

# News & Events

MAY 2005

PUEBLO CITY-COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT

## Hours & Locations

Monday – Thursday  
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
Friday & Saturday  
9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Sunday (Rawlings Library Only)  
1 – 5 p.m.

Internet: [www.pueblolibrary.org](http://www.pueblolibrary.org)

Robert Hoag Rawlings  
Public Library  
562-5600  
100 E. Abriendo Ave.

Barkman Branch - 562-5680  
1300 Jerry Murphy Road

Lamb Branch - 562-5670  
2525 South Pueblo Boulevard

White Branch (Pueblo West)  
562-5660  
298 South Joe Martinez Blvd.

Community Satellites:  
Avondale Elementary - 947-3047  
213 Hwy. 50 East

Beulah School - 485-3127  
8734 Schoolhouse Lane

Colorado City - 676-3162  
4705 Santa Fe Drive

Hyde Park - 586-9199  
2500 W. 18th Street

North Mesa Elementary  
948-2551  
28881 Gale Road

Risley Middle School - 549-7449  
625 N. Monument Avenue

Rye Elementary - 489-2275  
8120 Highway 165 W

South Mesa Elementary  
543-0738  
23701 E. Preston Road

Vineland Elementary - 948-2633  
35777 Iris Road

If special assistance is  
needed, please call 562-5600.

## Jon Walker, Executive Director

### Pueblo City-County Library District Board of Trustees:

Joyce Vigil, President  
Gil Trujillo, Vice-President

Dr. Phillip Mancha  
Frederick Quintana  
Sean Tapia  
Frances Terrazas-Alexander

### Friends of the Library Board:

Jane Milne, President  
Roy Miltner, Vice-President  
Margaret Benz, Secretary  
John Tappen, Treasurer

Funding for this newsletter  
is provided by the  
Friends of the Library.



## Let's Celebrate Pueblo! By Karen McMahon & Tracey Mattoon

Continuing the tradition of featuring locally produced films about issues important to the residents of Pueblo, the InfoZone News Museum at the Robert H. Rawlings Public Library will debut its new set of films with a special premiere party on Saturday, May 21. The four movies, with the theme *Celebrate Pueblo!*, will be shown to the public starting Sunday, May 22 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the InfoZone's theatre.

*Celebrate Pueblo!* offers a unique view of what makes Pueblo a wonderful town. The fantastic carousel in City Park will be featured in one of the short films. The other short films explore historic Pueblo homes and attractions including the Historic Arkansas Riverwalk Project.

To go along with the *Celebrate Pueblo!* Theme, the Pueblo City-County Library District will be celebrating Pueblo authors with a special book signing opportunity on Sunday, May 22. After checking out the films in the InfoZone be sure to stop by the second floor of the Rawlings Library to see if your favorite author is there or check out other

books written about Pueblo that you haven't read yet.

Kids can get involved in the fun as well. They can pick up a copy of *Assignment Pueblo: Reporter's Notebook* at the InfoZone desk. Children can use the notebook to get into other Pueblo attractions for free or at a discounted price. They can then write a news article or draw a picture of all the new sights and places they've discovered and turn in the completed notebook to the InfoZone. At the end of the summer, a drawing will be held for the best entry returned. That child will receive a great prize just in time for school.

Come *Celebrate Pueblo!* with the InfoZone



Pueblo Chieftain Photo

News Museum and Library District this summer. We're sure you'll have a wonderful time!

Tracey Mattoon and Karen McMahon work in the InfoZone and can be reached at (719) 562-5604.



Pueblo Chieftain Photo

# Events Calendar May 2005

## 1 Sunday

- Rawlings Library is Open  
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

## 2 Monday

- **Mother Goose Time**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Family Story Time**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.
- **Literary Discussion Group**  
Barkman 7:00 p.m.

## 3 Tuesday

- **Time for Tots**  
White 10 & 10:30 a.m.

## 4 Wednesday

- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 9:30, 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Story Time**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.
- **Mother Goose Time**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
- **Time for Tots**  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.

## 5 Thursday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
White 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Up with Reading Awards Reception**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.
- **Family Story Time**  
Barkman 7:30 p.m.

## 6 Friday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Mother Goose Time**  
Rawlings 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.

## 7 Saturday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
Rawlings 11:00 a.m.
- **E-mail 101**  
Rawlings 2:00 p.m.
- **Kids Korner**  
White 2:00 p.m.
- **Matinee Movie**  
**The Secret of Roan Inish**  
Rawlings 2:00 p.m.  
InfoZone - Fourth Floor

## 8 Sunday

- Rawlings Library is Open  
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

# Internet @ the Library

By Jon Walker



Back in the mid-1990s, a young man with a high-tech telecom firm challenged me with a question: "Why do we need libraries? With the Internet, I have everything I need on my desktop."

The question really caused me to stop and examine my profession (not to mention my future).

At about that same time, public libraries across the country started providing access to the Internet.

Librarians were excited about the advent of the Web. It had so much potential to conveniently deliver pertinent, current information. As long ago as 1945, librarians had predicted the advent of the "library without walls" or "virtual library." With the Web, the promise of the electronic library seemed closer than ever.

There is no doubt the Internet is changing libraries. Customer access to the Web means libraries can go beyond their local collections in providing research and delivering information.

Even the smallest library now has the resources once only afforded to major research institutions.

Today, PCCLD provides public Internet access to thousands of customers each month. In February alone, nearly 25,000 customers logged-on to P C C L D I n t e r n e t computers!

Libraries have taken up their traditional calling to provide free access to information, including the Internet. Those who don't have or can't afford Internet in their home or business can still be connected at their public library.

The role of the librarian as an "information professional" remains valuable, too. Librarians examine online information and ask questions to determine its value. Is the information current? Is the topic covered thoroughly? Is it authored by someone of authority? Is it accurate? Is the information produced objective or is it advocating a particular point of view? Is someone trying to sell you something or convince you of something or are they simply reporting facts? Is it age-appropriate?

Traditional librarian information-literacy skills have always been

important, and they remain so today in the online world. So, too, does the role of the librarian in *teaching* information literacy and how to select appropriate resources.

Librarians encourage Internet users to evaluate content with a skeptical eye. The rule "Don't believe everything you read" absolutely applies to the Internet. Librarians have a duty to help customers sort out the good from the bad.

Another challenge with the Internet is the cost of information. You have to subscribe to specific sites or pay to view selections.

The public library makes certain that our community members have access to information regardless of their economic means. PCCLD subscribes to several web databases on behalf of the community.

These web databases can be found at [www.pueblolibrary.org](http://www.pueblolibrary.org) by clicking on "Search Electronic Reference." All you need is your library card to access the information.

So, back to the beginning of this article and the young man who raised the issue about the future of libraries in the age of the Internet. It is interesting to note that a few years after he asked his question of me, his high-tech firm filed bankruptcy while use of public libraries continues to soar.

*Executive Director Jon Walker may be reached at (719) 562-5633.*





# Adult Services

## Robert Hoag Rawlings Library Computer Classes

### Really Basic Computer Class

- **Tuesday, May 10, 2005 - 1 p.m.**

This class is designed for new computer users who have little or no previous experience using computers, Windows, a mouse or the Internet, and little or no knowledge of basic computer terms.

### How to Use Automotive Repair Reference Center

- **Thursday, May 12, 2005 - 2 p.m.**

Basic Internet and computer skills are required. This class will explain how to use this new library database which contains information on most major manufacturers of domestic and imported vehicles, with repair information, wiring diagrams and service bulletins for most vintage makes starting as far back as 1954.

### Introduction to Microsoft Word

- **Tuesday, May 17, 2005 - 7 p.m.**

Basic computer skills are required. This class shows how to use this word-processing program to create various kinds of documents. You will learn how to use the toolbar, set margins, apply spell check, and preview, save and print documents.

All computer classes will be held on the third floor of the Rawlings Library in the Training Room.

Personal computer tutors are available by appointment on Mondays from 7:15 to 9:00 p.m. Call 553-0213.

### Introduction to Microsoft PowerPoint

- **Tuesday, May 24, 2005 - 7 p.m.**

Basic word processing skills are required. This class shows how to use this resource to create group presentations and slide shows.

### Internet @ the Library

- **Wednesday, May 18, 2005 - 7 p.m.**

This class is designed for people with little or no experience in using the Internet. You will learn to navigate the World Wide Web and use the library's catalog system and online resources.

### E-mail 101

- **Saturday, May 7, 2005 - 2 p.m.**

This class teaches how to set up a free account and how to use it to send and receive e-mail. Basic Internet skills helpful.

### E-mail 101 Continued

- **Saturday, May 14, 2005 - 1 p.m.**

This class teaches how to use the different functions (sending, attachments, contacts, etc.) in your existing Hotmail account. Basic Internet skills helpful.

**Email: Yahoo & Email: Hotmail classes available by appointment. Call 553-0213.**



## Pueblo S.E.T. for 60+ Art Show



Come and enjoy the fine work of emerging Pueblo artists. These works of art are sure to delight all art enthusiasts.

The Pueblo S.E.T. for 60+ Art Show is a juried, fine arts competition for amateur artists 60 and

older.

All entries will be exhibited at the Robert Hoag Rawlings Public Library, 100 E. Abriendo Avenue in the fourth floor Gallery from Monday, May 9 through Friday, May 20, 2005.

## 9 Monday

- **Family Story Time**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.
- **Mother Goose Time**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Great Discussion Group**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
Meeting Room B

## 10 Tuesday

- **Time for Tots**  
White 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Really Basic Computer Class**  
Rawlings 1:00 p.m.  
Third Floor Training Room

## 11 Wednesday

- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 9:30, 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Story Time**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.
- **Mother Goose Time**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
- **Time for Tots**  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.

## 12 Thursday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
White 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Family Story Time**  
Barkman 7:30 p.m.
- **How to Use Automotive Repair Reference Center**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
Third Floor Training Room

## 13 Friday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Mother Goose Time**  
Rawlings 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.

## 14 Saturday

- **Preschool Story Time**  
Rawlings 11:00 a.m.
- **E-mail 101 Continued**  
Rawlings 1:00 p.m.
- **Kids Korner**  
White 2:00 p.m.
- **Independent Film**  
**The Rage in Placid Lake**  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
InfoZone - Fourth Floor

## 15 Sunday

- Rawlings Library is Open  
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

## 16 Monday

- **Storytellers on Vacation until June 6**

May 2005

# Children's Bookmark Contest

## 17 Tuesday

- Friends of the Library Board Meeting  
Rawlings 12:00 noon
- Introduction to Microsoft Word  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.

## 18 Wednesday

- Internet @ the Library  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
Third Floor Training Room

## 19 Thursday

- Storytellers on Vacation until June 6

## 20 Friday

## 21 Saturday

## 22 Sunday

- Rawlings Library is Open 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.
- Celebrate Pueblo! Public Premiere  
Rawlings 1:00- 5:00 p.m.  
InfoZone - Fourth Floor

## 23 Monday

- Great Discussion Group  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
Meeting Room B

## 24 Tuesday

- Introduction to Microsoft PowerPoint  
Rawlings 7:00 p.m.  
Third Floor Training Room

## 25 Wednesday

- Storytellers on Vacation until June 6

## 26 Thursday

- Library Board of Directors Meeting  
Rawlings 6:00 p.m.

## 27 Friday

- Storytellers on Vacation until June 6

## 28 Saturday

- Matinee Movie Shrek 2  
Rawlings 2:00 p.m.  
InfoZone - Fourth Floor

## 29 Sunday

- Rawlings Library is Open 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

## 30 Monday

- All Libraries are Closed for Memorial Day

## 31 Tuesday

- Storytellers on Vacation until June 6

The Children's Bookmark Contest is the most popular annual contest hosted by the Community Relations Department of the Pueblo City-County Library District. Last year, more than 3,000 entries were submitted!

One winner is selected from each of the following categories: Kindergarten, First Grade, Second Grade, Third Grade, Fourth Grade, Fifth Grade, Middle School, and High School.

The winning bookmarks will be professionally printed and distributed next fall in Pueblo school classrooms, at all Pueblo City-County Library District locations, and in the community. Winning entries will be recognized at a special ceremony in September.

### Contest Rules:

1. Bookmarks must measure 1 7/8 inches by 5 3/4 inches. Include the following with each entry: Your name, age, home phone number, grade, teacher's name, and school's name. Entry forms are available at all library sites.
2. Only one entry per person may be accepted.
3. Participants must be Pueblo County residents.
4. Bring entries to any Library location, mail to Greg Sinn at Pueblo School District No. 60, Ginger Andenucio at Pueblo School District No. 70, or the Community Relations Department at the Robert Hoag Rawlings Library, 100 E. Abriendo Avenue, Pueblo, CO 81004 or e-mail entries to [contests@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:contests@pueblolibrary.org).

Deadline for entries is Friday, May 20.  
Each winner receives a \$20 gift certificate!

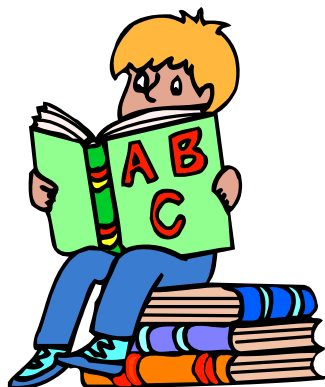
*Create a colorful bookmark with a reading theme!*



## Most Improved Reader Awards

The Pueblo City-County Library District would once again like to award a certificate of merit to the child in your classroom whose reading skills have shown the most improvement.

Research shows kids who read well are more successful at school: Kids who read, succeed.



As you probably recall, this award is not for the best reader, but rather for the child who through their own efforts has improved their reading skills greatly during the past year.

Please select the child from your classroom whom you feel should receive this recognition.

If you feel that two children deserve awards, just enter both names on the entry form at the bottom of the page.

Forms are available at all library locations. Please return the completed form to:

**Rawlings Public Library**  
100 E. Abriendo Ave.  
Pueblo, CO 81004

Entries may also be e-mailed to:  
[contests@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:contests@pueblolibrary.org)

**Deadline is Friday, May 6**

A certificate will be presented to the students you have chosen during your End-of-Year Awards Ceremony.

Parents of the children nominated should be notified that their child will be receiving the award so they can make plans to attend the Awards Ceremony.

We thank you for your cooperation in this wonderful and important awards program.

If you have questions or need additional information, please call 562-5606.

# Literary Discussion Group

***Uppity Women Series***  
**by Vicki Leon**  
**May 2, 2005 - 7:00 p.m.**  
**Barkman Library**

## **Uppity Women of Ancient Times**

Two hundred pyramid builders, poets, princesses and other women in positions of power over the centuries are profiled in a series of biographies concentrating on unusual women.

Uppity Women of Ancient Times is an excellent,

and fun title, packed with information on women who influenced history and created lasting names for themselves.

## **Uppity Women of the Renaissance**

Take a romp through the Renaissance when uppity women ruled!

In an era typically associated with famous men, infamous women also abounded: Catalina de Erauso, who dueled, drank, and cross-dressed her way through Spain and North

America; Christina of Denmark, a dimpled sixteen-year-old widow who turned down Henry VIII (and lived to tell about it); and Veronica Franco, an Italian poet and courtesan turned politician who lobbied in defense of Venice's painted ladies.

Book discussions are open to the public, and everyone is welcome to attend.

For more information please contact Renee Tryon at 296-8018, or Carol Rooney at the Barkman Library at 562-5680.

# Saturday Matinee Movies at the InfoZone

Saturday Matinee Movies come to the InfoZone big screen!

Catch your favorite stars of the silver screen in some of the most loved, family-friendly films ever made by attending a Saturday movie matinee at the InfoZone News Museum.

Movies begin at 2 p.m. each Saturday in the state-of-the-art InfoZone theater.

There is never an admission fee to see a movie at the InfoZone.

Drinks in covered contain-

ers are allowed in the theater, but food is not.

Be sure to stop by Java by the Book to grab a refreshing beverage on your way up to the fourth-floor InfoZone theater.

Reservations for the matinee won't be accepted, so come a bit early to make sure you get a seat.

All Saturday matinee screenings will be family-favorite films - movies that are rated G and PG - from animation to animals, and from sci-fi

to spooky.

The following films will be shown in May:

*Saturday, May 7*

*2:00 p.m.*

*The Secret of Roan Inish*

*Saturday, May 28*

*2:00 p.m.*

*Shrek 2*

# InfoZone Movie Night

Independent Film:

*The Rage in Placid Lake*

Directed by Tony McNamara of Australia

Saturday, May 14

7:00 p.m. - InfoZone Theater

Robert Hoag Rawlings Library

Fourth Floor

100 E. Abriendo Avenue



Placid Lake has always been different. His crayon-eating, scientific-genius of a best friend, Gemma also has a few issues with "blending in." As an odd fish in a sea of mediocrity, his brilliant ideas are bound to get him into more trouble than success. So when he finds himself flying off the school roof and breaking every bone in his body on graduation night, Placid decides to make a bid for the elusive normal life. To his parents' horror, he gets a normal job. Soon he's embracing conformity on the fast track to corporate success. But can Placid finally retire his rage in the pursuit of normalcy? Or will his plan backfire?

This movie will be shown free to the public. Seating is limited and is on a first come, first served basis. For more information, call the InfoZone at 562-5604.

## Book Discussion Planning Session

Read a good book lately? Ever wish you could talk to others who have read the same book? You are invited to attend a book-discussion planning session at the Rawlings Library.

We will be setting up ongoing book discussion opportunities to be held at the Rawlings Library beginning later this year. We would like your input to help us plan ahead in this area.

If participating in a book discussion appeals to you, and you would like to have some input on how we run them, please contact Rich Poll at 553-0228 or email him at [rpoll@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:rpoll@pueblolibrary.org).

You will be notified when the planning session will be held.

To insure that you are included in the planning session, please contact Rich by Thursday, May 12.

**All storytellers will be taking some time off to prepare new stories.**

**There will be no story times from Monday, May 16 through Saturday, June 4.**

**Story times will resume on Monday, June 6.**



# Summer Reading Club Calendar

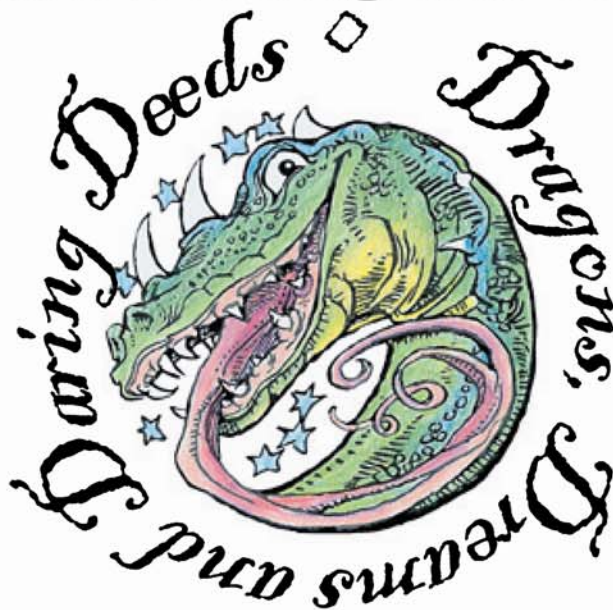
## Pueblo City-County Library District locations

Robert Hoag Rawlings Library  
100 East Abriendo Avenue  
562-5603

Barkman Branch  
1300 Jerry Murphy Raod  
562-5680

Lamb Branch  
2525 South Pueblo Boulevard  
562-5670

White Branch  
298 Joe Martinez Boulevard  
Pueblo West  
562-5660



## Community Satellites

Avondale Elementary  
213 Hwy. 50 East, 947-3047

Beulah School  
8734 Schoolhouse Lane, 485-3127

Colorado City  
4705 Santa Fe Drive, 676-3162

Hyde Park At Cesar Chavez Academy  
2500 W. 18th Street, 586-9199

North Mesa Elementary  
28881 Gale Road, 948-2551

Risley Middle School  
625 N. Monument Avenue, 549-7449

Rye Elementary  
8120 Highway 165 West, 489-2275

South Mesa Elementary  
23701 E. Preston Road, 543-0738

Vineland Elementary  
35777 Iris Road, 948-2633

*(Each satellite will be open 8 hours per week  
with a weekly storytime. Call for details.)*

## Treasure Grabbers

5TH GRADE AND YOUNGER

Tuesday: White Branch  
*Programs are held at 2 and 3 p.m.  
(Tickets available 1/2 hour before event)*

Wednesday: Rawlings Library - 2 p.m.

Thursday: Barkman Branch - 2 p.m.

Friday: Lamb Branch - 2 p.m.



## Dragon Nabbers

6TH GRADE AND OLDER

Tuesday: Barkman Branch - 2 - 3 p.m.

Wednesday: White Branch - 7 - 8 p.m.

Thursday: Rawlings Library - 7 - 8 p.m.



## June 7 - 10: Gypsy Dreams and Daring Deeds

Writer, performer, musician and psychotherapist Christopher Maier presents stories enriched with acting, music and flamenco dance about ordinary children going through extraordinary times.

## June 14 - 17: Imaginative Theatre for the Young at Heart

Listen to Lisa Surette as she shares stories about a paperbag princess, a dragon so green she's not very mean and a fisherman's son.

## June 21 - 23, July 1: Dragon's Tears

Adventure with music, story and song that comes from the very heart of a daring dragon. Join Beth Epley for wild participation stories and silly songs.

## June 24, 28 - 30: Loathsome and Lovely

Join winsome wenches Iso and Deena in rediscovering rousing tales of loathsome dragons and lovely ladies.

## July 5 - 8: Calling All Medieval Artisans!

Come listen to a magical story and then conjure up cool and clever crafts.

## July 12 - 15: A Day at the Dragon Infirmary, or, How the Good Knight Cured the Crud!

A captivating comedy in three acts, based on Shelley Moore Thomas' "Get Well, Good Knight."

## July 19 - 22: Inspector Magic's Magical Quest

Princess Rapunzel is missing and Inspector Magic (magician Mark Weidhaas) needs your help – and that of a brave knight from the audience – to assist her.

## July 26 - 29: Renaissance Faire

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Join the Royal Romp at the Library's Renaissance Faire. Games, juggling, magic, prize drawings and reading recognition ceremony are on tap.

## June 7 - 9: Juggle Jam

Make your own juggling balls and learn how to juggle. Non-juggling jokers allowed.

## June 14 - 16: Merlin's Magic

Discover Merlin's magical secrets and learn tricks that will amaze your friends.

## June 21 - 23: Coat of Arms Capture Quest

Design a coat of arms and make a magnet craft.

## June 28 - 30: Dragon Creation

Let your imagination soar! Design your own dragon.

## July 5 - 7: Medieval Mail

Learn the ancient art of paper making.

## July 12 - 14: Fantasy Fencing

Watch a real fencing demonstration and practice with your own homemade sword.

## July 19 - 21: Renaissance Rehearsal

Tweak your talents and don your hats for the Renaissance Faire.

## July 26 - 28: Gaming Roundtable

Bring your own gaming cards and boards. Eat, drink and be merry!

## August 5, 12, 19, 26 (2 p.m.): Friday Afternoon Club

Teens are invited to Friday Afternoon Club activities in the Ryals Room at Robert Hoag Rawlings Library.



## Books in the Park

Bessemer Park, 800 W. Northern Ave.

Monday – Wednesday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Storytimes are Tuesday at noon

Mitchell Park, 1300 E. 12th St.

Thursday – Saturday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Storytimes are Friday at noon

Call 562-5631 for more information.

We have lots of fun times planned for the Preschool Bunch as well. Contact your local library branch to learn about story times for younger children that include "Mother Goose" (birth to 2 years), "Tales for Twos" (2 years old), "Time for Tots" (under 3 years) and "Preschool" (ages 3 to 6).



# Friends of the Library President's Corner

By Jane Milne

"It is one of the most beautiful compensations of this life - that no man sincerely tries to help another without helping himself."

Author unknown.

This month we would like to introduce you to the Friends Board. You know who the officers are but who are the other eleven members of our board?

Edna Shoaf, our

contributing editor, has interviewed the Knights. Doug & Rose Marie Knight are a vital part of our Friends Board Team.

I know you will enjoy hearing about them.

## Meet the Board of Directors

By Edna Shoaf

It seems particularly apropos, since we have a brand new newsletter being printed, that the Friends of the Library Board of Directors be introduced.

Sometimes an organization such as this appears to just happen, but rest assured that a number of people volunteer many hours of time in order for the Friends to continue to be a vital, useful part of the Pueblo City-County Library District.

Here then in alphabetical order are the Board of Directors of the Friends of the Library: Margaret Benz, Sandra Cunningham, Jeanne Gardner, Ernie Herzberger, Douglas W. Knight, Rose Marie Knight, Kenna Lawson, Linda McKinnon, Jane Milne, Roy Miltner, Dick Moran, Donna Seilheimer, Edna M. Shoaf, John Tappen, and Barbara Tuttoilmondo.

Aha! You noticed the name "Knight" appears twice, didn't you? Yes, indeed, we have a husband and wife team sitting on the Board at this time.

How interesting that a married couple shares the same interest sufficiently enough to serve the same organization.

I visited with the Knights recently to see if they would share the reasons

why they dedicate so much of their time to the Friends because, not only do they serve on the board, they are also actively involved in other Friend's activities, including the annual fall book sale held in October each year.

Doug and Rose Marie Knight are a charming, attractive couple, and their affection for each other is easily seen in the way they hold hands as they walk, or the looks that pass between them when they answer questions.

Originally from Arizona, they decided to reside in Pueblo because the climate appears to be good for allergies suffered by several members of the family.

They have lived in many places and had many exciting adventures, but Pueblo is home now.

Both are retired from CSU-Pueblo where Doug was a Professor of Computer Informational Systems and Rose Marie was a Residence Hall Administrator.

Why are they both on the Friend's Board? "Why, we are a team," exclaims Rose Marie. "We are thick as molasses, and we do most things together. We will be married 44 years in June, and we have always

worked together on different projects."

Doug continues, "We do Tai Chi, and we work with the Astronomy Club. We both were judges for the Scary Story contest and the Poetry contest. We presented the reading awards at Desert Sage Elementary School in Pueblo West. As former educators, it is wonderful to see children succeed. We are interested in the library because it is a good public service."

The Knights first began volunteering with the Friends at the fall book sale, and from there they moved into their present positions as Board members.

Rose Marie is currently involved in the Magazine Exchange Project for the public school systems. She is hopeful that she can coordinate with other projects of the Friends within the next six months.

She said that she and Doug are impressed with the brilliant people on the Board and are pleased to work with such dedicated individuals. The Friends Board is also pleased, and fortunate, to have this vibrant, hardworking, effervescent couple as members. A tip of the ole hat to Doug and Rose Marie!

## UPCOMING EVENTS

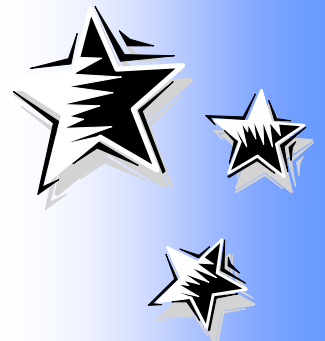
The May Board Meeting of the Friends of the Library will be held on Tuesday, May 17 at noon in the Rawlings Library. This meeting is always open to the public.

The Up With Reading Community Awards Reception will be May 5, 2005 at 7:00 p.m. in the Ryals Room on the fourth floor of the Robert Hoag Rawlings Public Library.

## New Friends of the Library Members:

Mr. & Mrs. H. W. Farwell  
Tracey Mattoon  
R.J. "Pat" O'Callaghan

*Thank you for your membership!*



*The Robert Hoag  
Rawlings  
Public Library  
and the  
Barkman, Lamb,  
& White branches  
will be closed  
Monday, May 30  
for  
Memorial Day.*

### Friends of the Library Membership Form

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name or Organization

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

**Make check payable to:**

Friends of the Library,  
100 E. Abriendo Avenue  
Pueblo, CO 81004



**Memberships:**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Individual  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 Family   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$25 Gold Card   | <input type="checkbox"/> \$25 Business |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 Benefactor | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 Patron  |



## Beyond the Medal of Honor

*Beyond the Medal of Honor* is a film profiling four of Pueblo's sons who became American heroes.

The stories of Bill Crawford, Carl Sitter, Jerry Murphy and Drew Dix are told in gripping detail through interviews with each recipient, families and colleagues.

The film, shown nationally on PBS, explores each man's life and the action that earned them the Medal of Honor. It is illustrated with compelling video and photos from the National Archive.

The video includes four stories over 5 hours, plus bonus features.

The collection is priced at \$39.95 and is available in the InfoZone at the Robert Hoag Rawlings Public Library, fourth floor, 100 E. Abriendo Avenue.

**Get Your Copy Today!**