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Monday – Thursday
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
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9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday (Rawlings only)
1 to 5 p.m.

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1300 Jerry Murphy Rd.
Lamb Public Library
562-5670
2525 S. Pueblo Blvd.
Library @ the Y
553-0102 (call for hours)
3200 Spaulding
Pueblo West Public Library
562-5660
298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd.
Rawlings Public Library
562-5600
100 E. Abriendo Ave.

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947-3047
213 Hwy. 50 E.
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485-3129
8734 Schoolhouse Ln.
Craver Middle School
676-3850
4850 Crow Cut Off
Cesar Chavez Academy
586-9199
2500 W. 18th St.
North Mesa Elementary
948-2551
28881 Gale Road
Risley Middle School
549-7449
625 N. Monument Ave.
Rye Elementary
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South Mesa Elementary
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Vineland Elementary
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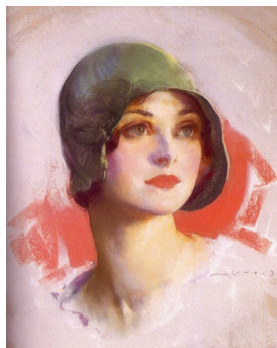
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Women of Pueblo's past: History told through hats

Friday, Aug. 19 at 6:30 p.m.
Rawlings Library, Ryals Room - 4th floor

The Southeastern Colorado Heritage Center and the Pueblo City-County Library District present: *Women of Pueblo, Ladies of Many Hats*. This program tells the history of Pueblo's women through a trunk of hats. This trunk focuses on women during a 100-year period, beginning in 1890 when the city of Pueblo was incorporated as a proper city and advancing by decades through the 1960s.

Ten women will represent all those who contributed to Pueblo's history. Hats are a motif that links the women through the decades; you will learn how hat styles mirrored the social and political changes of their times. The lives of these women will be showcased through a PowerPoint program along with the modeling of vintage hats. Admission for this event is \$10 and reservations are suggested. For more information or to make a reservation, please call the Southeastern Colorado Heritage Center at 295-1517.

Renew a book and more by phone with the library's new automated phone system

Available for use 24/7
(719) 544-0205

The Pueblo City-County Library District is offering a new and convenient service! Renew your checked-out items and monitor other account items through this service. Customers may now call anytime to renew materials and review account information through the library's automated phone service.

To use the automated phone system, call 544-0205. You'll need your PCCLD library card number and PIN (your PIN is your 8-digit birthdate, i.e. 01012011). In the account information section, you can select and monitor:

- Materials checked out
- Renewal options
- Overdue items
- Fines due
- Materials on hold



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For more information on this service, please call 562-5600.

Events Calendar Aug. 2011

1 Monday

- **Barkman Book Discussion Group: *Becoming Animal: An Earthly Cosmology***
Barkman 7 p.m.
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

2 Tuesday

- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

3 Wednesday

- **Wednesday Night Movie: *The Adjustment Bureau*** (PG-13)
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

4 Thursday

- **Marvelous Music for Teens**
Pueblo West 6 p.m.
Jerry King Room B
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

5 Friday

- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

6 Saturday

- **Play Date**
Rawlings 10 a.m.
- **Bilingual Storytime**
Barkman 10 a.m.
Preschool 10:30 a.m.
- **English Conversation Group**
Rawlings 10 a.m. - noon
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Matinee Movie: *Kung Fu Panda*** (PG)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- **FREE Spanish Classes**
Rawlings 4 to 6 p.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

7 Sunday

- **Matinee Movie: *Kung Fu Panda*** (PG)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

8 Monday

- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

9 Tuesday

- **Smokey Bear's Birthday Celebration**
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Computer Tutor: Computer Basics**
Rawlings 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

10 Wednesday

- **Computer Tutor: Computer Basics**
Rawlings 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.



E-readers & the library by Jon Walker

The Pueblo City-County Library District is now providing e-readers. This new service started last month and we are excited about it. I have written recently in previous newsletters (May 2011 and April 2011) about how the "wireless digital age" is changing the library. The library's new e-reader checkout program is only one indication of how things are evolving.

To kick off the program, a number of e-readers can now be checked out by the public from the Rawlings Library. This is a pilot project, and, as such, we are starting somewhat conservatively with 12 e-readers and they are only at the Rawlings Library for now. The e-readers available to checkout from the library are the nook™. We chose the nook™ because it is common in the marketplace and it also has the flexibility to download e-books from a variety of publishers. Each nook™ at the library is preloaded with selected books. We are putting a number of bestselling titles on each nook™. This is one advantage of e-books on an e-reader. You can carry a whole host of books with you in one portable device.

There are some special requirements to checkout e-readers at the library, including restricting use to adults only and insuring that each user of a library-provided nook™ receives sufficient instructions in how to use and care for the e-reader responsibly.

We hope the new nook™ e-readers will be popular. The e-reader program is only one of several new wireless digital projects the library is working on to make available this year. Some of the other projects include laptops and tablets at the library, and more e-content to download to your own personal e-reader, tablet or similar device. All of these services together make up what we are calling the Pueblo City-County Library District's Center for Emerging Technologies. The center should be fully up and running by October of this year.

As always, it is an exciting time at your library. For more information on e-readers at the library, call 562-5601.

You can reach Pueblo City-County Library District's Executive Director, Jon Walker, by calling 562-5633 or emailing jon.walker@pueblolibrary.org



PCCLD Executive Director Jon Walker, addresses a crowd at St. Leanders Church on the east side of Pueblo. This presentation informed members of the community on the process to open a library in the former St. Leander's School.

Books & beyond @ your library

2011 Summer Reading Club



Children checking a pigeon out during a Summer Reading program at the Library @ the Y.



A boy creates a craft during the Global Creations program at the Rawlings Library.



Two girls work on two different multi cultural crafts during a Summer Reading event.



This teen shows off her creative side by designing a henna tattoo during a teen event.



The Salida Circus performs for the crowd at the Barkman Library during a Summer Reading event.



This display shows off the "Lego Landmarks" at the Library @ the Y in July.

Aug. 2011

10 Wednesday

- **Wednesday Night Movie: True Grit (2011)** (PG-13)
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

11 Thursday

- **Anime Club**
Pueblo West Library
5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

12 Friday

- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

13 Saturday

- **Bilingual Storytime**
Barkman 10 a.m.
Preschool 10:30 a.m.
- **Play Date**
Rawlings 10 a.m.
- **English Conversation Group**
Rawlings 10 a.m. - noon
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Introduction to e-books and e-readers**
Rawlings 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- **Matinee Movie: Mars Needs Moms** (PG)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- **Boo-vie film of the month Series: Jane Eyre (1996)** (PG-13)
Rawlings 3:45 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th Floor
- **FREE Spanish Classes**
Rawlings 4 to 6 p.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- **Last day to turn in entry forms for 2011 Adult Summer Reading!**
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

14 Sunday

- **Matinee Movie: Mars Needs Moms** (PG)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- **Teen Movie Night: You Got Served: Beat the World** (PG-13)
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

15 Monday

- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

16 Tuesday

- **Book to Movie Night: Red Riding Hood (PG-13)**
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th Floor
- **Colorado Heart Gallery**
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

17 Wednesday

- **Wednesday Night Movie: Country Strong** (PG-13)
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor

Aug. 2011

17 Wednesday

- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

18 Thursday

- Introduction to Water-Bath Canning
Pueblo West 1 p.m.
Jerry King Room A
- Didgeridoo Moods
Pueblo West 6 p.m.
Jerry King Room B
- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

19 Friday

- Women of Pueblo's Past: History told through hats
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
Ryals Room - 4th floor
- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

20 Saturday

- Bilingual Storytime
Barkman 10 a.m.
Preschool 10:30 a.m.
- Play Date
Rawlings 10 a.m.
- English Conversation Group
Rawlings 10 a.m. - noon
InfoZone - 4th floor
- Matinee Movie:
Justin Bieber: Never Say Never (G)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- FREE Spanish Classes
Rawlings 4 to 6 p.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- Indie Movie Night:
Nurse Fighter Boy (NR)
Rawlings 7 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

21 Sunday

- Matinee Movie:
Justin Bieber: Never Say Never (G)
Rawlings 2 p.m.
InfoZone - 4th floor.
- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

22 Monday

- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

23 Tuesday

- Computer Tutor:
Introduction to Microsoft Word
Rawlings 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor
- Colorado Heart Gallery
Rawlings All Day
InfoZone - 4th floor

24 Wednesday

- Computer Tutor:
Introduction to Microsoft Word
Rawlings 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.
Training Room - 3rd floor

Barkman book-discussion group

August Selection

Becoming Animal: An Earthly Cosmology by David Abram

Monday, Aug. 1 at 7 p.m.

Barkman Library

David Abram offers a new exploration of our entanglement with the rest of nature. This book offers a look at the relationship between our bodies and the earth and may alter how we look at ourselves. It can remind us that our experience and awareness of the world was never our private possession, that our very awareness is a means of participating in a more than human world.

Next month's selection

Fright Fest - Pick your favorite scary book

Monday, Sept. 5 at 7 p.m.

Barkman Library

Help us get ready for Halloween by reading a scary book for the book discussion group. For September, pick your favorite scary book, a frightful novel that interests you, or a terrifying novel suggested by a friend and bring it to the book discussion! For more information on the book discussions, please call 562-5680.

Book to Movie Night

Red Riding Hood (PG-13)

Tuesday, Aug. 16 at 6:30 p.m.

Rawlings Library, InfoZone Theatre - 4th floor



Loosely based on the fairytale, *Little Red Riding Hood*, this film features a woman torn between two men. She is in love with a brooding outsider, Peter, but her parents have arranged for her to marry the wealthy Henry. Valerie and Peter have planned to run away together but this all changes when they learn that Valerie's older sister has been killed by the werewolf that prowls the dark forest surrounding their village. The people of the village, bent on revenge, call on famed werewolf hunter, Father Solomon, to help them kill the wolf. But Solomon's arrival brings unintended consequences as he warns that the wolf, who takes human form by day, could be any one of them.

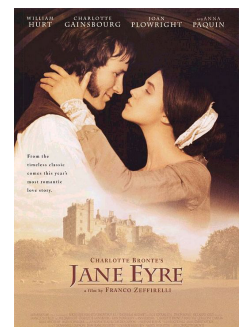
Boo-vie film of the month series

Jane Eyre (1996) (PG-13)

Saturday, Aug. 13 at 3:45 p.m.

Rawlings Library, InfoZone Theatre- 4th floor

Co-hosted by Parkview Spirit of Women and PCCLD, a "boo-vie" is a book that has been turned into a movie. This series will cover a wide range of films, from *Eat Pray Love* to *Jane Eyre* to *Confessions of a Shopaholic*. The common theme in each of these films is that each is based on a book. Please join the Parkview Spirit of Women program in the InfoZone each month for this exciting new series. For more information, call 562-5604.



Playing this month @ your library

Matinee movies @ the InfoZone

Come and watch a movie in the InfoZone Movie Theatre in August. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Snacks are not allowed in the theatre, but covered drinks are permitted. The InfoZone Theatre is located on the 4th floor of the Rawlings Library, 100 E. Abriendo Ave. All movies are shown at 2 p.m., and all movies are free!

Kung Fu Panda (PG)

Saturday, Aug. 6 & Sunday, Aug. 7

Mars Needs Moms (PG)

Saturday, Aug. 13 & Sunday, Aug. 14

Justin Bieber: Never Say Never (G)

Saturday, Aug. 20 & Sunday, Aug. 21

Harry Potter & the Sorcerer's Stone (PG)

Saturday, Aug. 27 & Sunday, Aug. 28

Wednesday-night movies

The InfoZone shows free movies every Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m.

The Adjustment Bureau (PG-13), Aug. 3

Arthur (2011) (PG-13), Aug. 24

True Grit (2011) (PG-13), Aug. 10

Transformers (PG-13), Aug. 31

Country Strong (PG-13), Aug. 17

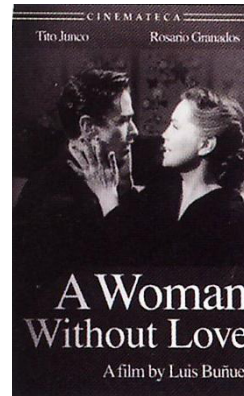
Cine Mexicano

A Woman Without Love (Una Mujer Sin Amor) (NR)

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

Rawlings Library, InfoZone Theatre - 4th floor

Rosario lives in swank quarters with her older husband Don Carlos Montero and their young son Carlitos, who runs away from home after being accused of petty theft. Carlitos is found and returned to his family by engineer Julio Mistral, who attempts to woo an unhappy Rosario when the family comes to visit him in the woods. He is partially successful, as the two begin a romantic affair. Their affair ultimately ends in heartbreak, as Rosario feels bound by loyalty to her family and chooses to remain with her ailing husband. Twenty years pass by without event until Rosario's youngest son Miguel mysteriously receives an inheritance from Julio. Rosario then must decide whether to tell her sons about a secret she has kept for many years.



Independent Movie Night

Nurse Fighter Boy (NR)

Drama - Canada, in English

Saturday, Aug. 20 at 7 p.m.

Rawlings Library, InfoZone Theatre - 4th floor

An urban love story about the soul of a mother, the heart of a fighter, and the faith of a child. Jude is a single mother who descends from a long line of Jamaican caregivers. Silence is a "past his prime" boxer who fights illegally to survive. Ciel is a boy who delves into music, conjuring dreams for his mother. During the last week of summer, a late-night brawl finds the fighter in the nurse's care causing their three fates to be forever entwined. For more information, please call the InfoZone at 562-5604.



Aug. 2011

24 Wednesday

- Wednesday Night Movie: *Arthur (2011)* (PG-13) Rawlings 6:30 p.m. InfoZone - 4th floor
- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

25 Thursday

- Genealogy basics: How to begin your family research Rawlings 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. Training Room - 4th floor
- Anime Club Pueblo West Library 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.
- Introduction to Pressure Canning Pueblo West 6p.m. Jerry King Room A
- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

26 Friday

- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

27 Saturday

- Bilingual Storytime Barkman 10 a.m. Preschool 10:30 a.m.
- Play Date Rawlings 10 a.m.
- English Conversation Group Rawlings 10 a.m. - noon InfoZone - 4th floor
- Matinee Movie: *Harry Potter & the Sorcerer's Stone* (PG) Rawlings 2 p.m. InfoZone - 4th floor.
- FREE Spanish Classes Rawlings 4 to 6 p.m. Training Room - 3rd floor
- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

28 Sunday

- Matinee Movie: *Harry Potter & the Sorcerer's Stone* (PG) Rawlings 2 p.m. InfoZone - 4th floor.
- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

29 Monday

- Colorado Heart Gallery Rawlings All Day InfoZone - 4th floor

30 Tuesday

- Cine Mexicano Movie: *A Woman Without Love* Rawlings 6:30 p.m. InfoZone - 4th floor
- Education Cents: Affording College Pueblo West 6 p.m. Jerry King Room B

31 Wednesday

- Bilingual Storytime Barkman 10 a.m. Preschool 10:30 a.m.
- Wednesday Night Movie: *Transformers* (PG-13) Rawlings 6:30 p.m. InfoZone - 4th floor

Kids' Pages

Play Date @ the Library

Saturdays from 10 to 11:30 a.m.
Rawlings Library, Story Circle - 1st floor

Socialization is important for children! Babies, toddlers, and preschoolers are invited to Tyke Territory to play with toys and meet friends at the library. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. For more information, please call 562-5603.



Barkman Storytime

Every Saturday in August
Bilingual at 10 a.m.
Preschool at 10:30 a.m.
Barkman Library

Join us at the Barkman Library for two very special storytimes: Bilingual and Preschool storytime! Each storytime is open to both children and parents. For more information, please call the Barkman Library at 562-5680.



Smokey Bear's birthday celebration

Tuesday, Aug. 9 at 2 p.m.
Rawlings Library, InfoZone - 4th floor

Smokey Bear is having a birthday party and you are invited! Join the InfoZone News Museum and the U.S. Forest Service for a birthday celebration for Smokey Bear. Take pictures with Smokey, watch the Smokey movie, win door prizes and have a piece of delicious cake. Be sure to come into the InfoZone and say thanks to Smokey Bear for the crucial role he plays in teaching us all about fire prevention and safety. It is always important to do what you can to preserve our beautiful forests. Remember what Smokey says, "only YOU can prevent wildfires."

Teen Scene

Teen Movie Night

You Got Served: Beat the World (PG-13)
Thursday, Aug. 25 at 6:30 p.m.
Rawlings Library, InfoZone Theatre - 4th Floor

Three dance crews prepare to do battle at the international Beat the World competition in Detroit. In the final showdown to become world champions lifelong hopes, dreams and even lives, are at stake.

Marvelous music for teens

Thursday, Aug. 4 at 6 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, King Room B

Local music teacher Chris Brown will teach free music classes for teens in grades 6-12. You will have the chance to experience playing on the drums, keyboard and guitar. Enjoy learning the music in *Piano Marvel* at a beginning or more advanced level and find out how you can continue learning on your own at both the Pueblo West and Rawlings Libraries.

Anime Clubs

Thursday, Aug. 11 and 25
5-6 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, Jerry King Room B

Relax with your friends and enjoy those fun Japanese cartoons on the big screen! This event is free and open to grades 6 - 12.

Didgeridoo Moods

Thursday, Aug. 18 from 6-7:30 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, King Room B

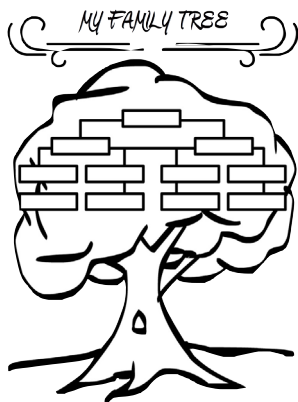
Bring your mates and learn how to play Australia's famed instrument, the didgeridoo! At the library, you and your friends can decorate your own didgeridoos using all recycled materials. All supplies are provided and grades 6-12 are invited to participate. For more information, please call 562-5660.



Affording college through Education Cents

Tuesday, Aug. 30 at 6 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, Jerry King Room B

Do you have the desire to attend college and get your college degree but feel like you can't afford it? Finances are one of the most common barriers to enrolling and remaining in higher education. Join us for this free presentation on financing your college education. College Access representative, Derrick I. Padilla, College Access Coordinator for the Colorado Department of Higher Education will present information for anyone seeking assistance in financing their college education. Parents, students and adult learners are all welcome to attend this session to learn about available opportunities in Colorado and Internet resources to help you find and apply for scholarships, grants and loans. Bring your laptop or use a library computer to follow along and access helpful websites shown in the presentation.



Genealogy basics: How to begin your family research

Thursday, Aug. 25 from 2-4 p.m.
Rawlings Library, Training Room - 3rd floor

Attend this beginning genealogy course and get your research off to a great start! This free course will provide you with information to begin your genealogy and provide an introduction to Ancestry.com. Three rules to genealogy will be taught in this course: (1) Start with what you already know and build, (2) Organization, organization, organization and (3) documentation and citation are key. Useful tidbits will also be provided to aid in furthering your genealogy research. Seating is limited and reservations are required. For more information or to reserve a space for genealogy basics, please call 562-5625.

Introduction to water-bath canning

Saturday, Aug. 18 from 1-2:15 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, King Room A

Introduction to water-bath canning will overview the ins and outs of using the water-bath method to can produce. The water bath method is used to can food items that are high in acid (i.e. fruits, sauerkraut, pickles, jellies and jams).

Join us as we learn about the latest techniques in canning produce. This introductory course will teach the methods of canning through a hands-on demonstration using most of the materials needed to do the water-bath canning method. This presentation is hosted in a partnership through Colorado State University Extension. For more information, please call Christine or Lois at 583-6566.



Introduction to pressure canning

Thursday, Aug. 25 from 6-7:15 p.m.
Pueblo West Library, King Room A

This introductory course will bring participants up-to-date with the modern techniques of pressure canning. Pressure canning is a method of canning used to can low acid foods (i.e. green beans, corn, asparagus and most other vegetables).

Take part in this informative presentation and learn how to safely can your own produce. This presentation is hosted in a partnership through Colorado State University Extension. For more information, please call Lois or Christine at 583-6566.





Sunset - Over Lake Pueblo by Darien Bogart



Looking for Mother by Darien Bogart

Art exhibition featuring Darien Bogart

July 1-August 31
Pueblo West Library, Vectra Art Gallery

The featured artist at Pueblo West Library's Vectra Art Gallery for July and August is Darien Bogart. Bogart enjoys living in Colorado and explains that he is influenced by Colorado's natural beauty. He says "Living in Colorado has allowed me the opportunity to explore the beauty of nature as a landscape painter." He also explains that his goal through his art "is to paint the feeling of 'being'." Bogart said that "Colorado inspires my art from the colorful abstracts it once was to the pursuit of my own reflection of realism. The shapes and colors this land offers is beyond my imagination." All exhibits at the Vectra Art Gallery are free and open to the public. For more information, please call 562-5660.

New art Exhibit: Colorado Heart Gallery

Aug. 1-30
Rawlings Library, InfoZone - 4th floor

The Colorado Heart Gallery started its exhibit in 2005. This gallery began with Diane Granito, Heart Gallery founder, and in her vision to "picture a family for every child." This nationally renowned, annual exhibit features photographs of the children in Colorado who have been waiting the longest for an adoptive family. The faces of the children featured in the Colorado Heart Gallery tell incredibly compelling and highly emotional stories.

Utilizing the skills of some of Colorado's most talented volunteer photographers, the images in the Heart Gallery capture the essence of each child. With only a brief moment of opportunity, these artists use their expertise to eloquently convey the children's individuality. The children silently tell their story through the nuances of their posture, the angle of their smiles and the depth of their eyes. The portraits reach beyond their frames, striking the heart of the audience, conveying the hope and desire that all the children have to find their "forever family." Colorado is among 42 states across the nation to have an active Heart Gallery.



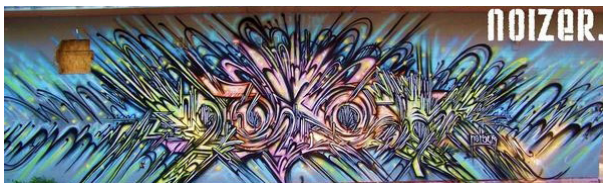
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Car show art exhibit featuring NOIZER

July 29-Aug. 29
Rawlings Library, Hispanic Resource Center- 2nd floor



The featured Artist for the Nuestra Biblioteca and Sweet Dreams Car Show is NOIZER. NOIZER's artwork will be displayed on the 2nd floor next to the new Nuestra Biblioteca/Hispanic Resources Center.

NOIZER is an artist of many mediums. He says "I use multiple mediums for my art including acrylic, oils, digital art and water colors but above all, my favorite medium is an aerosol can with professional grade paint and tip." NOIZER is a passionate artist who paints to capture the movement of colors and things around him. "I like to include the motion of elements around us in our everyday life that I feel are commonly overlooked in our society" he said.

NOIZER was handed his first sketchbook during the summer of 1992 and he hasn't been able to put it down since. He says "There is something growing inside me that has opened my eyes to the beauty and structure of everyday objects that I started seeing more and more often as my life as an artist grew."

Announcing: nooks™ now available for check out!



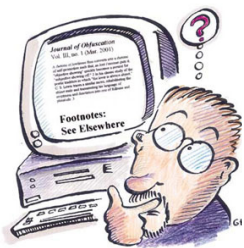
Interested in e-readers or curious about using and reading a digital book? PCCLD is happy to announce that patrons of the library may now check out nooks™. These e-readers have 10 different books pre-loaded and ready to read; our nooks™ offer a great new way to read your favorite books! Learn about and take part in this great new technology and check out a nook™ from the library today!

Nooks™ are available now and may be checked out from the Rawlings 2nd floor reference desk. If a nook™ is not available for check out, ask a staff member how you can put one on hold. For more information about the library's available nooks™, please call 562-5601.

Introduction to e-books and e-readers

Aug. 13 from 10-11 a.m.
Rawlings Library, Training Room - 3rd floor

Join us for an introduction to e-books and e-readers! This free course will cover e-books and e-readers, and many topics that will help you to use and enjoy your e-book and/or e-reader. This course will discuss common types of e-readers and e-formats, and explore places to download free e-books from the Internet. By attending, participants will also learn to download and read an e-book on a computer and on the Barnes & Noble nook™ device. Learn through active tutoring by bringing your own e-reader or e-book device. For more information, please call Andrew at 553-0213.



One-on-one computer tutor

Aug. 9, 10, 23 and 24
Rawlings Library,
Training Room - 3rd floor

Computer skills are helpful and necessary in today's society.

Join us for this introductory course in computers and computer operating systems.

The Computer Basics course will overview computer equipment (mouse, monitor, keyboards) and discuss operating a computer (turning on/off, accessing programs). This is a very basic course intended for those who are not familiar with computer equipment.

Introduction to Microsoft Word is intended for individuals who have some basic familiarity with a computer. This course will provide basic information on using Microsoft Word and its functions.

Computer Basics
Tuesday, Aug. 9 from 6-7 p.m.
Wednesday, Aug. 10 from 10-11 a.m.

Introduction to Microsoft Word
Tuesday, Aug. 23 from 6-7 p.m.
Wednesday, Aug. 24 from 10-11 a.m.

Adult Literacy: Tutor Training Series

Sept. 12-28 from 6-8:30 p.m.
Rawlings Library, Training Room - 3rd floor

Make a difference and become an adult literacy tutor! PCCLD offers one-on-one tutoring for native English speakers and English language learners who want to learn to read or improve their literacy skills.

PCCLD is looking for volunteer tutors to help adult learners with limited literacy skills improve their reading and writing. Tutors are required to submit a volunteer application, pass a background check and complete 15 hours of training before being paired with an adult learner.

Sign up now for the next tutor training series. This three-week series will prepare interested volunteers to help adult learners with limited literacy skills improve their reading and writing. For more information, or to sign up to be an adult literacy tutor, please contact Amy Nelson at 553-0206.



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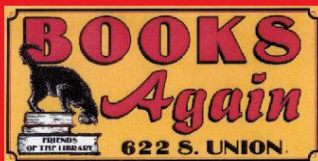


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Friends of the Library Board Member spotlight: Kathleen Mauro by Kathleen Mauro

In the beginning: I was born and raised in Colorado. My family has farmed in Pueblo County since the late 1800's. My great, great grandfather immigrated to America from Italy through Ellis Island in the late 1880's.

The middle: I was working at Avondale Elementary when the library district began putting in the satellite libraries at the elementary schools throughout Pueblo. It was a real joy to see the additional volumes of books made available to our students and adult community members through the satellite. I would volunteer to read to students during each of the holidays and share some of my favorite stories and authors with them. I have lived and worked in Pueblo all of my life, except for my first two years of teaching in Fountain-Ft. Carson School District. During the two years that I lived in Colorado Springs, I attained a limited ability to speak and understand the Spanish language. This was helpful while working within a school community that had a high Hispanic demographic. I became interested in FOL through a conversation with Barbara Tuttoilmondo, who was a past board member. I had her grandchildren at the school where I was the principal. She indicated that an opening would be coming up on the board and I applied.

My favorite children's author is Roald Dahl and it was always fun to share his books with students! The staff and I also started a "guest reader" program where we would invite local educators and business people to come to school, bring one of their favorite books or poems and share them with a group of students. This was a very successful and enjoyable program for both students and adults.

I have traveled to Europe and have visited Italy, Germany, Switzerland, Spain and Belgium. The history, scenery and artwork in those countries were wonderful and unforgettable. My first trip to Hawaii three years ago was another memorable travel experience; the ocean colors and the tropical fish were so unique.

The future: Now that I am retired from education, I like to spend my time gardening and traveling. My sister, brother-in-law and three nieces live in Dallas and I enjoy my visits with them. Gardening is my favorite thing to do.

As an adult, I enjoy reading novels by James Patterson and John Grisham. Now that I am finally retired, I actually have time to do the things that I want! I enjoy my time in the garden, reading great books, and traveling--a noble pastime!

New location: Nuestra Biblioteca/ Hispanic Resource Center

The Nuestra Biblioteca/Hispanic Resource Center has a new home! The new location is now more prominent and more convenient for patrons. Nuestra Biblioteca/Hispanic Resource Center is now located on the 2nd floor next to the elevators.

The new location will soon feature a mural inspired from the 102-page monograph by Dr. David Sandoval entitled *History of Hispanics in Pueblo County, Colorado*. PCCLD's Hispanic Resources Center leveraged a grant from Colorado Humanities to sponsor the writing. This publication is a landmark history of the influence and key role Hispanics have played in Pueblo.

Visit our new location for the same great selection in Spanish books, Latino literature and Spanish-language DVDs and CDs. For more information on the NuestraBiblioteca/Hispanic Resource Center, please call Felicia Sanchez-Garbiso at 562-5615.

FOL President's Corner by Annette Warfield

Hot weather finds many of us searching for a swimming pool or some other cool location. This summer many young Puebloans found the Library just the right place to be. The summer reading program is moving close to its conclusion with reading logs due early in August. Friend's members should know Pueblo youth were provided with a fun opportunity to stay mentally engaged. The summer reading program, One World, Many Stories, also helped young people keep in touch with friends during the break from school. Friends of the Library has been proud to be a sponsor of the reading program for several summers. Earlier this year, FOL presented PCCLD with a \$6,500 contribution to help fund the 2011 summer reading program.

Before the FOL board adjourned for its summer break, Michael Cox, youth services manager, presented the board with a detailed report of the 2011 Read OUT LOUD Program. This is another program FOL is proud to sponsor. This year, six library events with the author present had a total of 988 participants. Total participants in the various aspects of the program reached 4,115 students. A total of 70 classrooms took part in the program. The writing component had 715 participants. The FOL board thoroughly enjoyed hearing Cox enthusiastically report on the success of this program. Board member, Doris Kester, was quick to compliment Cox and thank him for his passion for his work. Other board members followed her lead by

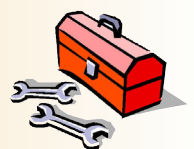
adding their congratulations and compliments to Cox. We all felt a sense of pride in being able to provide such a delightful and successful program to youth services. I don't think I would be out of line to suggest an unanimous vote from the board is in the wings to fund the 2012 Read OUT LOUD Program.



I would like to thank the FOL project selection committee for their work during the summer months. I know they have met several times reviewing requests for various equipment and other desired items. The FOL board will resume its monthly meetings in August. Board members will be eager to hear the recommendations from the project selection committee at that meeting.

Please check out the Thursday edition of the *Pueblo Chieftain* for the Books Again advertisement. This ad will keep you informed of specials at the bookstore and often includes a coupon for a free paperback. Keep using our bookstore as a place to shop and a place for donations. Also, please continue your membership in our Friends group. Friends is a group of dedicated volunteers who advocate for libraries, raise much needed funds, sponsor programs and host popular used book sales. Thanks for being a Friend!

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Prize bag includes, but is not limited to:

- Gift certificate to Books Again bookstore
- Friends of the Library notepads
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