Designs Jewelry

Entire month of March, PW, Cafe Moonbeam Schuren and Dee Shepard exhibit hand-made jewelry made with Swarovski crystals.



FOOD

Creation Studio: Making Chocolate Treats

Tuesday, Mar. 21, 2-3:30 p.m., LB

Registration required. Join other adults in learning how to make truffles, fudge and other chocolate-flavored goodies, and sample some treats.



March 2017

25 Saturday

- 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Creative Non-Fiction Workshop, PW
- 9 a.m.-Noon., Lace Makers of Southern Colorado, PW
- 9:30-11:30 a.m., Community Seed Exchange, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Film Screening: Years of Living Dangerously series, RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 11 a.m.-Noon, Energy Healing, GV
- 1-2:30 p.m., Cook the Book Club, LB
- 2 p.m., Scooby Doo and WWE: Curse of the Speed Demon (NR), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

26 Sunday

- 2 p.m., Scooby Doo and WWE: Curse of the Speed Demon (NR), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

27 Monday

- 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Bonfils Blood Drive, RA, parking lot on Bonfils bus
- 2-4 p.m., Small Purse Embroidery, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Afterthoughts, LU
- 7-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Book Club, PW

28 Tuesday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Prepare for Success Series: Interview Tips & LinkedIn, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 11 a.m.-Noon, Fairy in a jar Tea Party, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Computer Classes: Microsoft Excel, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 4-5 p.m., Tween Hangout: Bloxels, PW, King Room A
- 5:30-6:30 p.m., Sewing 101, GI
- 5:45-8:30 p.m., Sacred Mayan Calendar, RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- 6 p.m., Vinyl Destination, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

29 Wednesday

- 2-3:30 p.m., Super Seniors: Robotics for Seniors, RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- 3-6 p.m., Cafe Crafts: Tetrahedral Kites, PW
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Silent Library, LU
- 5-7 p.m., Genealogy Research Sessions, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesday Movie Nights: Deadpool (R), RA, InfoZone-4th floor

30 Thursday

- 3:30-5:30 p.m., Teen Movie Night: The Legend of Tarzan (PG-13), PW, King Room B
- 4:30-5:30 p.m., Foolsball Fablab, LU
- 6:30-8 p.m., Author Visit: Dr. Irene Blea, LU
- 7 p.m., Chautauqua: A Visit with Marie Curie, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

31 Friday

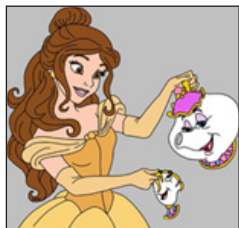
- 4-6 p.m., 2017 Storymode Independent Short Film Awards, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 4-6 p.m., Scrap Glass: Suncatchers, GI

More events on page 11

For more information on Youth Services events, please call 562-5600.

All Ages

Beauty & the Beast Tea Party



Saturday, Mar. 4, 3-5 p.m.,
PW, King Room B
Friday, Mar. 10, 2-4 p.m.,
RA, Youth Program Room
"Be Our Guest" at our special event that will be filled with imagination and fun! Be sure to wear your finest tea attire.

Inspired By: Cesar Chavez

Thursday, Mar. 2, 3-4 p.m., LB

This month: Cesar Chavez. See what he contributed, and how we can learn from and be inspired by one another!

Arts and Crafts Hour

Saturday, Mar. 4, 3-4 p.m., LB

This month: Buttons.



HOMESCHOOL EVENTS

Show & Tell Display

Monday-Saturday, Mar. 20-25, RA

Participate in the first Homeschool Show & Tell event for **ages 5-18!** Share a favorite toy, artistic talent or science fair tri-fold. View favorite items, crafts or science projects displayed by homeschooled students of all ages.

Show & Tell Drop Off

Monday-Saturday, Mar. 13-18, RA

Items may be dropped off during this time. They will be displayed around Youth Services the next week with two presentation dates (below).

Show & Tell Presentations

RA, Youth Program Room

Wednesday, Mar. 22, 2 p.m.

Thursday, Mar. 23, 10 a.m.

Homeschool families, watch as the children do a 5 to 10 minute presentation about their favorite item, craft or science project display board.



Teachers - get a free author visit this April!

Amada Irma Perez, author of *My Diary from Here to There*, visits the Rawlings Library on April 19 and 20. Teachers of grades 1-4 are invited to sign up for a visit at www.pueblolibrary.org/readoutloud. If you can't make the visit, sign up anyway — classes receive a free book and a visit from a PCCLD librarian.

Kids

Tinker Lab

Tuesdays, 4:30-6 p.m., GV

Ages 8 to adult. Multi-purpose workshop to share project ideas and learn about 3D printers, robotics, programming and meet fellow maker-geeks who like to design, create, program and invent.

Kids Club

Wednesdays, 4 p.m., RA Program Room

Ages 4-7. A weekly program designed to encourage creativity while having fun!

Kid's Literacy Hub

Fridays, 10:30-11:30 a.m., GV

Ages 10 and under. Combines sensory, literacy and cognitive instruction and learning skills through the use of fun activities such as puzzles, match and identification games and more!

Kid's Bilingual Play Time

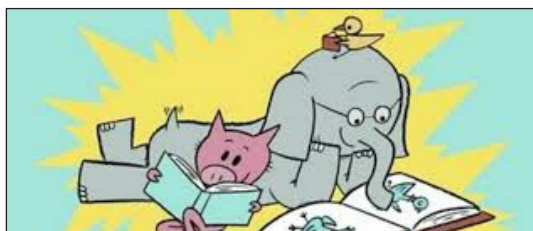
Friday, Mar. 3, 4-5 p.m., GI

Bring your kids to have fun while learning Spanish!

Rhythm Session with Drums and Rattles

Wednesday, Mar. 15, 4:30-5:30 p.m., LU

Cindy Mills leads a "rhythms" session with drums and rattles. Learn how individual rhythms combine to make harmony. Instruments welcome.



Elephant and Piggie Visit the Library

Tuesday, Mar. 21

10 a.m., LY, 3 p.m., PW

Wednesday, Mar. 22

11 a.m., LB, 3 p.m., GV

Thursday, Mar. 23

11 a.m., LU, 3 p.m., GI

Friday, Mar. 24

10 a.m., RA, 3 p.m., BK

Join us to celebrate spring break with Elephant and Piggie! Meet the characters, play games and more.

Dino-Mite Dinosaurs

Monday, Mar. 20, 3:30-4:30 p.m., BK

Friday, Mar. 24, 4-5 p.m., GI

Ages 6 - 12. Dinosaur facts and fun. Rescue a frozen dinosaur and assemble a (faux) dinosaur skeleton.



After School Hangout: Newspaper handbag

Tuesday, Mar. 21, 4-6 p.m., GI

Recycle a newspaper into a handbag.

Contests

Guidelines may be found on entry forms, available at all library's or online at pueblolibrary.org/contests.

Poetry Contest

Grades 2-adult, Deadline: Friday, Apr. 7

Poets are invited to write a poem on a any topic of choice, written in any style. Limit of 3 poems/person.

Bookmark Contest

Grades K-12, Deadline: Friday, Apr. 28

Create a colorful bookmark on the theme of reading!



BARKMAN

Wednesdays

Preschool Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

Thursdays

Toddler Storytime, 10 a.m.

GIODONE

Thursdays

Family Storytime, 11 a.m.

Fridays

Family Storytime, 2 p.m.

GREENHORN VALLEY

Tuesdays

Music and Movement

Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

LAMB

Wednesdays

Toddler Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

Fridays

Preschool Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

LIBRARY @ THE Y

Tuesdays

Toddler Storytime, 9:30 a.m.

Preschool Storytime

10 and 10:30 a.m.

LUCERO

Thursdays

Family Storytime, 11 a.m.

PUEBLO WEST

Mondays

Signing Storytime, 2 p.m.

Tuesdays

Toddler Storytime

10 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Thursdays

Baby Storytime, 10 a.m.

Family Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

RAWLINGS

Mondays

NOTE: NEW DAY!

Bilingual Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

Wednesdays

Baby Storytime, 10 a.m.

Fridays

Toddler Storytime, 10 a.m.

Preschool Storytime, 10:30 a.m.

NOTE: Friday, Mar. 24 only

due to Piggie and Elephant,

10 a.m. storytime

Saturdays

Family

Storytime,

10 a.m.



Tween . . . ages 8 -12

Hangouts

Thursdays, 4-5 p.m., RA, Youth Program Room
Monday-Friday, March 20-24
4-5 p.m., RA, Youth Program Room

Imagination Chapter

Fridays, 4-5 p.m., RA
Ages 8-15. All supplies provided; just bring a big imagination!



Tween Program: Blarney Stones

Wednesday, Mar. 1, 4-5 p.m., GI
Paint a rock for St. Patrick's Day with shamrocks and other designs.

Perler Bead Crafts

Monday, Mar. 6, 4-5:30 p.m., LU
Make key chains with favorite patterns.

Tween Hangout: Game Time

Tuesday, Mar. 7, 4-5 p.m., PW, King Room A
Hangout with friends while playing video games or board games.

Growing STEAM Makers

Thursday, Mar. 9, 3:30-5 p.m.
RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
Monday, Mar. 13, 4:30-6 p.m., GI
Tuesday, Mar. 14, 3:30-5:30 p.m., PW, King Room A
Thursday, March 16, 4-6 p.m., LU
Ages 8 and up.
Have you ever wanted to build a skateboard, guitar, or robot? Do you ever take apart electronics just to see how they work? Participate in similar hands-on activity based STEAM projects at this monthly program.

Colorado State University
Extension

Culinary Time

Saturday, Mar. 11, 3-4 p.m., LB
Registration required. Learn how to make different types of food from all over the world, then sample a tasty snack! This month's theme is smoothies!

Afterthoughts

Mondays, Mar. 13, 27, 4:30-5:30 p.m., LU
Open to 6th grade boys, snacks provided. Do you love the POWER of WORDS? Then definitely join in as we analyze, play with, and create meaning in verse through song lyrics and poetry in the Afterthoughts Club. Sponsored by the Junior League of Pueblo.



Retro-Gaming

Tuesday, Mar. 14, 4 p.m., BK
Play away the afternoon with retro-games! Experience Tiddlywinks, Marbles and Jack and more!



Tween Science: Leprechaun Traps

Thursday, Mar. 16
4:30-5:30 p.m., GV
Learn about physics by creating traps to catch pesky leprechauns this St. Patrick's Day!



Minecraft

Uninterrupted computer play for crafting, fort building and more!

Gaming Session: tweens/teens
Saturday, Mar. 4
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., GI
Registration required.



Lock-Ins

Friday, Mar. 17, 6-8 p.m., BK, PW
Ages 9-13. Registration required; attendance limited. A parent permission form MUST be submitted in order to attend this after-hours event. Register in person or call 562-5600. Pick up a permission slip at the library.

Hangout

Friday, Mar. 24, 2-6 p.m., LB
Play minecraft and do fun activities with friends.

Wii Gaming Session

Monday, Mar. 20, 2-4 p.m., LU
Play Wii games at the library.



Minute To Win It

Tuesday, Mar. 21, 2-3 p.m., LU
Test skills with 60-second challenges with common household items.

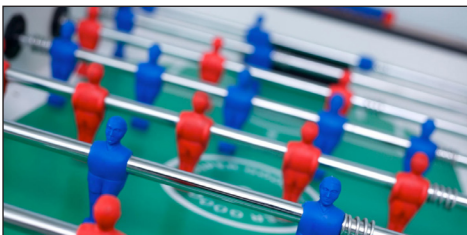
Laser Tag Lock In

Friday, Mar. 24, 6-8 p.m., GI
Registration required. Drop your tweens off for a fun night of laser tag.



Tween Hangout:
Bloxels
Tuesday, Mar. 28,
4-5 p.m.
PW, King Room A

Learn how to use Bloxels to create a video game.



Foosball Fablab

Thursday, Mar. 30, 4:30-5:30 p.m., LU
Make a tabletop Foosball game to take home.

Teen . . . ages 13+

Teen Hangout

Mondays-Wednesdays, 3:30-5 p.m., PW,
King Room B
Fridays, 2-6 p.m., LB
Hangout with friends, play games, have snacks, make crafts and listen to music.

Teen Tuesdays

Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor

Teen BIG Book Club
Thursdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor

Teen Advisory Board
Thursday, Mar. 2



3:30-5:30 p.m.
PW, King Room B
6-7 p.m., GI
Tuesdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
Help plan activities at the library.



Teen Tech Week:

Makey Makey Musical Water

Wednesday, Mar. 8, 4-5:30 p.m., LU
Use Makey Makey and water tubs create a water piano.



Breakout EDU

Thursday, Mar. 9
3:30-5:30 p.m., PW, King Room B
Work as a team to solve puzzles based on Newt Scamandar's book, *Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them* in this escape room challenge. See if you can make it out the fastest!

Teen Program: Anti-Pinch projects

Wednesday, Mar. 15, 4-5 p.m., GI
Make something wearable to avoid the dreaded pinching.



St. Patrick's Day Crafts

Thursday, Mar. 16
3:30-5:30 p.m., PW,
King Room B

Make a green accessory or craft to keep from getting pinched!

Silent Library

Wednesday, Mar. 29, 4:30-5:30 p.m., LU
The name of the game is silent library, and in order to win you must endure "interesting challenges" without making a sound. No laughing allowed.



Teen Movie Night



Thursday, Mar. 30,
3:30-5:30 p.m.
PW, King Room B
The Legend of Tarzan
(PG-13)

DEFinitely stop on by!

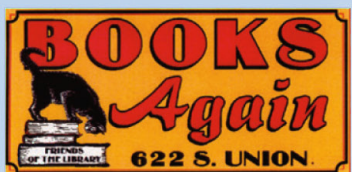


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Friends of the Library president's corner



by Dustin Hodge

On Feb. 11, The Friends of the Library threw a party to celebrate all of the kids who have a membership at Books Again. There was a great turnout and the kids got to enjoy pizza and a magic show. They were also given a certificate to pick out a free book at the book store. A kid's membership makes a great gift for any child who loves to read. On Feb. 21, the FOL held a volunteer luncheon to recognize and honor all of the hard work that volunteers put in at Books Again. Their dedication is what makes it one of the finest used book stores in the state. In 2016, the volunteers put in 9,000 hours.

The Friend's own Caroline Parsley is nominated for this year's Outstanding Women Awards to be held at the Rawlings Library on Mar. 10. These awards have honored women who have made important contributions to our community and have celebrated the important role that women have played in Pueblo's history.



The volunteers of Books Again had a luncheon in their honor in February.

HISPANIC RESOURCE CENTER

For more info: Maria Smyer at 562-5615 or email maria.smyer@pueblolibrary.org.



EXHIBITS

On display: Wednesday, Mar. 1-31
RA, Hispanic Resource Center-2nd floor

Women Who Love Nature

Local painter Mo Keenan-Mason and photographer Linda Cates show their love of life during Women's History Month. For more information, email moremoart@gmail.com or Linda Cates at lindacates11@gmail.com or visit both on Facebook.

And Men Who Love Nature

Local artists Terry Cates and Steve Mason display their paintings.

FILM

Amor, Dolor y Viceversa (R)
Thursday, Mar. 16
6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

A pair of strangers become subconsciously connected after their recurring dreams turn into reality.

Consuelo lleva casi un año soñando con un hombre que se asemeja mucho a su príncipe azul. Sus amigas están convencidas de que se trata sólo de su imaginación, pero para ella se ha convertido en una auténtica obsesión. Al mismo tiempo, Ricardo también lleva algún tiempo teniendo sueños extraños. El destino va a hacer que los dos dejen a un lado el mundo onírico y se encuentren cara a cara en la realidad.



Amor, Dolor y Viceversa

CLASSES

Spanish Classes



Saturdays, starting Mar. 4 through May 20
RA, Bret Kelly Room A, advanced: 10:15 a.m., beginning: 12:15 p.m.

Citizenship Classes / Clases de Ciudadania

Mondays and Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m.

RA, Bret Kelly Room A
Lunes y Miercoles a las 6:00 pm

UVAS presentan sus clases de ciudadania. UVAS presents their citizenship classes.



Advanced English Class

Tuesdays, 6 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly Room B
Martes a las 6:00

Clases de ingles avanzado cada martes.

Beginning English Classes / Clases de Ingles para Principantes

Wednesdays (except Mar. 22), 1-3 p.m., LU
Registration required. Adults. This is a free 16 week English class for beginners. / Este es un clase de Inglés gratis para principantes por 16 semanas.

PRESENTATION

Immigration Presentation by Izaguirre Law Firm
Thursday, Mar. 2

6:30 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
Jueves el 2nd de Marzo a las 6:30 pm

Representatives from the Izaguirre Law Firm will provide a presentation on immigration issues.

¿Busca ayuda o una consulta en asuntos de inmigracion? La abogada Stephanie Izaguirre invita a todos a participar de la presentacion que se realizara. Para mas informacion llama 719-445-0292.



What's happening at the library continued...



GARDENING

How to Grow Western Native Plants from Seeds and Cuttings

Saturday, Mar. 4, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Ed Roland, CSU Extension Native Plant Master and Past President of the SE Chapter, Colorado Native Plant Society explains where to find seeds, how to successfully germinate a wide range of Western Native species, and how to expand gardens with cuttings from a single "parent" plant.

Waterwise Gardening

Saturday, Mar. 11, 9 a.m.-noon, PW

Registration required. To register please call 547-1075 or 547-1557 or email: CattailGardeners@gmail.com.

Learn landscaping techniques to cope with Pueblo West's challenging conditions including: seven steps of Xeriscape, garden design, soil, plant selection, turf alternatives, wildlife. Come with questions, leave with answers!

Tree Pruning Workshop with Perennial Favorites

Saturday, Mar. 18, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., GV

Diana Capen, an owner of Perennial Favorites, talks and demonstrates pruning fruit trees. See pruning techniques that make this a way for almost anyone, in any size yard, to grow one or more fruit trees with less trouble and more fruit harvest than any other method. Discussion and questions to follow.

Community Seed Exchange

Saturday, Mar. 25

9:30-11:30 a.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

Join members of the Colorado Master Gardeners and learn how to sow seeds indoors! Free and open to the public.

GENEALOGY

Southeastern Colorado Genealogical Society

Saturday, Mar. 4, 12:30 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B

Chuck Stout, Aeronautical historian, presents on Aviation history in Colorado.

McClelland School - Living Museum

Monday, Mar. 6

2-3:30 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Watch as the 5th and 6th grade students from the McClelland School re-enact historical figures.

Research Sessions

Thursday, Mar. 9

3-5 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Instructor: Charlene Simms

Focus: Use Ancestry.com to further genealogy studies

Tuesday, Mar. 14

6-8 p.m., RA, Special Collections-3rd floor

Instructor: Charlene Simms

Focus: New Mexico

Wednesday, Mar. 29

5-7 p.m., RA, Special Collections-3rd floor

Instructor: Noreen Riffe

Focus: Finding Lineage

Pueblo West Genealogy Club

Saturday, Mar. 11, 2-4 p.m., PW

Series of presentations on genealogy research skills followed by open forum discussion.

March: Digging Deeper or Beyond the Basics or Think Outside the "Search" Box.

April: Genealogy and DNA.

The 1680 Pueblo Indian Revolt in New Mexico

Thursday, Mar. 23

6-7:30 p.m., RA-InfoZone-4th floor

A cultural conflict between the colonized and the colonizers lead to a reign of terror throughout New Mexico during the latter part of the 17th century. Hundreds of Spanish settlers were forced out, held as hostages or killed. Vera Estrada, Genealogist introduces a selected cluster of ancestors, with a focus on women, who died or were held as captives.

HEALTH

Tai Chi Club Mondays, 4:30-5 p.m., PW

Yoga

Saturdays (except Mar. 11), 5:30-6:30 p.m., GV

Suggested donation: \$3-5.

Increase flexibility, calm the mind and relax muscles. Join certified yoga instructor, Danielle Law for this class designed for all fitness levels. Please bring a mat or towel.



Laughter Yoga

Friday, Mar. 17, 6:30-7:30 p.m., PW

Unleash playfulness and inspire creativity. Engage in gentle stretching, clapping and laughter exercises from a seated or standing position and end with guided relaxation.

Spring Clean Detox

Thursday, Mar. 23, 5-6:30 p.m., GI

Registration required. Natural Remedies coach Lovely Murrell explains how to read labels and to distinguish real food from "food like" substances. NOTE: *The content and materials provided in this workshop are for informational purposes only. It is general information and not a substitute for a Doctor's medical care or advice.*

Bonfils Blood Drive

Friday, Mar. 24

10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., PW, library parking lot

Monday, Mar. 27

10 a.m.-2 p.m., RA, parking lot on Bonfils bus

To schedule your appointment, please contact the Bonfils Appointment Center at 800-365-0006, ext 2. Or feel free to visit as a walk-in to check appointment availability. Walk-ins welcome and will be worked in around scheduled appointments. Please eat a hearty meal and drink lots of water before you donate blood.



Energy Healing

Saturday, Mar. 25, 11 a.m.-Noon, GV

Observe energy healing, a type of adjunct healing that enhances your body to help heal itself. It has been practiced worldwide for over eight centuries. Note: *Not a substitute for regular professional medical care.*

INTERACTIVE GROUPS

Chess Club Monday, Mar. 6, 10-11 a.m., LU

Ma Jongg Club Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., PW

Pueblo West Writers Group

Tuesday, Mar. 7, 6:30-9 p.m., PW

Monday, Mar. 20, 6:30-9 p.m., PW

Pueblo Model Railroad Association

Tuesday, Mar. 7, 6-8 p.m., PW

Focus: making scenery and ground.

Coupons

Wednesday, March 8, 5:30-6:30 p.m., GI

Society for Creative Anachronism: Beledi Belly Dance Lessons

Wednesdays, 6-8:30 p.m., PW

Six week course to learn classic the American Beledi belly dance. Wear comfortable clothes.

Travel Club: Share, plan an adventure

Saturday, Mar. 11, 4-5 p.m., GI

This month: Ireland.

Shutterbug Photography Club

Tuesday, Mar. 14, 6-9 p.m., PW

For more info: call 719-766-7779, or visit: www.shutterbugphotoclub.wix.com/photos, Shutterbugphotoclub@yahoo.com

Join local photographers, from amateur to professional, to learn about photography and share experiences, advice and techniques.

Adult Coloring

Tuesday, Mar. 21, 4:30-6 p.m., BK

MARDI GRAS

Belated Fat Tuesday Party



Tuesday, Mar. 7, 11 a.m.-Noon, LU
Adults. Make a masquerade mask and enjoy a taste of the south!

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Maker Studio: Celtic Knot Tying

Saturday, Mar. 11, 4-5:30 p.m., GV

Ages 12-adult. **Registration required.** Learn about Celtic knots and their symbolism in Irish culture. Make beautiful pendants to wear for luck!

Leprechaun Traps

Tuesday, Mar. 14, 11 a.m.-Noon, LU

Adults. Make a leprechaun trap and enjoy St. Patrick's Day.

Family Craft Time:

Leprechaun Jars

Tuesday, Mar. 14

5:30-6:30 p.m., GI

Catch a Leprechaun in a jar to take home.



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FREE VITA Income Tax E-filing

Wednesdays, March 1-April 14
10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Saturdays, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Mar. 4, PW
Mar. 18, RA

No appointment necessary, seen on a first come-first served basis. Questions, call 296-8768, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., or visit: www.pueblounitedway.org/vita

The VITA program was designed by the IRS to offer **FREE** e-filing (federal and state) for individuals and families with a household income of \$55,000 or below. **Note:** VITA **cannot** prepare taxes for businesses, partnerships, rental/multiple properties, international returns, and/or inheritances. **Bring ALL of the following items for you and your dependent(s) if applicable:**

- Photo ID
- Social Security Card (s) (for taxpayer and dependents, **MUST** have all cards)
- Birthdate(s)
- If covered by the Affordable Care Act for health insurance, bring form 1095A or 1095B
- A copy of last year's tax return (if applicable)
- Wage and earning statement(s) Form W-2, W-2G, 1099-R from each employer
- Interest and dividend statement from banks (forms 1099)
- Bank account number and routing number if you desire a direct deposit (some locations have bank representatives available to open an account)
- If filing a joint return, both spouses must be present to sign required forms
- If you have purchased a home in 2016, bring all mortgage documentation
- If claiming day care expenses, total amount paid and daycare provider's Tax ID number

Pueblo Volunteer Income Tax Assistance



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