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news & events

August 2015

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HOME ON THE RANGE

Programs about the Wild West in collaboration with the Pueblo County Historical Society and the Santa Fe Trail Association.

Programs: Saturday, Aug. 15,
RA, InfoZone-4th floor

9:30 a.m. El Vaquero

Angel Vigil, renowned storyteller and author, tells stories and legends of the Spanish/Mexican Vaquero, America's first cowboy.



10:45 a.m. The True Story of the Wild West

Bob Silva, author of the western biography, *Lead in Trinidad*, presents on the Real Wild West. These scenes capture the essence of open range land, homesteading, cattle trailing and the Native Americans that made up the western landscape of the Americas in the 1800s.



Noon. Lunch not served, but brown bag lunches welcome. Samples of dutch oven cooked Anasazi beans will be available along with Sarsaparilla, a soft drink popular in the late 19th century.

1:30 p.m. Secrets Into the Wind: The Women of Boggsville

A one-hour original play portraying Amache Ochinee Prowers (wife of John Wesley Powell), Josefa Jaramillo Carson (wife of Kit Carson), Rumalda Luna Boggs (wife of Tom Boggs) and Mary Prowers Hough (sister-in-law of Amache).

Boggsville was recently recognized as a national Treasure by the National Trust for Historic Preservation. The play is under the leadership of RuAnn Keith in coordination with the Department of Arts at Otero Junior College.

Exhibit: RA, 3rd floor

Branding irons, a variety of barbed wire, saddle bags, army spurs, oxen collars, holsters, arm spurs and more on display.

Cowboy movies all month!
See page 5 for movie titles and times

ART TALK

WITH ARTIST

John Farnsworth

at the Sangre de Cristo Arts Center

WHITE GALLERY | SUNDAY, AUG. 2 | 2 PM

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Summer Reading? There are still a few programs!
See page 11 for details

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 August 2015

1 Saturday

- **Blue Spruce Award challenge**
all month, GV
- **Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe** (PG)
2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Colors of the Southwest exhibit**
RA, 2nd floor
- **Cowboy exhibit opens**
RA, 3rd floor
- **IdeaCon 2015**
11 a.m.-5 p.m., RA
- **Cuerno Verde Art Council exhibit** opens at GV
- **Local Heroes Display** (through Aug. 15)
all locations
- **Maker-in-Residence Workshop**
10 a.m.-noon, RA-Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Photos exhibit** opens at LB
- **Smokey Bear exhibit**
all month, RA-4th floor
- **Trains are Running exhibit** and **model train display** open at PW
- **What Read...** display
RA, 2nd floor

2 Sunday

- **Art Talk with John Farnsworth**, 2 p.m., White Gallery, Sangre De Cristo Arts Center
- **Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe** (PG) 2 p.m.
RA, InfoZone-4th floor

3 Monday

- **Barkman Book Club**
7 p.m., BK
- **Pueblo Storytellers** (Mondays) 1-2:30 p.m., RA
- **Speak English Conversation Club** (Mondays) 6-7:30 p.m.
RA, Bret Kelly B
- **Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group** (Mondays) 9:30 a.m., PW, Jerry King Room A

4 Tuesday

- **Beginning Computers**
2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Book to Boogie!** (Tuesdays) 10:30 a.m., GV
- **Cast-Offs Knitting and Fiber Arts Group**
1-3:30 p.m., PW
- **Mahjong Club**
6-8 p.m., PW
- **Pueblo West Writers Group**
5:30-8:30 p.m., PW

Early results from the new libraries

by Jon Walker



Three new libraries opened here to the public late last year. These three are the Patrick A. Lucero Library located in the City of Pueblo's East Side neighborhood, the Tom L. and Anna M. Giodone Library located east of Pueblo on the St. Charles Mesa, and the Greenhorn Valley Library serving Southern Pueblo County including Colorado City and Rye. These recently constructed libraries now have been open for use by the public for just over six months.

These libraries were conceived and constructed due to the vision and efforts by members of the local communities they serve with additional planning, direction, financial and operational support provided by the Pueblo City-County Library District. Each is part of a long-range strategy to expand public libraries into underserved areas of our community. We created a detailed project plan for the new libraries taking into consideration citizen input, financial needs, location and procurement of sites, design and construction of buildings, and the equipping, staffing and ongoing sustainability of the facilities.

How are the three doing after six months of use?

So far the results are impressive. We measure success by how many people are using a library, how many people attend a library's educational and cultural programs and events, and how many books and other items are checked out from a library. In each of these three categories, we are very pleased with the early outcomes at the new libraries.

Let's begin with the Lucero Library. To date through June 30 of this year, more than 87,000 people have visited the Lucero Library. This puts this library on track to host a remarkable 175,000 people for the year, which will far exceed our preliminary expectations of

approximately 86,000 visitors in its first year of operation. Customers have already checked out nearly 100,000 books and other library materials and nearly 9,000 people have attended library-sponsored educational and cultural programs and events. This places Lucero on course for about 200,000 checkouts and 18,000 program participants for the year, which is significantly greater than our earlier predictions of about 123,000 checkouts and 14,000 program participants.

The Giodone Library also has been a busy place. Early on, we anticipated about 81,000 visitors, 118,000 checkouts and 13,500 program participants here in the first year of operation. This library is currently on track to approach 100,000 library visitors for the year and check out 120,000 items. We are particularly pleased that the library is on course to have 20,000 people in attendance at educational and cultural events for the year.

The Greenhorn Valley Library is on a path similar to Giodone in overall use to date. Circulation is now projecting to be around 100,000 items for the year, while the library should host up to 80,000 visitors and more than 12,000 people at events and programs. These figures are significantly higher than our original expectations for use of this library set at about 75,500 checkouts, 40,000 visitors and 8,000 program participants.

I am excited about the positive community response to the three new libraries. Congratulations are due to all of those individuals and groups who strived to ensure the successful opening of the new libraries and the impressive use of the libraries by the members of the respective communities. The impressive results seen in the early operations of these new libraries mark the fulfillment of a longtime promise to continue to improve in our quest to provide the best possible public library service to the citizens of Pueblo County.



Homebound Program

Call 553-0233 or email homebound@pueblolibrary.org.

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



Bob Martinez (left), Thad Stetler and Jacob Fernandez (above) played to a full house (below) in the InfoZone in June. Attendees enjoyed classic Santana, Spanish classics and Flamenco music.



A young girl shows off her completed badge sheet and handmade flag at the Greenhorn Valley Library.



Ventriloquist Meghan Casey performed for children at a Summer Reading Program in July.



A painting class was offered in July at Lucero Library.



Tracy Beach (right) and her daughter have some fun at her program: *My Life as a Whore-The Biography of Madam Laura Evans*.



Ember Peaslee (second from left) explains to a group of girls how to make a flute out of PVC pipe during the July Art Bash. Art Bash happens on the second Sunday of the month through October.



Superheroes from the Sangre de Cristo Arts Center helped kids create their own identity at a program.

August 2015

- **The Duff** (PG-13) **Teen Movie Night**, 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Yarnies** (Tuesdays) 1-3 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Yoga** (Tuesdays) 6 p.m., GV

5 Wednesday

- **Crowdfund your Ideas!** 6-7 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Genealogy Workshop** 2-4 p.m., BK
- **Intro to the Web** 2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Lucy** (R), 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Megamind** (PG), 10 a.m., 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Pueblo West Daylight Book Club**, 10 a.m., PW
- **Pueblo Zoo Storytime** 11 a.m., GI
- **Street Beat performance** 11 a.m.-1 p.m., RA, outside

6 Thursday

- **Anime Club** (Thursdays) 6 p.m., PW
- **Book to Boogie!** (Thursdays), 10:30 a.m., GV
- **Crafty Needles Group** (Thursdays), 1-3 p.m., BK
- **Don't Miss the Boat, Genealogy Workshop** 10 a.m., RA, Training Room, 3rd floor
- **DNA Interest Group** 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Maker Club** (Thursdays) 5:15-6:45 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

7 Friday

- **All Pueblo Grows: Garden Insects and Diseases** 4 p.m., GV
- **Captain America** (PG-13) 2 p.m., PW, Jerry King Room B
- **Guardians of the Galaxy** (PG-13), 2 p.m., LU
- **Intro to Google**, 2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Friday Afternoon Movie** (Fridays), 3 p.m., BK
- **Minecraft Lock-In** 6-8 p.m., RA, 2nd floor
- **Over the Hedge** (PG) 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Read Dog, Read!** (Fridays), 2:30 p.m., GV
- **Smokey Bear Birthday Party/Exhibit opening**, 2 p.m., RA-InfoZone-4th floor

8 Saturday

- **Bike Rodeo**, 2 p.m., GV
- **Create the Extraordinary, Escape the Ordinary** 11 a.m., RA

August 2015

- **Lego Mania**
10 a.m., RA, 3 p.m., PW
- **Minecraft Gaming Session**
10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., GI
- **E-books and Overdrive**
2-3 p.m., PW
Android/iPhone
3-4 p.m., PW, Kindle
- **Open Season** (PG)
2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

9 Sunday

- **Mesa Junction Art Bash**
2-4 p.m., RA
- **Open Season** (PG), 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Origami Odyssey**
2-4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

10 Monday

- **All Pueblo Grows: Garden Insects and Diseases**, 11 a.m., GI
- **Lamb Needlework Club**
1-3 p.m., LB
- **Yarn Club**, 7 p.m., GV

11 Tuesday

- **All Pueblo Grows: Garden Insects and Diseases**, 6 p.m., BK
- **Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid** (NR)
6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Cast-Offs Knitting and Fiber Arts Group**
1-3:30 p.m., PW
- **Craft Club**, 3-4 p.m., GI
- **E-book set up**
10-11:30 a.m., PW
- **Healthy Habits for a Healthier You**
3:30-5:30, PW, Jerry King B
- **Mahjongg Club**
6-8 p.m., PW
- **Microsoft Excel Basics**
2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Teen Advisory Board**
6:30 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Zentangle Doodling**
4 p.m., LU

12 Wednesday

- **3D Modeling/Tinkercad**
6-7 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Batman: Mystery of the Batwoman** (PG)
10 a.m., 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Info for the GED**
2 p.m., RA-Training Room-3rd floor
- **More about Excel**
2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Whiplash** (R), 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

TECH TIDBITS

Computer classes

Held at Rawlings, Training Room-3rd floor. Classes are free and open to the public. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. To register, please call 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org and view the May 2015 Events Calendar. Class hours are from 2-3 p.m.

Beginning Computers
Tuesday, Aug. 4

Intro to the Web
Wednesday, Aug. 5

Intro to Google
Friday, Aug. 7

Microsoft Excel Basics
Tuesday, Aug. 11

More about Excel
Wednesday, Aug. 12

Wednesday, Aug. 19

Microsoft Word Basics
Tuesday, Aug. 18

Powerpoint Basics
Tuesday, Aug. 25

Free Software Alternatives
Wednesday, Aug. 26

Beginning Computers Tuesday, Aug. 25, 3 p.m., GI

Classes at Pueblo West

E-books and OverDrive

Saturday, Aug. 8, 2-4 p.m., PW

Android/iPhone devices, 2-3 p.m.; Kindle, 3-4 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 10-11:30 a.m. (e-book set up only)

NEED: Library card and PIN and a valid email address. Learn how to download e-books to read on your device.

Adult literacy programs

Register at pueblolibrary.org or call Ashley Osterhout at 553-0206.

Speak English!
Conversation Club
Mondays, 6-7:30 p.m.
RA, Bret Kelly B

Practice English conversation skills with others through fun activities. Open to all students, beginning through advanced. **No registration required.**

Info for the GED
Wednesday, Aug. 12, 2 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor
Tuesday, Aug. 18, 3 p.m., BK

Would you like to study for the GED test, but aren't sure where to start?

This session will provide basics about the GED, an overview of local classes and testing centers, and highlight free resources available at the library.



Adult Literacy and ESL Tutor Orientation
Saturday, Aug. 22, 11 a.m.
RA-Idea Factory-2nd floor
Monday, Aug. 24, 2 p.m., BK

Do you have a passion for helping others? Then come learn how to help adult learners with limited literacy skills improve their reading, writing and speaking abilities. **No previous teaching or tutoring experience required.**

Citizenship class
Saturday, Sept. 5, 10 a.m.
RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

UVAS presentan un foro informativo de sus clases de ciudadanía.

UVAS presents information about their citizenship classes.

For more information, call Maria Smyer at 562-5615.



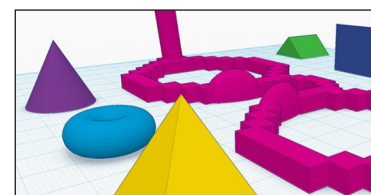
Rawlings Library-2nd floor

For more information or to register contact David Hartkop at david.hartkop@pueblolibrary.org or 562-5637.

Crowdfund your Ideas!

Wednesday, Aug. 5, 6-7 p.m.

Learn how to set up and run a successful crowdfunding campaign.



3D Modeling/Tinkercad
Wednesday, Aug. 12, 6-7 p.m.
Tuesday, Aug. 18, 7 p.m., PW

All ages. Learn to create digital 3D objects with this easy-to-use 3D modeling program. Then downloaded objects can be printed with the library's 3D printer. **Registration required.**

Group Brainstorming Session
Wednesday, Aug. 20, 6-7 p.m.

A creative meet-up time for those interested in discussing their wild, creative and disruptive ideas! An open ended discussion about anything cool.

Intro to Electronics
Wednesday, Aug. 26

6-7 p.m., RA

Learn about designing circuits and using microcontrollers.

Maker Club
Thursdays, 5:15-6:45 p.m.

Learn to download, create and print your own 3D objects. Create toys, jewelry, and custom items from plastic using the 3D printer.

Movies @ the Library

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



All movies are free!



Weekend Kids Movies

2 p.m., Saturdays, Sunday, RA, Infozone-4th floor

Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe (PG) Aug. 1, 2
Open Season (PG) Aug. 8, 9
Enchanted (PG) Aug. 15 (Ryals Room), 16
Birds of Paradise (PG) Aug. 22, 23
National Treasure: Book of Secrets (PG), Aug 29, 30

Teen Movie Night

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

The Duff (PG-13) Aug. 4

Cowboy movies

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

Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid (1969) (NR) Aug. 11
Tombstone (1993) (R) Aug. 18
Pale Rider (R) Aug. 25

Wednesday Movies

10 a.m., 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Megamind (PG) Aug. 5
Batman: Mystery of the Batwoman (PG) Aug. 12
Lego: The Adventures of Clutch Powers (NR) Aug. 19
Batman and Mr. Freeze: Subzero (NR) Aug. 26

Wednesday Night Movies

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

Lucy (R) Aug. 5
Whiplash (R) Aug. 12
Dracula Untold (R) Aug. 19
Horrible Bosses 2 (R) Aug. 26

Smokey Bear Movie

3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Over the Hedge (PG) Aug. 7



Friday Afternoon Movies at the Branches

2 p.m., LU, Large Community Room

Guardians of the Galaxy (PG-13) Aug. 7
The Avengers (PG-13) Aug. 14
Captain America: Winter Soldier (PG-13) Aug. 21
Thor: The Dark World (PG-13) Aug. 28

2 p.m., PW, Jerry King Room B

Captain America (PG-13) Aug. 7
Batman: Mask of the Phantasm (PG) Aug. 14

3 p.m., BK movies TBD

Independent Film

Grigris (French and Arabic with English subtitles)
 Saturday, Aug. 15

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

Aspiring dancer Grigris is forced to risk his future by smuggling oil to pay the hospital bills for his sick step-father, but when he befriends Mimi, a beautiful but damaged prostitute, the two try to start a new life together. But as bad decisions begin to catch up with them, they'll have to run for their lives, their pasts never far behind.

Special Screening

A Path Appears Film and Discussion
 Part 3: Violence and Solutions

Monday, Aug. 24

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

Last of a three-part PBS documentary that explores the work of organizations combating domestic violence in the U.S., and one providing a Kenyan slum's most at-risk young girls with a path to opportunity. Discussion to follow. Co-sponsored by Rocky Mountain PBS and the Pueblo Alliance to Combat Human Trafficking.

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13 Thursday

- **Duct Tape Back to School Crafts**
4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Friends 10th Anniversary Sale**
Friends members only
0 a.m.-4 p.m., Books Again

14 Friday

- **Batman: Mask of the Phantasm** (PG), 2 p.m., PW
- **Friends 10th Anniversary Sale**
10 a.m.-4 p.m., Books Again
- **Hunter Education Class, Part 1**, 3:30-7 p.m., GV
- **Minecraft Lock-In**
6-8 p.m., BK
- **Passport Kids**, 2 p.m., GV
- **Street Beat performance**
5-7 p.m., RA, outside
- **The Avengers** (PG-13)
2 p.m., LU
- **Paranormal discussion**
4 p.m., GI

15 Saturday

- **Enchanted** (PG), 2 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- **Friends 10th Anniversary Sale**
10 a.m.-4 p.m., Books Again
- **Giodone Book Club**
3 p.m., GI
- **Grigris** (NR), 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Home on the Range program**
RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **9:30 a.m. El Vaquero**
- **10:45 a.m. The True Story of the Wild West**
- **1:30 p.m. Secrets Into the Wind: The Women of Boggsville**
- **Hunter Education Class, Part 2**, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., GV
- **Maker-in-Residence Workshop**, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., RA-Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Preschool Dance Party**
10:30 a.m., RA, Children's Storytime Room

16 Sunday

- **Enchanted** (PG), 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Southern Colorado Thread Benders**
1:30-3:30, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

17 Monday

18 Tuesday

- **Back to School Crafts**
6:30 p.m., RA, Idea Factory, 2nd floor
- **3D Modeling/Tinkercad**
7 p.m., PW
- **Info for the GED**, 3 p.m., BK
- **Genealogy Club**, 3 p.m., GI
- **Microsoft Word Basics**
2-3 p.m., RA, Training

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Room-3rd floor

- **Tombstone** (R), 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

19 Wednesday

- **Adult Coloring Group** 7-8 p.m., PW
- **Anime Club**, 5:30, GI
- **Dracula Untold** (R) 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Duct Tape Back to School Crafts**, 4 p.m., LU
- **Happy Birthday, Orville Wright!** all day, GV
- **Lego: The Adventures of Clutch Powers** (NR) 10 a.m., 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **More about Excel** 2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Street Beat performance** 11 a.m.-1 p.m., RA, outside
- **Teen Advisory Board** 5 p.m., GI
- **Webinar Wednesday** 7-9 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly Room A

20 Thursday

- **Group Brainstorming Session**, 6-7 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Pueblo West Mystery Book Club**, 7 p.m., PW
- **Where to Draw the Line? Mapping the U.S.-Mexico Border**, 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

21 Friday

- **Captain America: Winter Soldier** (PG-13) 2 p.m., LU
- **Lego Mania**, 2 p.m., LB, GV
- **Scrapbooking Club** 6 p.m., GV

22 Saturday

- **Adult Literacy and ESL Tutor Orientation**, 11 a.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Birds of Paradise** (PG) 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Lego Mania**, 10 a.m., RA, noon-1:30, GI
- **Maker-in-Residence Workshop** 12:30-3 p.m., RA-Idea Factory-2nd floor

23 Sunday

- **Birds of Paradise** (PG) 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

24 Monday

- **A Path Appears, Part 3** 6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Adult Literacy and ESL Tutor Orientation**

What's happening at the library

For more information or questions on these programs, or to register, please call 562-5600 or visit www.pueblolibrary.org.

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

BOOK CLUBS

Barkman Book Club

Monday, Aug. 3, 7 p.m.

Book: *Flight Behavior* by Barbara Kingsilver.

Giodone Book Club

Saturday, Aug. 15, 3 p.m.

Book: *Night of White Buffalo* by Margaret Cole.

Pueblo West Daylight Book Club

Wednesday, Aug. 5, 10 a.m.

Book: *All the Light We Cannot See* by Anthony Doerr

Pueblo West Mystery Book Club

Thursday, Aug. 20, 7 p.m.

Book: *Mystery: An Alex Delaware Novel* by Jonathan Kellerman.

Pueblo West Book Club

Monday, Aug. 31, 7 p.m.

Book: *Gray Mountain* by John Grisham.

CLASSES/DISCUSSIONS

Hunter Education Class

(two parts, must be able to attend both)

Friday, Aug. 14, 3:30-7 p.m., GV

Saturday, Aug. 15, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., GV

All ages. **Registration required.** Join District Wildlife Manager, Jeremiah Johnson, for this class that teaches hunters to be safe, legal and responsible.

Topics covered include wildlife management, wildlife identification, ethics, laws and regulations, firearms safety and handling.

For more information, contact Jeremiah at jeremiah.johnson@state.co.us or 719-250-4269.

The Paranormal – A study of things that cannot be explained, as of yet

Friday, Aug. 14, 4-6 p.m., GI

Paranormal investigations are more than ghost hunting! Join Dr. Gary Fearn, author, paranormal investigator and Feng Shui consultant, as he talks about the Paranormal.



Bob Swearingen's work will be on display on the 2nd floor of Rawlings in the Hispanic Resource Center Gallery.

How to Escape an Empty White Canvas

Saturday, Aug. 29

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

An interactive presentation and discussion with talking points provided by local artist Bob Swearingen. Bob will discuss how to overcome painter's block, southwest painting and his experiences traveling in Mexico.

Where to Draw the Line?

Mapping the U.S.-Mexico Border

Thursday, Aug. 20

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

Dr. Angel Abbud-Madrid, president of the Rocky Mountain Map Society, presents on when representatives from the U.S. and Mexico met to negotiate land cession from Mexico at the end of 1847. A seriously flawed map was used as an integral negotiation tool on which the border was drawn. This presentation explores the long-lasting impact of the map.

CRAFTS

Lamb Needlework Club,*

Mondays, Aug. 10, 24, 1-3 p.m., LB

Yarn Club*

Monday, Aug. 10, 7 p.m., GV

Cast-Offs Knitting and Fiber Art Group*

Tuesdays, Aug. 4, 11, 1-3:30 p.m., PW

Fiber Art Club, "Yarnies"*, 1-3 p.m., RA

Tuesdays, Aug. 4-25

Crafty Needles Group*

Thursdays, Aug. 6-27, 1-3 p.m., BK

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

Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group
Mondays, **9:30 a.m., PW, Jerry King Room A**

Craft Club
Tuesday, Aug. 11, **3-4 p.m., GI**

Southern Colorado Thread Benders
Sunday, Aug. 16, **1:30-3:30 p.m., RA**

Adult Coloring Group
Wednesday, Aug. 19, **7-8 p.m., PW**
Color your stress away with relaxing mandala coloring. Materials provided.

Scrapbooking Club
Friday, Aug. 21, **6 p.m., GV**

EXHIBITS

Colors of the Southwest
RA, 2nd floor

Saturday, Aug. 1-Sunday, Sept. 27
Jeanette and Charles White's collection
Saturday, Aug. 1-Wednesday, Aug. 26
Bob Swearingen

Saturday, Aug. 1-15
Local Heroes display, All library locations
What Read Took you Beyond the Ordinary?
RA, Idea factory-2nd floor

Saturday, Aug. 1-31
Photos by Patsy Fox, LB
Trains are Running photographs by Susan Baumann, **PW**

Model train display by Jerry Hauber, **PW**
Cuerno Verde Art Council art by Nancy Goodenough, Lee Jones, Pat Potter, Bessie Vollmer, and Kay Stevens (Cooke) **GV**

HEALTH

Yoga
Tuesdays, **6 p.m., GV**

Increase flexibility, calm mind and relax muscles. Join certified yoga instructor, Renee Montano, for this class designed for all fitness levels. **Bring:** mat or towel.

Heathy Habits for Healthier You
Tuesday, Aug. 11, **3:30-5:30 p.m., PW, Jerry King B**

Learn research and strategies in the areas of diet and nutrition, exercise, cognitive activity and social engagement for healthy aging from Alzheimer's director Ann Carter.

Bonfils Blood Drive
Friday, Aug. 28, **10 a.m.-2 p.m., RA**

INTERACTIVE GROUPS

Pueblo Storytellers
Mondays, Aug. 3-24, **1-2:30 p.m., RA**

Pueblo West Writers Group
Tuesday, Aug. 4, **5:30-8:30 p.m., PW**

Majongg Club
Tuesdays, Aug. 4, 11, **6-8 p.m., PW**

Origami Odyssey
Sunday, Aug. 9, **2-4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor**

GENEALOGY

Genealogy Workshop
Wednesday, Aug. 5, **2-4 p.m., BK**

Get information on using Ancestry.com at the library and other Genealogy databases available for use.

Don't Miss the Boat (Genealogy Workshop)
Thursday, Aug. 6, **10 a.m.**
RA, Training Room-3rd floor
Register online at www.pueblolibrary.org.

Noreen Riffe and members of Ark Valley Chapter, NSDAR will lead the workshop for those doing genealogy research and applications for lineage societies. **Bring:** lineage sheets, birth, death and marriage documents, laptops welcome. For questions, email Noreen at noreen731@aol.com.

DNA Interest Group/Cracking the Code: DNA Testing Myths and Reality

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

Second meeting with Dr. Greg Liverman. As a genealogist, why should I care about DNA testing? What can I realistically expect to accomplish and what do the results mean?

Genealogy Club
Tuesday, Aug. 18, **3 p.m., GI**

A club to help fellow genealogists to map out their family tree, socialize, and share local history.

Webinar Wednesday
Wednesday, Aug. 19
7-9 p.m. RA, Bret Kelly Room A

In collaboration with the Southeastern Colorado Genealogy Society, learn about sources and citations.

August 2015

2 p.m., BK
• **Lamb Needlework Club**, 1-3 p.m., LB
• **Recycled CD/DVD Suncatchers**, 4 p.m., LU

25 Tuesday

- **Beginning Computers**
3 p.m., GI
- **Dr. Who Celebration**
3:30 p.m., BK
- **Electric Paint**
6:30 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **Pale Rider (R)**
6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Powerpoint Basics**
2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor

26 Wednesday

- **Batman and Mr. Freeze: Sub Zero (NR)**
10 a.m., 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Free Software Alternatives**
2-3 p.m., RA-Training Room, 3rd floor
- **Horrible Bosses 2 (R)**
6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor
- **Intro to Electronics**
6-7 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

27 Thursday

- **Perler Bead Key Chains**
4 p.m., LU
- **Simple Sewing**, 4 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

28 Friday

- **Bonfils Blood Drive**
10 a.m.-2 p.m., RA, parking lot
- **Minecraft Lock-In**
6-8 p.m., LB, GV
- **Street Beat performance**
5-7 p.m., RA, outside
- **Thor: The Dark World (PG-13)**, 2 p.m., LU

29 Saturday

- **How to Escape an Empty White Canvas**
2 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- **National Treasure: Book of Secrets (PG)**, 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

30 Sunday

- **National Treasure: Book of Secrets (PG)**, 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

31 Monday

- **Pueblo West Book Club**
7 p.m., PW
- **Teen Advisory Board**
6:30 p.m., LB

Kids' Pages

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

Locations Key: AV Avondale Satellite GI Giodone LY Library @ the Y PW Pueblo West
 BK Barkman LU Lucero GV Greenhorn Valley RA Rawlings
 BS Beulah Satellite LB Lamb

Book to Boogie!

Tuesdays, Thursdays, 10:30 a.m., GV

For babies to 5 years. Join us as we shake and boogie to rhythms and rhymes, read books, sing songs and have a super-duper time!

Pueblo Zoo Storytime

Wednesday, Aug. 5, 11 a.m., GI

A representative from the Pueblo Zoo will bring animals to our storytime. Come meet a new friend and have some fun!

Lego Mania

Saturday, Aug. 8, 3 p.m., PW

Saturdays, Aug. 8, 22, 10 a.m., RA

Friday, Aug. 21, 2 p.m., GV, LB

Saturday, Aug. 22, noon-1:30, GI

Open to builders of all ages. Build your own creations with Legos and Marble Runs. Lego Duplos will be provided for the youngest builders.

Passport Kids

Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 p.m., GV

Ages 5 to 12. Come explore the world through multicultural stories, crafts and activities! Participants will experience a new country each month and will earn passport stamps as they travel the globe!



Preschool Dance Party

Saturday, Aug. 15, 10:30 a.m.

RA, Children's Storytime Room

Do you like to boogie? Can you shake your booty? Get movin' and groovin' with our jammin' librarians!



August is Storytime Break! We will resume storytimes in September!

Bike Rodeo

Saturday, Aug. 8, 2 p.m., GV

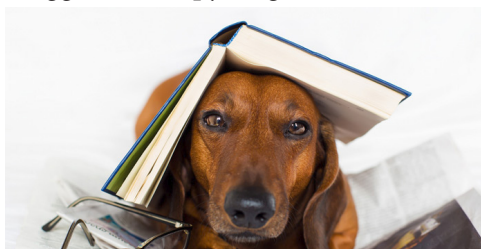
Ages 8-12. Practice skills to become a better bicyclist and avoid crashes! Course will include a "rock dodge," "demon driveway," "crazy crossroads" and more. Parents welcome!

Read Dog, Read!

GHV Tale Waggers, Therapy Dogs International

Fridays, 2:30 p.m., GV

Want to practice your reading? Join us to read a story to a Canine Good Citizen certified dog from GHV Tale Waggers, Therapy Dogs International.



Happy Birthday, Orville Wright!

Wednesday, Aug. 19, all day, GV

Come celebrate Orville Wright's birthday and National Aviation Day by making your own airplane!



Dr. Who Celebration

Tuesday, Aug. 25, 3:30 p.m., BK

All ages. Celebrate all things Doctor with crafts, games, and refreshments before the ninth season premiere of Dr. Who!

Perler Bead Key Chains

Thursday, Aug. 27, 4 p.m., LU

All ages. Make Minecraft, Star Wars and superhero key chains.



Remember Encyclopedia Britannica? Well, it's back and ready for the 21st century in a new digital format.

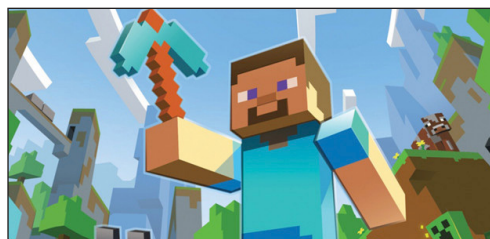
Gone are the numerous hard cover books, in their place is a sleek online encyclopedia that rivals Wikipedia.

This new Britannica not only provides articles written by professional scholars but also online videos, pictures and atlases. Need an article written by a presidential scholar on Ulysses S. Grant or a picture of a Bat-eared Fox? Britannica has it.

Residents of Pueblo County can access Britannica Online with a valid library card. Visit www.pueblolibrary.org/eresources today!



Tween Scene . . . ages 8 - 12



Minecraft Lock-in

Friday, Aug. 7, 6-8 pm, RA, 2nd floor

Friday, Aug. 14, 6-8 p.m., BK

Friday, Aug. 28, 6-8 p.m., GV, LB

Ages 9-13. Minecraft is taking over the library! Enjoy uninterrupted computer play for crafting, fort building and more! Registration required; attendance limited. Please note that a parent permission slip must be submitted in order to attend this after-hours event. The permission slip and registration information can be found at your local branch or on our website.

Minecraft Gaming Session

Saturday, Aug. 8, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., GI

Tweens and Teens. **Registration required.** Uninterrupted computer play for crafting, fort building and more!



Duct Tape Back to School Crafts

Thursday, Aug. 13, 4 p.m.

RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 4 p.m., LU

Create your own bookmark, pencil pouch and more!



Recycled CD/DVD Suncatchers

Monday, Aug. 24, 4 p.m., LU

Draw and paint on old CDs and DVDs to create sparkly works of art to hang in windows.

Simple Sewing

Thursday, Aug. 27, 4 p.m.,

RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Learn the basics on our sewing machines (or hand stitch if you like). We will have instructions to make fabric bookmarks, or you can work on a project of your own design.

Teen Scene for ages 13 and up

Teen Movie Night

Tuesday, Aug. 4, 6:30 p.m.

RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Ages 13 and up. Join us the first Tuesday of each month for a movie on the big screen! This month's film will be *The Duff* (PG-13).

Teen Advisory Board

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 6:30 p.m.

RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 5 p.m., GI

Monday, Aug. 31, 6:30 p.m., LB

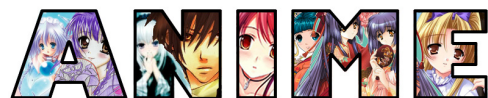
Interested in making a difference in your library while making new friends? Join the Teen Advisory Board once a month to tell us what you want to see offered for teens, plan and prepare for programs and discuss new materials. Meeting attendance will count as community service.



Zentangle Doodling

Tuesday, Aug. 11, 4 p.m., LU

Ages 13 and up. Learn to create beautiful pictures by drawing patterns.



Club

Thursdays, 6 p.m., PW

Wednesday, Aug. 19, 5:30 p.m., GI

Join us for an hour of great anime!

Back to School Crafts

Tuesday, Aug. 18, 6:30 p.m.

RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Decorate notebooks and create your own memo board.

Electric Paint

Tuesday, Aug. 25, 6:30 p.m.

RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Try out a new way of creating circuitry by using conductive paint and LEDs.



Blue Spruce Award

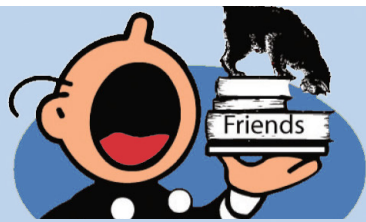
Challenge

Aug. 1-Sept. 15, GV

Teens grades 6-12. Read at least three titles from this year's nominee list, vote for your favorite and create a piece of art representing the book you would like to nominate for next year's award!

Participants will be entered in a drawing for a GoPro Hero HD Waterproof Camera!





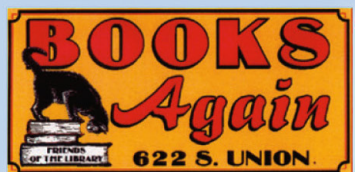
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Trustee talk

by Phil Mancha

Library Board Trustees are appointed to represent the community. Most trustees, therefore, are unlikely to be trained in library science.

How does a Library Board Trustee learn about the working of libraries and keep up with trends in library science?

There are numerous answers to this question. Local higher education institutions in Pueblo offer courses and certificates in library science. Board members can read books and magazines about library issues. As a board member, one can have numerous direct and instructive conversations on a wide variety of topics with trained and certified librarians. One of the most concentrated ways to learn about the library is by attending State and national professional conferences held throughout the year.

I just returned from the American Library Association conference attended by over 10,000 librarians representing both academic libraries that serve colleges and universities and public libraries such as PCCLD.

The conference catalogue is an inch thick

and is organized and indexed by subject, day and time and location of presentations on a wide array of library issues. Not surprisingly, a conference this size is spread over numerous locations in the host city.

Then there are the "vendors." I hope you are not surprised to discover that libraries are a big business. Vendors offer a variety of equipment, software and expertise to both academic and public libraries. Not surprisingly, as soon as I registered for ALA, I began receiving regular invitations and information emails from numerous vendors talking about their products and informing me where they could be located in the conference vendor area.

The challenge for the board member is to make wise content decisions between the offerings of library professionals and the expertise and support services of the vendors. Most of the board member's works must be done before he/she leaves Pueblo. Then the outcome is a dazzling educational experience which becomes professional development for the board member and an opportunity for PCCLD to benefit from the combined experience of libraries across our nation.

Books Again 10th Anniversary Sale!

Friends Only Sale:
Thursday, Aug. 13

Public Sale:
Friday, Aug. 14 and
Saturday, Aug. 15

Hours: 10 a.m.-4 p.m.



Some of the volunteers pose for a photo in February at the Books Again volunteer appreciation luncheon.

Save 50 percent off already discounted prices!

Stop in and thank our all-volunteer staff for all they do to operate the best Friends used bookstore in Colorado!

Free \$5 gift on purchases over \$25.

Refreshments provided.

Books Again is located at 622 S. Union Ave., behind the Rawlings Library on Church St. All proceeds from sales at Books Again benefit the Pueblo City-County Library District.



Location Key:
BK Barkman

GI Giodone
LU Lucero

LB Lamb
GV Greenhorn Valley

PW Pueblo West
RA Rawlings

Frame Yourself!

All libraries, Saturday, Aug. 1-15

Take a photo of yourself in a variety of frames and share on PCCLD's Facebook page.

Street Beat Performance

Wednesdays, Aug. 5, 19
11 a.m.-1 p.m., RA, outside

Fridays, Aug. 14, 28
5-7 p.m., RA, outside

Listen to a variety of local performers.



All Pueblo Grows: Garden Insects and Diseases

Tips on identifying and controlling. Bring plant samples or photos of your plant challenges.

August: Potato/tomato psyllids, spider mites, spotted wing drosophila, yellowjackets and bacterial wetwood.

Friday, Aug. 7, 4 p.m., GV
Monday, Aug. 10, 11 a.m., GI
Tuesday, Aug. 11, 6 p.m., BK



Create the Extraordinary, Escape the Ordinary

Saturday, Aug. 8, 11 a.m., RA

Adult only. Registration required. Class size is limited. SAGE Art Academy founder and local artist, Kim Faiella-Furrrh, will lead this creative experience. Paint on a canvas in acrylic/mixed mediums.

Mesa Junction Art Bash

Sunday, Aug. 9, 2-4 p.m., RA

(every 2nd Sunday through October)

Arts, crafts, entertainment and fun!

August Maker-in-Residence: City Beat Modern Quilters

Studio hours and workshop: RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor. For more information or to register, contact David Hartkop at david.hartkop@pueblolibrary.org or 562-5637.

The City Beat Modern Quilters are a skilled bunch in the ways of quilting, specializing in creations with a modern spin. Participate and learn first hand how to put together cloth creations of your own!

Free Workshops:

Saturday, Aug. 1, 10 a.m.-noon

Quilting demonstration as part of the 2015 Idea Con.

Saturday, Aug. 15, 11-1 p.m.

See more quilting and some great examples of modern quilts.

Saturday, Aug. 22, 12:30-3 p.m.

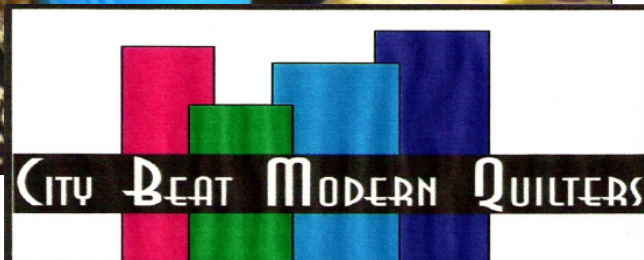
Participants will create their own cloth patterned creations to take home!

Project Reveal

Friday, Sept. 4, 5-7 p.m.

Kadoya Gallery

A quilted creation made at the library will be on display.



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Smokey Bear Exhibit

Saturday, Aug. 1-31, RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Check out Smokey Bear through the years as
painted by artist Rudolph Wendelin.

This exhibit will showcase replica paintings of the
beloved Forest Service icon from the Smokey Bear
Collection of the National Agricultural Library.

Smokey Bear Birthday Party!

Friday, Aug. 7, 2 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Come celebrate Smokey Bear's 71st Birthday and
Exhibit Opening! A special appearance by Smokey!
Refreshments served.

Over the Hedge (PG)

Friday, Aug. 7, 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

Enjoy a movie and popcorn as part of Smokey's
birthday celebration!