

LIBRARY NEWS AND EVENTS

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Choose successful libraries, stay Pueblo proud

by Jon Walker

Support for public libraries is a choice. Innumerable communities across the nation for generations have chosen support for public libraries. Our nation's founders noted the significance of libraries to the success of our democracy. This tradition includes Pueblo where support for public libraries is notable. Local citizens have decided public libraries provide an enduring value for the people who live, work and go to school here.

Is the investment worth it? The answer is yes according to a 2017 study. For every \$1 invested in public libraries, communities realize an average return of \$4.64 in access to books and other materials, services and programs, and information technology (<https://www.tsl.texas.gov/roi>). Our libraries provide inviting and comfortable public places dedicated to learning and literacy, reading and education for all ages. This outstanding return on investment is even better here. The award-winning Pueblo City-County Library District (PCCLD) exceeds averages by every measure, including its selection in 2018 as a Four Star Library,



Area schoolchildren wait to hear Debbie Dadey, author of the children's book *Vampires Don't Wear Polka Dots* during February's Read Out Loud event at Rawlings.

America's Best Library, the Colorado Library of the Year and the National Medal for Museum and Library Service

You also may know Pueblo's libraries are at risk now. I wrote about this in last month's newsletter column ("Library at a crossroads," http://www.pueblolibrary.org/sites/default/files/sites/default/files/pdf/newsletters/2019_march_newsletter.pdf). To reiterate here briefly, one stipulation of

the Gallagher Amendment to Colorado's constitution is causing declining revenue for Pueblo's libraries due to rapidly increasing housing costs in Denver. This peculiar provision is negatively impacting numerous public institutions outside Denver, and a September 13, 2018, study by the State Legislative Council shows PCCLD is the most harmed library district in the entire state (<http://leg.colorado.gov/sites/default/files/images/>

[committees/2017/bill_5_fiscal_note.pdf](#)).

We have options. One choice is to accept the Gallagher revenue reductions and the consequent decrease to services and hours and closing local libraries. For example, an analysis shows that by closing two local branch libraries the upcoming Gallagher funding shortfall could be resolved for now.

We have an alternative. A library mill levy voters passed in 1999 is set to expire at the end of 2019. Voters could be asked to simply reauthorize the mill levy rate now paid to support our local libraries. Without raising taxes, this would mean the individual owner of the average home would continue paying \$6.95 per year or 58 cents a month. This small amount would have big impact. Renewing this modest tax would allow PCCLD to sustain itself, operate well and positively serve the community in the future without closing libraries or reducing services.

There undoubtedly are other possibilities to grapple with this problem. Whatever those are, it is time now to decide. The choice will have profound impact.

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



HOURS:
MONDAY – THURSDAY
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)
MONDAY - FRIDAY
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 4 to 8 p.m. (Library @ the Y only)
FRIDAY and SATURDAY
9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)
SATURDAY
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Library @ the Y 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.
Library @ the Y
CSU-Pueblo, 2200 Bonforte Blvd.
PCCLD @ PCC
Suite 110, 900 W. Orman Ave.

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Events Calendar

April 2019

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EXHIBITS

RA, Hispanic Resource Gallery-2nd floor

April 1-30

- Landscapes by Kevin Willis
- Recycled Gems by Carol Osmond

RA, InfoZone-4th floor

April 25-May 6

- Pueblo City Schools Elementary Art Show

April 4-20

- *Birds, Butterflies and a Few Other Insects* by Radeaux

RECURRING PROGRAMS

Mondays

- 10 a.m., Tech Talk, PW
- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group, PW
- Noon-2 p.m., Open Learning Lab, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 1-2:30 p.m., Pueblo Storytellers, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 1-3 p.m., Beginning English, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Matter of Balance, PW
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, BK
- 4 p.m., Kids Club, RA, Youth Services-1st floor
- 5 p.m., Youth meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Tuesdays

- 10:30 a.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- 1-4 p.m., Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group, PW
- 2-4 p.m., APPril Series, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45-4:30 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4:30 p.m., Teen Hangout, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Youth Supper, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 5:30-7 p.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- 5:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Mahjong Club, PW
- 6-8 p.m., Advanced English, RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor

Wednesdays

- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 10 a.m., Intermediate English, RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor
- 2-4 p.m., Super Seniors, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 5:30 p.m., Homework Helper, LB
- 6 p.m., Tai Chi, PW
- 6-8:30 p.m., Society for Creative Anachronism, PW

Thursdays

- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 10:30 a.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- Noon-2 p.m., Open Learning Lab, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 1-4 p.m., Crafty Needles, BK
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Night, PW, Jerry King B
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 5:30-7 p.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., Record Listening Booth, RA, Study Room 215-2nd floor

Friends of the Library Annual Meeting and Luncheon

Friday, April 19, 11:30 a.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

The Friends of the Library will hold their Annual Meeting & Luncheon on Friday, April 19.

The Friends will recognize Roy Miltner as the 2019 Friend of the Year.

Roy has been involved with Pueblo City-County Library District since 1998. He has served on both the Friends of the Library Board as well as the Library Board of Trustees. As a trustee, Roy was a key supporter of expanding the district with the addition three new libraries in 2014.

His work with Books Again helped move it forward from an idea to a reality with the used bookstore's opening in 2005. Prior



Roy Miltner



Friends of the Library annual Meeting and Luncheon

to this, he started the library's used book sales at the University of Southern Colorado, now CSU-Pueblo.

Currently, Roy manages the history and sports section of the store — receiving numerous compliments from customers. To help serve volunteers and customers better, Roy compiled a store polices and procedures manual.

A dedicated volunteer, Roy has consistently contributed at a high

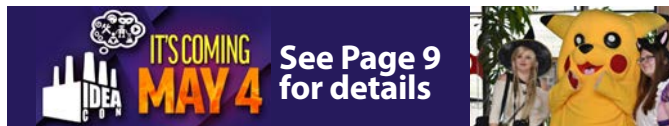
level to the store's success for the past 20 years.

Learn about the Friends accomplishments over the past year and hear from guest speaker Maria Tucker, Manager of Special Collections and Museum Services, who will give her presentation Andrew McClelland: A Most Unusual Library Patron. The cost to attend is \$20. To make a reservation, call Books Again at (719) 553-0340 by April 12 at 4 p.m.



Outstanding Women

Recipients of the Outstanding Women Awards and Pueblo Girl Essay contest winners gathered for the annual luncheon in March at Rawlings.



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Home of Heroes

Winners of the 2019 Home of Heroes Essay contest.



Women of the hour

Kathy DeHerrera and Jane Milne perform their presentation of *The Harvey Girls* in celebration of Women's History Month.

Computer classes

Classes are free. For more info/questions on programs call (719) 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org

Tech Assistance

One-on-one help with smartphones, tablets, laptops, public computers etc. No registration required.

Tech Talk

Mondays, 10 a.m., PW

Open Learning Lab

RA, Training Room, 3rd floor

Mondays, Noon-2 p.m.

Thursdays, Noon-2 p.m.

Drop In Tech Help

Wednesday, April 3, 11 a.m., GV

Tech Time

Thursday, April 25, 2-4 p.m., LB

APRil Series

Tuesdays, 2-4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

During April, bring a smartphone or tablet to this weekly class and learn all about APPs.

April 2: Intro to your device

April 9: Functional Apps

April 16: Fun Apps

April 23: The App Store

April 30: Organizing your Apps



Super Seniors

Wednesdays, 2-4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

April 3: Chromebook Basics

April 10: Exploring the Desktop

April 17: Getting an email account

April 24: Exploring the internet

Thursday Tech Club

6-8 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Join the club. Fun new topics every third Thursday of the month.

Online Shopping with Jen!

April 18: Learn the basics of shopping online and discover some of the best sites and apps to get the most bang for your buck.

DIY Resources

For more information or to register call (719) 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org

Digital Memory Lab Orientation

Thursday, April 25, 6 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Orientation for the new Digital Memory Lab- a space for free, DIY digitization of home movies and photographs. Orientation is required for Memory Lab users.



The Music Box: Digital Recording Studio

PW, Frank Lamb Room

REGISTRATION REQUIRED. Reservations must be made seven days in advance.

Prior to booking a recording time, please call (719) 562-5600 to set up an orientation. For a list of available equipment, please visit: www.pueblolibrary.org/musicbox.

Hispanic Resource Center

For more info: Maria Smyer at (719) 562-5615 or email maria.smyer@pueblolibrary.org

Exhibits

Landscapes

by Kevin Willis

April 1-30, RA, Hispanic Resource Gallery-2nd floor

On display will be landscape paintings and drawings by local artist Kevin Willis. Many of his' drawings were done with simple materials — crayons, colored pencils, sharpie pens — as demonstrations on how artwork can be created using inexpensive and readily available materials.

Recycled Gems

by Carol Osmond

April 1-30, RA, Hispanic Resource Gallery-2nd floor

Local artist Carol Ausman's recycled jewelry, paintings and cards will be on display during April.

Language Classes



Beginning Spanish

Saturdays, 12:15-2 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Conversational Spanish

Saturdays, 10:15-11:30 a.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Art4healing Workshop

Tuesday, April 16, 10 a.m.-noon, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Ages 8 and up. These monthly workshops are to support emotional healing through art and creative expression for those living in pain, grief, fear or stress.

Beginning English Nivel Principante

Mondays, 1-3 p.m., LU
Lunes, 1-3 p.m., LU

Intermediate English Nivel Intermedio

Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-noon, RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor
Miercoles, 10 a.m.-noon, RA, Bret Kelly B

Wednesdays, 1-3 p.m., GI
Miercoles, 1-3 p.m., GI

Advanced English Nivel Avanzado

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor
Martes, 6-8 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B

April 2019

Fridays

- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 9:30 a.m.-noon, English Conversation Club, PW, Frank Lamb Room
- Noon, Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 1 p.m., Youth Meal, LB
- 1-3 p.m., Dungeons & Dragons, RA, Youth Program Room-1st floor
- 1:30-3 p.m., Hardknox Gang Intervention and Prevention, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Matter of Balance, PW
- 4 p.m., Fireside Crochet, GI
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, BK
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 5-6:30 p.m., Pueblo West Chess Club, PW

Saturdays

- 10:15-11:30 a.m., HRC Conversational Spanish, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- Noon-2 p.m., American Sign Language for Beginners, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 12:15-2 p.m., Beginning Spanish, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Sundays

- 1:30 p.m., Kids Chess Club, RA, Bret Kelly A, 1-st floor

1 Monday

- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Barkman Book Club, BK
- 5:30-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Quilters, PW

2 Tuesday

- 4:30 p.m., Perler Beads, LU
- 5 p.m., Giodone Book Club and Tea, GI
- 5:30-9 p.m., Pueblo West Writer's Group, PW
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night: Video Game Edition, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 6-8 p.m., Pueblo Model Railroad Association, PW

3 Wednesday

- 10-11:30 a.m., Pueblo West Daylight Book Club, PW
- 11 a.m., Drop-In Tech Help, GV
- noon-3 p.m., Perler and Pizza, BK
- 4:30 p.m., Rubber Band Bracelets, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Pueblo Write Now, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6:30-8 p.m., The Idea Factory Presents: Felted Easter Eggs, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6:30-9 p.m., Alpha (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

4 Thursday

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., The Hook Nook Crochet: Egg and Chick, PW
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Easter Centerpiece, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Needle Felted Bunnies, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts, LU
- 6-9 p.m., Southern Colorado Watercolor Society, PW

5 Friday

- Noon-3 p.m., Perler Beads and Pizza, BK
- 12:30-2 p.m., G-Force (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1-3 p.m., Mr. Magic, LU
- 2 p.m., Learn Vinyl Cutting, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 3:30-5 p.m., Free Legal Self-Help Clinic, LB
- 4 p.m., We Are FARMily, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

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6 Saturday

- 9 a.m.-noon, Waterwise |Gardening, PV
- 10 a.m., StoryKeepers: The Steel City — Pueblo Stories, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 10-11:30 a.m., Bullet Journal Club, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 10 a.m.-noon, Online Gaming Club: Roblox, GI
- 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Pueblo Climate Summit, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 12:30-4 p.m., Southern Colorado Genealogical Society, RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor
- 2-4 p.m., Learn to Stitch Door Hangers with The Threadbenders!, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2-4 p.m., *Flight of the Navigator* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 3-5 p.m., Beginning Beadwork, GI

7 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Flight of the Navigator* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

8 Monday

- 10 a.m., Mosaic Glass Art, BK
- 6-8 p.m., History Night, GV
- 6-8:30 p.m., Open Sew, PW

9 Tuesday

- 2-4 p.m., *Eating You Alive* (NR), LU
- 4 p.m., Easter Egg Slime, BK
- 4:30 p.m., Suncatchers, LU
- 5-6:30 p.m., Family Craft Time: Bunnies for Patients, GI
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night: Laser Tag, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 6-7:30 p.m., To Dye For: Pillowcases RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6-8 p.m., Research sessions, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor

10 Wednesday

- 4 p.m., The Robots have Landed!, GI
- 4-6 p.m., Happy Little Tree Painting Hangout, BK
- 4:30 p.m., Paracord, LU
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., Beyond Columbine: A Community Conversation, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

11 Thursday

- 10:30 a.m., Memory Cafe, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., String Eggs, LU
- 11 a.m., Zumba Kids, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1-3 p.m., Machine Embroidery Club, PW
- 3 p.m., There are Seven Days a Week and Someday Isn't One Of Them, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 4:30 p.m., Teen Button Making, GV
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts, LU
- 7-9 p.m., *Singing with Angry Bird* (NR), LB

12 Friday

- 12:30-2 p.m., *Bee Movie* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1-3 p.m., Paint your own Pottery, LU
- 2 p.m., Aladdin Party, GV
- 2 p.m., Record a Hip-Hop Track, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 4 p.m., Easter Egg Slime, GI
- 4 p.m., We Are FARMily, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 4-6 p.m., The Hair Dad: Barbie Party and Hair Class, BK
- 6-8 p.m., Sip 'n' Stroke GV
- 6 p.m., SISFA: Short Film Showcase, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

13 Saturday

- 9:15 a.m., SISFA: Speed Networking, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 10:30 a.m.-noon, SISFA: Break Free Industry Panel, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 10:45 a.m.-noon, AVAS: Butterflies of Southern Colorado, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Movies

See a favorite film for FREE at one of the library locations listed

Movies for adults

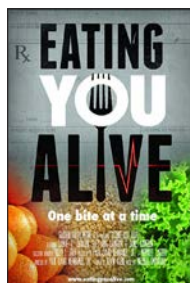
Special Screenings

Eating You Alive (NR)

Tuesday, April 9, 2-4 p.m., LU

Tuesday, April 16, 3-5 p.m., GI

Join the plant based certified Parkview Mobile Nurses to watch the documentary film. Learn how simple dietary changes can help take back control of our health — one bite at a time.

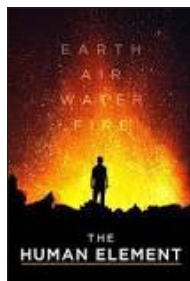


The Human Element (NR)

Monday, April 15, 5:30-8:30 p.m.,

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

In collaboration with The Sierra Club, Sangre de Cristo Group, Sierra Club Fountain Creek Water Sentinelso. With rare compassion and heart, this documentary film follows environmental photographer James Balog on his quest to highlight Americans on the front lines of climate change, inspiring us to re-evaluate our relationship with the natural world.



Wednesday Night Films

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

April 3: *Alpha* (PG-13)

April 17: *Maze Runner: The Death Cure* (PG-13)

April 24: *12 Strong* (R)

Indy Film Series

La Familia (NR)

Saturday, April 20, 4-6 p.m.,

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Twelve-year old Pedro roams the streets of Caracas with his friends while his single father Andres struggles to provide for his son. But Pedro fatally injures another boy during an altercation forcing he and his father to flee the city and go into hiding.

PBS POV Documentary

Singing with Angry Bird (NR)

Thursday, April 11, 7-9 p.m., LB

A Korean opera singer leads his children's choir to produce a musical in India. This event is a collaboration with POV, PBS' award-winning nonfiction film series. <http://www.pbs.org/pov/>.

El Arcoiris

Boy Erased (R)

Monday, April 22, 6:30-8:30 p.m.,

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Jared Eamons, the son of a Baptist pastor in a small town, is outed to his parents. They struggle with reconciling their love for their son with their beliefs. Fearing a loss of family, friends and community, Jared is pressured into attending a conversion therapy program. While there, he begins finding his own voice and acceptance of himself.

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Flight of the Navigator (G)

Movies for kids

Weekend matinee

Saturdays/Sundays

2-4 p.m., *unless otherwise noted

RA, InfoZone-4th floor

April 6, 7: *Flight of the Navigator* (G)

April 13*, 14: *Zoom: Academy for SuperHeroes* (PG)

*2:30 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

April 20 only: *Box Trolls* (PG)

April 27, 28: *Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb* (PG)



G-Force (PG)

Friday Movies and Snacks

12:30-2 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

April 5: *G-Force* (PG)

April 12: *Bee Movie* (PG)

April 19: *Nim's Island* (PG)

April 26: *Open Season 2* (G)



Mary Poppins Returns (PG)

Movie Matinee!

Mary Poppins Returns (PG)

Friday, April 26, 2-4 p.m., GV

Join us for a fresh made popcorn and: *Mary Poppins Returns* (PG)

Homebound, Older Adults

Bringing the library to those who are unable to visit. For more info, call (719) 553-0233 or email homebound@pueblolibrary.org



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Volunteers needed!

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StoryKeepers: The Steel City — Pueblo Stories

Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

This month: Victoria Miller from Steelworks Center of the West and Joe A. Sandoval, author of *Hearts of Gold: the Men and Women of Steel*. Attendees can share their stories open-mic style or just listen. Connecting generations and preserving legacies is our passion. Door prizes and refreshments provided.

Aging 101: Medicare

Thursday, April 18, 2-3:30 p.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

Understanding Medicare is no easy task. Join Judy Kagey and Ivonne Garcia from Senior Resource Development Agency to learn how to define personal healthcare needs as well as the programs available to subsidize Medicare costs. Refreshments provided.



Memory Cafe:

Fun With Decoupage

Thursday, April 11, 10:30 a.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Memory Cafe is a monthly program that encourages social interaction and activity for aging adults and their caregivers or families. This month, decorate decoupage vases.

Programs at the Idea Factory

For more info or to register contact Sharon Rice at (719) 553-0213 or email sharon.rice@pueblolibrary.org

The following programs are at **Rawlings Library, Idea Factory, 2nd floor. Unless otherwise noted.**



Origami Odyssey

Sunday, April 14, 2-4 p.m.

Open to Intermediate and advanced folders. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Bullet Journal Club

Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m.

Monthly group meets to work on Bullet Journals and to share ideas. Washi tape is provided, but bring your own journal and pens.

Southern Colorado Astronomical Society: Gravitational Waves

Thursday, April 18, 6:30 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor

The Southern Colorado Astronomical Society (SCAS) will host a free presentation by Donald Brooks, an astrophysics student at CSU-Pueblo.



Adult Literacy

For more information, contact: **Susanna Johnson at (719) 553-0206, or email susanna.johnson@pueblolibrary.org**

Volunteer tutors needed

Make an impact by empowering adult learners in our community! Experience the tremendous rewards that come with helping others achieve their educational, vocational, and personal goals. Volunteers are needed to help adults with reading, English language, or GED preparation. No experience necessary. Training and resources are provided.



English Conversation Club Fridays, 9:30 a.m.-noon, PW

Practice speaking English with this friendly group.



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13 Saturday, cont.

- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Make a Terrarium Workshop, GV
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo West Genealogy Club, PW
- 2-4 p.m., SISFA: Film premiere, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2:30-4 p.m., Zoom: *Academy for SuperHeroes* (PG), RA, Bret Kelly A, 1st floor

14 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., Origami Odyssey, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2-4 p.m., Zoom: *Academy for SuperHeroes* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

15 Monday

- 5:30-8:30 p.m., *The Human Element* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., The Felted Dog, GV
- 7 p.m., Making Shapely Fiction, BK

16 Tuesday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Art4healing Workshop, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 10:30 a.m., Mesa Neighbors, GI
- 3-5 p.m., *Eating You Alive* (NR), GI
- 4-6 p.m., Adult Coloring, BK
- 4:30 p.m., Play-Doh Play, LU

17 Wednesday

- 3-5 p.m., Painted Rock Cactus, PW
- 4:30 p.m., Perler Beads, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Pueblo Write Now, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6:30-9 p.m., *Maze Runner: The Death Cure* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Mystery Book Collaboration Group, PW

18 Thursday

- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Easter Bunny Pots, LU
- 1-4 p.m., The Hook Nook Crochet: Egg and Chick, PW
- 2-3:30 p.m., Aging 101: Medicare, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 2-4 p.m., Air Plants, LB
- 3-5, Research Session, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor
- 4:30 p.m., Tween Cameo Making, GV
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts, LU
- 6-8 p.m., Thursday Tech Club, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., Southern Colorado Astronomical Society, RA, Bret Kelly Room B-1st floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Mystery Book Club, PW

19 Friday

- 10 a.m., Cool Science with Steelworks, BK
- 11 a.m., Aladdin Party, GI
- 11:30 a.m., Friends of the Library Annual Meeting and Luncheon, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 12:30-2 p.m., *Nim's Island* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1-3 p.m., Sit Means Sit, LU
- 2 p.m., Aladdin Party, BK
- 2-4 p.m., Aladdin Party, RA, Youth Program Room-1st floor
- 3 p.m., Pokemon Fanfest, PW
- 4 p.m., Pizza and Mario Kart, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Video Game Lock-In, BK

20 Saturday

- 9 a.m.-2 p.m., First Aid and CPR Certification, GV
- 10:30 a.m., Easter Egg Hunts, GI
- 11 a.m., Aladdin Party, LB
- 2-4 p.m., Learn to Stitch Door Hangers with The Threadbenders!, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2-4 p.m., *Box Trolls* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 4-6 p.m., *La Familia* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

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- 21 Sunday**
 - All locations closed
- 22 Monday**
 - 6:30-8:30 p.m., *Boy Erased* (R), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 23 Tuesday**
 - Noon, Preserving Your Family History Webinar, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
 - 4 p.m., History Hullabaloo, PW
 - 4-6 p.m., Fabric Bowl Covers, GI
 - 4:30 p.m., Slime, LU
 - 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night: Movie Edition, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
 - 6-8:30 p.m., Open Sew, PW
- 24 Wednesday**
 - 10:30 a.m.-noon, Coffee & Coloring, PW
 - 1-3 p.m., Greenhorn Bookclub, GV
 - 3-5:30 p.m., Spring Fling, LB
 - 4:30 p.m., Beaded Key Chains, LU
 - 5-7 p.m. Research Session, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
 - 6:30-9 p.m., *12 Strong* (R), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 25 Thursday**
 - 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Felt Flowers, LU
 - Noon, Caring for Family Keepsakes Webinar, RA, Training Room-3rd floor
 - 2-4 p.m., Tech Time, LB
 - 3-6 p.m., Sew Happy: Spring Tulip Bouquet, PW
 - 4:30 p.m., Aladdin Party, LU
 - 5-7 p.m., Pueblo City Schools Elementary Artshow Reception, RA, InfoZone Lobby-4th floor
 - 6 p.m., Digital Memory Lab Orientation RA, Training Room-3rd floor
 - 7 p.m. Poetry Reading, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 26 Friday**
 - 10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Vitalant Blood Drive, PW
 - 11 a.m., Nutrition Class, BK
 - 11 a.m., Zumba Kids, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
 - 12:30-2 p.m., *Open Season 2* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
 - 1-3 p.m., Kids Zumba, LU
 - 2-4 p.m., *Mary Poppins Returns* (PG), GV
 - 2-4 p.m., STEM Activity: Bacteria to the rescue!, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
 - 4 p.m., Raptors and Birds of Prey, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
 - 6-8 p.m., Laser Tag Lock-In, GV
- 27 Saturday**
 - All Day, Museum Free Day, RA, InfoZone News Museum, 4th floor
 - 9 a.m.-noon, Lace Makers of Southern Colorado, PW
 - 9:30-11:30 a.m., Community Seed Exchange, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
 - 2-4 p.m., *Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
 - 3-5 p.m., Aladdin Party, PW
 - 7 p.m., The Unconventional Women of the West, RA, Ryals Room
- 28 Sunday**
 - 2-4 p.m., *Night at the Museum: Secret of the Tomb* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 29 Monday**
 - 4 p.m., El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros, RA, Youth Program Room-1st floor
 - 7-8:30 p.m., PW Book Club, PW
- 30 Tuesday**
 - 4:30 p.m., Beaded Bracelets, LU
 - 6:30 p.m., History Round Table, PW

Special programs and events

For more info/questions on programs call (719) 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org

Pueblo Climate Summit

Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Environment Colorado and Sangre de Cristo Sierra Club will host a climate change summit. Topics to be covered include: impacts of climate change in our state and local solutions that remedy the problem.

Zach Pierce, Senior Policy Advisor, Energy and Natural Resources at Office of Governor Jared Polis will be the keynote speaker.



SISFA Film Festival

Short Film Showcase

Friday, April 12, 6 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

The festival will launch with a short film showcase premiering select shorts created in Colorado, and will feature additional shorts from throughout the U.S. — complete with cast/crew Q&A's.



Break Free Industry Panel

Saturday, April 13, 10:30 a.m.-noon, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Working Hollywood producers will share details on how they broke into the industry and provide tips on how to break free and be successful in the film industry.

Film premiere

Saturday, April 13, 2-4 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Join us on the red carpet for an exclusive film premiere, complete with a Q&A panel discussion.

Speed Networking

Saturday, April 13, 9:15 a.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

In speed-dating style, connect with other filmmakers and artists from across the U.S.

Beyond Columbine

Wednesday, April 10, 6:30-8:30, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Rocky Mountain PBS will host a forum examining how the community and state have been impacted in the past 20 years. Utilizing a segment from the upcoming series, *Beyond Columbine*, various locations will partake — sharing stories in the time since Columbine. Join the online conversation with #BeyondColumbine.

There are Seven Days a Week and Someday Isn't One Of Them

Thursday, April 11, 3 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Instructor: Charlene Garcia Simms
Are you a genealogist, historian or a stuff gatherer? Learn about organizing and archiving items before it's too late and years of research is discarded.

The Unconventional Women of the West

Saturday, April 27, Doors open at 6:30 p.m., performance begins at 7 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Meet Nettie Crook, Nellie Taylor Ross, Dr. Susan Anderson, Alice Ramsey and Florence Lawrence – the courageous and fascinating women whose lives became a part of the lore of the West! Travel back in time to hear stories of real women who made a significant impact on the West, be entertained with lively, historical portrayals and go on an educational adventure with the Unconventional Women of the West. Put on by The Legendary Ladies, a non-profit educational women's organization. **Complimentary appetizers.**



Meet a few unconventional women on April 27.

Celebrate National Poetry Month!

Poetry Contest

Grades 2-Adult, Deadline: April 5

Poets are invited to write a poem on a topic of their choice, written in any style.

Poetry Reading

Thursday, April 25, 7 p.m. RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

CSU-Pueblo professor Juan Morales will make a presentation on his book of poetry, *The Handyman's Guide to End Times*. Guest poets will read from their selected works. Refreshments provided.



Preservation Week: Brown Bag Webinars

Join SCMS staff for a webinar on preserving family history. Bring a lunch to eat during the webinar. Special Collections staff will be available to answer questions.

Preserving Your Family History

Tuesday, April 23, noon, RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Kenyatta D. Berry, author of *The Family Tree Toolkit: A Comprehensive Guide to Uncovering Your Ancestry and Researching Genealogy*, will provide tips on researching, preserving and sharing all aspects of your family's history.

Caring for Family Keepsakes

Thursday, April 25, noon, RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Learn basic archival care for family treasures such as photo albums, loose photographs, Bibles, clocks, jewelry and more.

Museum Free Day

Saturday, April 27, RA, InfoZone News Museum, 4th floor

Explore the interactive news museum with fun activities. In addition, we will host the Pueblo Pioneer Cemetery; established in 1870. They will talk about continuous living history with presentations from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

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Monthly programs for adults

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Health

Matter of Balance

**Mondays and Fridays in April,
1-3 p.m., PW**

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

These sessions emphasize practical strategies to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels for seniors.

Chair Yoga

**Wednesdays, Thursdays
and Fridays, 9:15 a.m., PW**

With the help of a chair anyone can practice yoga with the same benefits of increased circulation, balance, flexibility, mobility and strength.

Tai Chi

Wednesdays, 6 p.m., PW

Join Lance Rochester, certified in Phys Ed. M.S.U., for eight simple exercises to improve your balance, flexibility, strength, organ functions and natural well-being.

Babywearing Dance Class

**Monday, April 15, 11 a.m., RA,
Ryals Room-4th floor**

Monday, April 22, 11 a.m., PW

Appropriate for ages 0-24 months and their caregiver. Strap, wrap or just carry your baby in and be ready to bust some serious moves. Please bring a water bottle.

First Aid and CPR Certification

**Saturday, April 20,
9 a.m.-2 p.m., GV**

REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

**Please register at least one
week in advance. Cost: \$65**

Ages 12 and up. Instructor TJ Richardson. This course certifies attendees in CPR, First Aid, Foreign Body Airway Obstruction (FBAO) and how to use an automated external defibrillator (AED).

Vitalant Blood Drive

**Friday, April 26, 10:30 a.m.-
6 p.m., PW, Parking Lot**

Interactive Groups

Pueblo Storytellers

**Mondays, 1-2:30 p.m., RA, Bret
Kelly A-1st floor**

All are welcome to share, or listen and have fun learning from each other as this group shares fantasy, poetry, memoirs, Pueblo history and more. Contact Jane Milne with questions, (719) 543-6234 or jcmilne606@gmail.com.

Mahjong Club

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., PW

Mahjongg Club weekly game.

Play Pinochle at the Library

**Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon and
5:30-7 p.m., GV**

**Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon;
5:30-7 p.m., GV**

Ages 21 and up. Instruction not included.

Record Listening Booth

**Thursdays, starting April 4,
6:30-8:30 p.m., RA,
Study Room 215-2nd floor**

**Questions or to reserve a time
slot, call (719) 562-5695**

Have vinyl records but no place to listen to them? Check out our record listening booth. Headphones provided; our speaker can be used for group listening.

Hardknox Gang Intervention and Prevention

Fridays, 1:30 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.

Pueblo West Chess Club

Fridays, 5 p.m., PW

Play chess with this friendly group. All skill levels welcome.

American Sign Language for Beginners

**Saturdays, Noon-2 p.m., RA,
Training Room-3rd floor**

Learn American Sign Language. Increase your knowledge to communicate with others. This class is not for ASL Certification.

Pueblo West Writers Group

**Tuesday, April 2,
5:30-9 p.m., PW**

Monthly meeting to network and share information about writing and publishing.

Pueblo Write Now

**Wednesday, April 3, 17,
5:30-7:30 p.m., RA, Thurston
Room-1st floor**

Bimonthly opportunity to read, give and receive feedback, as well as share tips and advice with other writers. All experience and genres welcome.

History Night

Monday, April 8, 6-8 p.m., GV

An evening of local history storytelling.

Making Shapely Fiction

Monday, April 15, 7 p.m., BK

Ages 13 and up. Create and discuss your own short story using prompts from the book *Making Shapely Fiction* by Jerome Stern. Supplies and text provided.

Adult Coloring

Tuesday, April 16, 4-6 p.m., BK

Ages 18 and up.

Mesa Neighbors Discussion Group

Tuesday, April 16, 10:30, GI

This month, PCCLD's Maria Tucker will give a presentation on Andrew McClelland — namesake-CelePueblo's first public library.

Mystery Book Collaboration Group

**Wednesday, April 17,
7-8:30 p.m., PW**

Meet monthly to write a mystery book.

Coffee and Coloring

**Wednesday, April 24,
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., PW**

History Round Table: Sinking of the Titanic

**Tuesday, April 30,
6:30 p.m., PW**

Monthly open forum for discussion and debate of a different historical topic. Participants may read any book(s) of their choice related to the topic.

Gardening

Waterwise Gardening

**Saturday, April 6,
9 a.m.-noon, PW**

REGISTRATION RECOMMENDED.

Learn landscaping techniques to cope with Pueblo West's challenging conditions. To register call (719) 547-1557 or (719) 482-4955 or email: CattailGardeners@gmail.com.

All Pueblo GROWS

Seed Lending Library

Community Seed Exchange

**Saturday, April 27,
9:30-11:30 a.m., RA, Thurston
Room-1st floor**

Join members of the Colorado Master Gardeners for this community seed exchange and learn about starting seeds indoors. All seed donations welcome.

Genealogy

Southeastern Colorado Genealogical Society

**Saturday, April 6, 12:30 p.m.-4
p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor**

Craig Garcia will make a presentation about using ancestry DNA and FTDNA to assist with research. It is recommended attendees bring their personal computers.

Research Sessions

**Tuesday, April 9, 6-8 p.m., RA,
Special Collections-3rd floor**

Instructor: Charlene Garcia-Simms. Focus: Hispanic Genealogy
**Thursday, April 18, 3-5, RA
Special Collections-3rd Floor**

Instructor: Charlene Garcia Simms. Focus: Using Ancestry.com to further your genealogy
**Wednesday, April 24, 5-7 p.m., RA,
Training Room-3rd floor**

Instructor: Noreen Riffe. Focus: Finding Lineage

Pueblo West Genealogy Club

Saturday, April 13, 2-4 p.m., PW
Presentations on genealogy research skills followed by discussion. Topic: Genealogy and DNA.

Monthly programs for adults

Crafts

Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group

Mondays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., PW
All needle workers welcome.

Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group

Tuesdays, 1-4 p.m., PW
Bring knitting or other fiber art project to this weekly gathering.

Crafty Needles

Thursdays, 1-4 p.m., BK
Socialize while working on projects, share patterns and advice. Everyone is welcome.

Fireside Crochet

Fridays, 4 p.m., GI
Learn to crochet with Lori. Hot chocolate and tea provided.

Needle Felted Bunnies

Thursday, April 4, 2-4 p.m., LB
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up. Learn needle felting step-by-step.

Easter Centerpiece

Thursday, April 4,
11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up. Create a unique tabletop centerpiece.

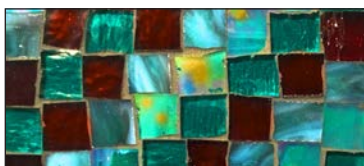


Hook Nook Crochet: Egg and Chick

Thursday, April 4, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Thursday, April 18, 1-4 p.m. PW
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Make a chick nestled inside an eggshell. Bring small amounts of medium yarn in eggshell and chick colors. All skill levels welcome.

Beginning Beadwork

Saturday, April 6,
3-5 p.m., GI
Learn beading basics.



Mosaic Glass Art

Monday, April 8, 10 a.m., BK
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Join instructors from the Little Glass Art Co. to create one-of-a-kind glass mosaics.

Pueblo West Open Sew

Monday, April 8, 6-8:30 p.m., PW
Tuesday, April 23, 6-8:30 p.m., PW
Open sewing class with Pueblo West Quilters group.



Family Craft Time: Bunnies for Patients

Tuesday, April 9, 5-6:30 p.m., GI
Make sock bunnies to donate to patients of Parkview Medical Center's children's ward.

To Dye For: Pillowcases

Tuesday, April 9, 6-7:30 p.m., RA,
Thurston Room-1st floor
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 13 and up. Add some color to your home. Pillowcases provided. Attendees are welcome to bring one item as an alternative.

Happy Little Tree Painting Hangout

Wednesday, April 10,
4-6 p.m., BK
All ages. Supplies provided but may bring own supplies.

String Eggs

Thursday, April 11,
11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up. Use a balloon string and mod-podge to create a festive decoration.

Sip 'n' Stroke

Friday, April 12, 6-8 p.m., GV
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
COST: \$25 FOR SUPPLIES
Ages 21 and up. Play and paint with painting instructor Randy Ford for an evening of fun, laughter, and creativity. Feel free to bring a beverage of your choice.

Make a Terrarium Workshop

Saturday, April 13,
11 a.m.-1 p.m., GV
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Ages 18 and up. Celebrate Spring and Earth Day by making a terrarium with succulents. Supplies provided.

The Felted Dog: Easter Eggs

Monday, April 15,
6:30 PM - 8:30 p.m., GV
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
COST: \$10 FOR SUPPLIES.
Ages 21 and up. Join Monique and Tracy from the Felted Dog for a fun evening of felting.

Painted Rock Cactus

Wednesday, April 17, 3-5 p.m., PW
Decorate your own rock cactus garden and terracotta clay pot.

Air Plants

Thursday, April 18, 2-4 p.m., LB
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up. Create something amazing with air plants.

Easter Bunny Pots

Thursday, April 18,
11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up.

Fabric Bowl Covers

Tuesday, April 23, 4-6 p.m., GI
Get ready for summer picnics with fabric bowl covers.

Felt Flowers

Thursday, April 25,
11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Ages 18 and up. Welcome Spring with a handmade felt flower.

Sew Happy:

Spring Tulip Bouquet
Thursday, April 25, 3-6 p.m., PW
REGISTRATION REQUIRED
Sew a bouquet of tulips for mom this Mother's Day.

Lace Makers

of Southern Colorado
Saturday, April 27, 9 a.m.-noon, PW
Work on projects, share tips and patterns with other lace makers.



Exhibit

Birds, Butterflies and a Few Other Insects by Radeaux

April 4-20, RA,
InfoZone Museum-4th floor
Radeaux paints the fauna of his native Colorado. The life sized images of birds and other animals are not merely idealized illustrations but explore the patterning and geometrics found in nature. He painted the covers and created all the illustrations for the Colorado Breeding Bird Atlas. He is an avid birder and lends his skills in seasonal bird surveys and leads annual butterfly trips in Colorado and New Mexico.

Learn It at the Library Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

Friday, April 5, 3:30-5 p.m., LB
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Call (719) 562-5600. A **FREE** legal clinic for parties who have no attorney, via computer link.

AVAS: Butterflies of Southern Colorado

Saturday, April 13, 10:45 a.m., RA,
InfoZone Theater-4th floor
Mark Yaeger will present photos of Pearle Sandstrom Smith and Clif Smith. Fundamentals of identification as well as places to look for butterflies will be discussed.

Monthly programs for adults

Book Clubs

Barkman Book Club

Monday, April 1, 5:30-7 p.m., BK

Book: *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate.

Book Club and Tea

Tuesday, April 2, 5-6:30 p.m., GI

Book: *Death of Mrs. Westaway* by Ruth Ware.

Daylight Book Club

Wednesday, April 3,

10-11:30 a.m., PW

The *Underground Railroad* by Colson Whitehead

Mystery Book Club

Thursday, April 18

7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *Gallows View* by Peter Robinson

Greenhorn Valley Book Club

Wednesday, April 24,

1-3 p.m., GV

Book: *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer* by Mark Twain

PW Book Club

Monday, April 29,

7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *The Tower, the Zoo, and the Tortoise* by Julia Stuart

Monthly Meetings

The Society for Creative Anachronism

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

Visitors welcome.

Pueblo West Quilters

Monday, April 1,

5:30-8:30 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

Pueblo Model Railroad Association

Tuesday, April 2, 6-8 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

Southern Colorado Watercolor Society

Thursday, April 4

6-8:30 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

Machine Embroidery Club

Thursday, April 11, 9 a.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

COMING IN MAY!

Archaeology and Preservation Month: The Lost City of the Monkey God

Thursday, May 2, 7 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor



PUEBLO ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Pueblo Archaeological and Historical Society.

Join Dr. Chris Fisher, chief archaeologist of the expedition shared in the No. 1 NY Times Bestseller, *The Lost City of the Monkey God*, by Douglas Preston. Fisher, professor, CSU-Ft. Collins, is a renowned scholar of Mesoamerican archaeology and one of the world's foremost experts on the use of LiDAR (light imaging, direction and ranging) in modern archaeology. The program is co-sponsored by the

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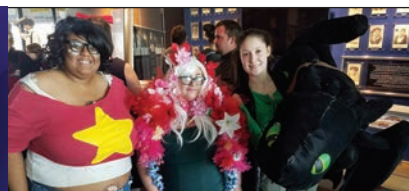
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Saturday, May 4, RA, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

All ages. Caped crusaders and spaced-out martians will converge for Pueblo's premier comic and fan convention. Cosplay contest, vendors selling all things nerdy, entertainment and hands-on activities are planned.



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Youth programs at the library

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Kids (ages 0-8)

Aladdin Party

Celebrate the world of Aladdin with crafts and games.

Friday, April 12, 2 p.m. GV
Friday, April 19, 11 a.m. GI
Friday, April 19, 2 p.m., BK
Friday, April 19, 2-4 p.m., RA,
Youth Program Room-1st floor
Saturday, April 20, 11 a.m., LB
Thursday, April 25, 4:30 p.m., LU
Saturday, April 27, 3-5 p.m., PW



Kids Club

Mondays, 4 p.m., RA, Youth Program Room
Ages 5-8. A weekly program designed to encourage creativity while having fun!
April 1: Play-Doh
April 8: Legos and Puzzles
April 15: Easter Crafts
April 22: Games
April 29: Dia de los Ninos Event

Ages 0-18

Youth Meals

Ages 1-18. Enjoy a free, cold meal. Sponsored by Pueblo City Schools.
Mondays, 4 p.m., BK
Mondays-Thursdays, 3:45 p.m., LU*
Does not include April 9
Monday-Thursdays, 5 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Friday Meals

Noon and 4 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
1 p.m., LB, 4 p.m. BK, 4 p.m., LU

Kids Chess Club

Sundays, 1:30 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
Starts April 7
REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Learn, test and improve chess skills at this weekly chess club. All levels welcome.

Lucero Crafts

4:30 p.m., LU
April 4, 11, 18: Animal Shelter Crafts
April 9: Suncatchers
April 16: Play-Doh Play

Online Gaming Club: Roblox

Saturday, April 6, 10 a.m.-noon, GI
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.
Join fellow online gamers to explore games together and make friends. This month ROBLOX. Some games will need parents permission to login.

History Hullabaloo:

Life in the Middle Ages

Tuesday, April 23, 4 p.m., PW
Join the crew of young historians. Explore different times in history with stories, crafts and costumes.

Exhibit

Pueblo City Schools Elementary Art Show

April 25-May 6, RA, InfoZone Lobby-4th floor
Artwork created by Pueblo City School students will be on display.
Awards Reception:
Thursday, April 25, 5-7 p.m., RA, InfoZone Lobby-4th floor

Enter a Contest!

Additional guidelines may be found on the entry forms, available at all library locations or online at pueblolibrary.org/contests.

Poetry Contest

Grades 2-Adult, Deadline: April 5
Poets are invited to write a poem on a topic of their choice, written in any style.



Bookmark Contest

Grades K-12, Deadline: April 26
Create a colorful bookmark on the theme of reading!



One Book Colorado

Week of April 8-12

Read together everyday! Celebrate One Book Colorado at Storytime during the week of April 8-12.

Four-year-olds who visit the library April 8-22 get a FREE copy of the 2019 selection. **While supplies last.**



El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros Children's Day/Book Day

Monday, April 29, 4 p.m., RA, Youth Program Room-1st floor

Known as Día, join us for this celebration of children, families and reading.

El Día de los Niños/El Día de los Libros es un celebración de niños, familias y leyendo que viene cada año en el 30 de abril. Celebra con nosotros lunes, 29 de abril a las 4:00 pm en la biblioteca Rawlings con artesanías!

Easter Egg Slime

Tuesday, April 9, 4 p.m., BK
Friday, April 12, 4 p.m., GI
Ages 8 to 12. Listen to an Easter story and make Easter slime.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 20, 10:30 a.m., GI
Bring your little ones and join us for an Easter egg hunt.



BARKMAN

Wednesdays
Preschool Storytime: 11 a.m.
Thursdays
Toddler Storytime: 10:30 a.m.

GIODONE

Thursday
Family Storytime: 11 a.m.
Friday
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

Mondays
Preschool Storytime: 9:30 a.m.
Tuesdays
Preschool Storytime: 9:30 a.m.

PUEBLO WEST

Mondays
Signing Storytime: 2 p.m.
Tuesdays
Toddler Storytime: 10, 10:30 a.m.
Thursday
Baby Storytime: 10 a.m.
Family Storytime: 10:30 a.m.

RAWLINGS

Mondays
Bilingual Storytime: 10:30 a.m.
Wednesdays
Baby Storytime: 10 a.m.
Toddler Storytime: 10:30 a.m.
Preschool Storytime: 4:30 p.m.
Fridays
Family Storytime: 10:30 a.m.

Tweens (ages 9-12)

Cameo Making

Thursday, April 18, 4:30 p.m., GV

Make custom cameos! Software and tools will be available to make classic images of yourself for unique art projects. No registration required, drop in any time.



Pokemon Fanfest

Friday, April 19, 3 p.m., PW

Show off your Pokemon fandom by making buttons, keychains, and more!

Spring Fling

Wednesday, April 24, 3-5:30 p.m., LB

Create spring terrariums, paper flowers, crowns and butterflies.

Teens (ages 13 and up)

Hangout

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 3:30-5 p.m., PW

Hangout with friends, play games, make crafts and listen to music.

Tuesdays, 4:30 p.m., LB

April 2: Perler Bead earbud holder

April 9: Learn to Play Ukulele

April 16: Card games

April 23: Marvel Trivia

April 30: Tie Dye Coasters

Teen Night

Tuesdays, 5:30 p.m., RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor

April 2, Video Game Edition, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

April 9, Laser Tag, Ryals Room-1st floor

April 23, Movie Edition, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Thursdays, 5:30-7:30 p.m., RA

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

Teen Advisory Board, crafts and movies.

Button Making

Thursday, April 11, 4:30 p.m., GV

Make buttons and pins. An assortment of pictures will be printed in advance but feel free to bring images of your own. No registration required, drop in any time.

Tweens and Teens

Dungeons & Dragons

Fridays, 1-3 p.m., RA

Youth Program Room-1st floor

*April 19, 1-3 p.m., Idea Factory-2nd floor

Dungeons and Dragons available for tween and teen players. All skill levels welcome.

Lucero Crafts

4:30 p.m., LU

April 2: Perler Beads

April 3: Rubber Band Bracelets

April 10: Paracord

April 17: Perler Beads

April 23: Slime

April 24: Beaded Key Chains

April 30: Beaded Bracelets

The Robots Have Landed!

Wednesday, April 10, 4 p.m., GI

Ages 11 and up. Play with Cubelets, Ozobots, Sphero mini robots or program a talking Doll in Makey Makey!

Board Game and Video Game Lock-In

Friday, April 19, 6-8 p.m., BK

Two hours of video and board games.

Laser Tag Lock-in

Friday, April 26, 6-8 p.m., GV

REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Parent or guardian must sign a permission slip before play.

Ages 9-16. Challenge your friends to capture the flag and other games at our Laser Tag Lock-in. Pizza will be provided.

Fun Fridays

Fun enrichment programs, every Friday during the school year.

Friday Meals

Ages 1-18. Enjoy a free, cold meal. Sponsored by Pueblo City Schools.

Noon and 4 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

1 p.m., LB, 2 p.m., LU, 4 p.m. BK

Lamb Lunch and Learn

2-4 p.m.

April 5: Pottery Painting with Fire Playce

April 12: Lunch and activity

April 19: Lunch and activity

April 26: Clay Installation with Kate Fox

Barkman Programs

Perler Beads and Pizza

April 5, noon-3 p.m.

Perler bead art and free pizza.

The Hair Dad:

Barbie Party and Hair Class

April 12, 4-6 p.m.

Join the Hair Dad for a Daddy-Daughter hair class and Barbie Party.

Cool Science with Steelworks

April 19, 10 a.m.

Learn the science of building bridges using toothpicks and candy.



Food and Nutrition Class

April 26, 11 a.m.

Grades 3-5. Learn more about nutrition and meals as you cook tasty treats alongside our instructor.



Programs are generously supported by grants from the United Way of Pueblo County and the Packard Foundation

Lucero programs

1 p.m.

Mr. Magic

April 5: Be mesmerized by our magic performer who will provide magical instruction.

Paint Your Own Pottery

April 12: The Fire Playce will be on hand to assist with pottery painting

Sit Means Sit

April 19: Sit means Sit will bring their therapy dogs for a visit.

Kids Zumba®

April 26: Learn new dance moves

Rawlings Programs

Friday Movies and Snacks

12:30-2 p.m.

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

April 5: G-Force (PG)

April 12: Bee Movie (PG)

April 19: Nim's Island (PG)

April 26: Open Season 2 (G)

Kids Zumba®

April 12 and 26, 11 a.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Learn Vinyl Cutting

April 5, 2-4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Join Jane Crayton from CSU-Extension to learn how to use a vinyl cutter to decorate a fun bag. All ages welcome.

Record a Hip-Hop Track

April 12, 2 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Join Justin from the ~~InfoZone~~ Love to learn how to lay down your very own hip hop track! All ages welcome.

Maker Mania

4 p.m. RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

We Are FARMily:

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CALL (719) 553-0213

April 5: Join We Are FARMily, a local teaching farm to learn about pigs, their lifecycle, and sustainability and meet a piglet in person. All ages welcome.



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April 12: Learn about farm animals, their lifecycles and sustainability. All ages welcome.

Mario Kart and Pizza

April 19: Ages 4-12. Snack on pizza and play Mario Kart.

Raptors and Birds of Prey!

April 26: Learn about different types of raptors and birds of prey with the Nature and Wildlife Discovery Center — and meet some of these cool birds in person.

STEM Activity:

Bacteria to the rescue!

April 26, 2-4 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

The Air Force Academy iGEM team will discuss how they are developing a way to clean pollutants in waterways using bacteria. PCCLD and Communities to Build Active STEM Engagement presents a series of fun Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM) events.



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Tuesdays

9 a.m. – 2 p.m., LU

Wednesdays

10 a.m.-3 p.m.

RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Fridays:

9 a.m.-2 p.m., PW

Special Tax Event Day

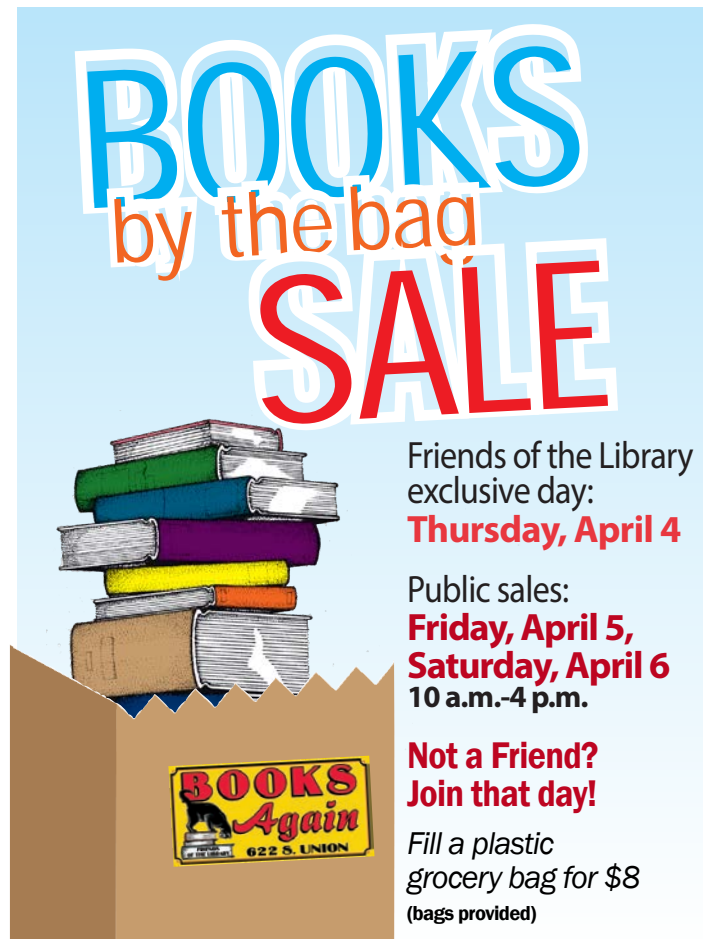
March 23, April 13,

10 a.m.-2 p.m., RA, Training
Room-3rd floor

No appointment necessary, seen on a first come-first served basis.
Questions, call (719) 296-8768, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.,
or visit: www.pueblounitedway.org/vita

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- 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 2018, bring all mortgage documentation
- If claiming day care expenses, total amount paid and daycare provider's Tax ID number



BOOKS
by the bag
SALE

Friends of the Library
exclusive day:
Thursday, April 4

Public sales:
Friday, April 5,
Saturday, April 6
10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Not a Friend?
Join that day!

Fill a plastic
grocery bag for \$8
(bags provided)