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9 a.m. to 9 p.m.  
Friday & Saturday  
9 a.m. – 6 p.m.  
Sunday (Rawlings only)  
1 – 5 p.m.

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562-5680  
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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Avondale Elementary  
947-3047  
213 Hwy. 50 E.

Beulah School  
485-3129  
8734 Schoolhouse Ln.

Craver Middle School  
676-3850  
4850 Crow Cut Off

Cesar Chavez Academy  
586-9199  
2500 W. 18<sup>th</sup> St.

North Mesa Elementary  
948-2551  
28881 Gale Road

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

Rye Elementary  
489-2272  
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543-0738  
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## All Pueblo Reads 2010 kicks off Oct. 1 & 2

**ALL PUEBLO READS 2010**



**THE ABSOLUTELY TRUE DIARY OF A PART-TIME INDIAN BY SHERMAN ALEXIE**

The 2010 project features 2007 National Book Award winner, *The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-time Indian* by Sherman Alexie. The dates for 2010 All Pueblo Reads are Oct. 1 to 31. APR is a literary project designed to get everyone in Pueblo County reading and discussing one book at the same time each year. The goals of the project are to promote literacy and encourage community dialogue across social, cultural and generational lines. Last year, there were nearly 18,000 participants! The following information highlights a few of the early events, but more information will be available shortly.

### VIP Kickoff Reception with artist Ed Posa, heavy hors d'œuvres & complimentary wine Friday, Oct. 1 at 7 p.m. Pueblo West Library ~ 298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd.

Meet artist Ed Posa at this preview and sale kicking off the 2010 All Pueblo Reads project. On this special evening with the artist, a door prize will be given away and there will be silent auction items to bid on to benefit the library district. A selection of Posa's paintings will be on display and for sale at Pueblo West Library in October. A portion of all sales will benefit PCCLD. Ed Posa is an artist who captures Native American and Southwest images in a unique and vibrant style using watercolor and gouache. This event is free and open to the public.



Looking Back by Ed Posa.

### Kickoff Celebration, Saturday, Oct. 2 at 1 to 4 p.m. Rawlings Library ~ 100 E. Abriendo Ave.

The kickoff for All Pueblo Reads 2010 promises to be a day filled with opportunities to experience Native American culture. The celebration begins at 1 p.m. with a dance performance. The performance will be followed by demonstrations throughout the library including Tonio LeFebvre in the final stages of building a natural hide drum.

Additionally, an opening reception at 2 p.m. will celebrate the opening of the travelling exhibit: *Faces from the Land*, which documents the proud spirit and identity of American Indian powwow dancers throughout the United States and Canada. Each photograph is accompanied by personal narratives.



Artist Tonio LeFebvre.

Stop by the craft table in Youth Services between noon and 4 p.m. for a fun and educational craft activity. Movies including *Pocahontas* and *Pocahontas II* (G) will show in the InfoZone at 2 p.m.

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## Events Calendar Sept. 2010

### 1 Wednesday

- Storytellers are on vacation until Tuesday, Sept. 7.
- Wednesday night movies: *Viva Zapata!* (1952) (NR)  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 2 Thursday

- Anime Club  
Lamb 6 p.m.
- Write Stuff writers group  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
Ryals Room - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 3 Friday

### 4 Saturday

- Matinee Movie: *The Land Before Time* (G)  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 5 Sunday

- Matinee Movie: *The Land Before Time* (G)  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 6 Monday

- All libraries are closed for Labor Day.

### 7 Tuesday

- Time for Tots  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- Anime Club  
Pueblo West 4:30 p.m.
- Teen movie night: *Ferris Bueller's Day Off*  
Barkman 3 p.m.
- Teen Flick Fest  
Lamb 6 p.m.

### 8 Wednesday

- Mother Goose  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
- Bilingual Storytimes  
Barkman 10 a.m.
- Tales for Twos  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- Preschool Storytime  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- After School Book Break  
Rawlings 4 p.m.
- Wednesday night movies: *The Last Zapatistas, Forgotten Heroes* (NR)  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 9 Thursday

- Preschool Storytime  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- Anime Club  
Lamb 6 p.m.
- Mother Goose  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
- Anime Club  
Fruits Basket  
Barkman 7 p.m.

### 10 Friday

- Mother Goose  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- Tales for Twos  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.



## The American Library Association by Jon Walker

We believe in offering robust training and development opportunities for library employees. In fact, Colorado Public Library

Standards state that library-staff training and development is essential. At our library, we are fortunate to regularly meet the following state standards in staff training and development: regular assessment of training needs, and compensating library staff by allowing them to use work time to attend development activities.

As part of my own professional development, I had the good fortune to attend the American Library Association's Annual Conference. To sum up my experience, it was powerful. More than 25,000 library professionals gathered for six days of workshops, exhibits, and programs. I attended for the better part of three days. It was a busy three days! This conference is literally for the "professional librarian." Normally, I would not share much in this newsletter about this "behind-the-scenes" world of libraries, but I am making an exception now in the spirit of giving a glimpse into what librarians talk about.

Some of the highlights of the conference:

- The Online Computer Library Center presented a program on their current initiatives. This membership-based, non-profit research organization is working to develop a web-scale library-management system. This effort is mostly driven by librarians who are frustrated by pricey and lower-functioning software solutions on the market today. Could OCLC's work portend a significant development in library productivity software? Time will tell.

- I attended a program on how to measure library outcomes using tools that determine the library's impact on the community. The goal was to gather useful data and customer perspectives to improve accountability and services.

- Perhaps the least "library-geeky" presentation was the conference's opening program featuring Nobel and Pulitzer Prize-winning American author, editor, and professor, Toni Morrison. Her motivational presentation focused on how libraries changed her life. I left this presentation with

a renewed appreciation for the invaluable roles libraries play in our country.

- One of the biggest investments the library now makes is in its online subscription and reference databases. So, I spent time with vendors who help us provide these services, including presentations on how to improve eBook and eAudiobook services.

- One area where libraries have recently invested is in the use of RFID tags and equipment to track library materials. Our library contains more than 550,000 items and we check out about 1.5 million items annually. Using the best technology to efficiently organize and track these transactions is important. I met with RFID vendors and attended a program on RFID entitled "Smarter Libraries." I have a renewed belief that PCCLD should pursue RFID tagging of library materials in the not-so-distant future.

- A comprehensive genealogy workshop featured well-known genealogists Thomas Jay Kemp and Dick Eastman. They presented on how today's online and digitized resources have impacted the field.

- I also focused some attention on learning about tools to prevent DVD theft, which has occurred at the Rawlings Library. One tool from 3M will only unlock cases upon checkout, so you can't unlock the case if you do not properly check it out. Another tool was a more secure case that only employees are able to unlock that could be used on items of "high interest."

In conclusion, ongoing development is important to having a successful career in any profession. I am pleased and proud the Pueblo City-County Library District expects and supports ongoing professional development for all of our employees, and I hope the example I provided of my own recent experience helps you understand the reason we continue to encourage and support our staff to learn, train, and grow. Ultimately, better-trained library employees translate into improved services for library customers.

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

# Books & beyond @ your library:

## Voices of the Valley Chautauqua Festival



Lynne Swanson as Willa Cather.



Charles Pace as Langston Hughes.



David Skipper as L. Frank Baum.



Carol Kessler as Emily Dickinson.



Tom Napierkowski as Geoffrey Chaucer.



The first Voices of the Valley Chautauqua Festival took place at the end of July. More than 300 people of all ages turned out to learn from the performers (even during heavy rain). PCCLD thanks Colorado Humanities and CSU-Pueblo for their incredible support and assistance with this event.



Lynne Swanson as Willa Cather captivates the audience.



Voices of the Valley took place in a tent donated by CSU-Pueblo. Chautauquas have historically been held in a tent.



Tom Napierkowski as Geoffrey Chaucer.

Sept. 2010

- **Preschool Storytime**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Really Basic Computer Class**  
Rawlings 2:30 p.m.  
Training room - 3<sup>rd</sup> floor
- 11 Saturday**
  - **Genealogy Workshop**  
Rawlings 9 a.m.  
Ryals Room - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
  - **Matinee Movie: Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (G)**  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- 12 Sunday**
  - **Matinee Movie: Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory (G)**  
Rawlings 2 p.m.
- 13 Monday**
  - **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
  - **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
  - **Pueblo Storytellers**  
Rawlings 1 p.m.  
Thurston Room - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
  - **Teen movie night**  
*The Losers*  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
  - **Barkman book-discussion group**  
Any book by John McPhee  
Barkman 7 p.m.
- 14 Tuesday**
  - **Time for Tots**  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
  - **Ice Cream Social for homeschooled students and their parents**  
Pueblo West 2 p.m.  
King Room A
  - **Anime Club**  
Pueblo West 4:30 p.m.
  - **Teen Advisory Board**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
Bret Kelly Room - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
  - **Teen Scene: Duct, Duct...Tape?**  
Lamb 7 p.m.
- 15 Wednesday**
  - **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
  - **Bilingual Storytimes**  
Barkman 10 a.m.
  - **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 5:30 a.m.
  - **Preschool Storytime**  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
  - **After School Book Break**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.
  - **Read OUT LOUD informational meeting**  
Rawlings 5:30 p.m.  
Thurston Room - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
  - **Wednesday night movies: Like Water for Chocolate (R)**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- 16 Thursday**
  - **Preschool Storytime**  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.

## Sept. 2010

- **Tell me a Cuento**  
**Cuéntame Un Story**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.  
Youth Services - 1<sup>st</sup> fl.
- **Anime Club**  
Lamb 6 p.m.
- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
- **Teen Scene: Ice Cream & test scores**  
Pueblo West 7 p.m.

### 17 Friday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Storytime**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Beginning Internet**  
Rawlings 2:30 p.m.  
Training room - 3<sup>rd</sup> fl.

### 18 Saturday

- **Prepare your garden for Fall**  
Lamb 10 a.m.
- **Matinee Movie: *Minor Details* (PG)**  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- **Independent Film *Welcome* (NR)**  
Rawlings 7 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 19 Sunday

- **Matinee Movie: *Minor Details* (PG)**  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 20 Monday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Pueblo Storytellers**  
Rawlings 1 p.m.  
Thurston Room - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- **Memory Loss or Dementia/Alzheimers**  
Lamb 6:30 p.m.

### 21 Tuesday

- **Time for Tots**  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Anime Club**  
Pueblo West 4:30 p.m.
- **Book to a Movie *Snow Angels* (R)**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- **Teen Scene: Get your giant game on!**  
Rawlings 7 p.m.  
Bret Kelly Room - 1<sup>st</sup> fl.

### 22 Wednesday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
- **Bilingual Storytimes**  
Barkman 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Storytime**  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **After School Book Break**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.

## Barkman book-discussion group

Any book by John McPhee  
Monday, Sept. 13 at 7 p.m.  
Barkman Library

Come and discuss any book you have read by John McPhee. John McPhee was born in Princeton, N.J. and educated at Princeton and Cambridge universities. His writing career began at *Time* magazine and led to his long association with the *New Yorker*, where he has been a staff writer since 1965. His books *Encounters with the Archdruid* and *The Curve of Binding Energy* were nominated for National Book Awards. This event is free and open to the public. For more information, call 562-5680.

Next Discussion & author visit:

*The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-Time Indian* by Sherman Alexie

Monday, Oct. 4 at 7 p.m.

## Book signing & author talk



*Spirit Movers: Attributes for Transforming Leadership* by Dr. Cile Chavez  
Tuesday, Sept. 28 at 6 p.m.  
Rawlings Library ~ Ryals Room, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

What fuels the spirit of an effective leader? How does one sustain commitment, energy, vision and passion during challenging times? Cile Chavez believes the answers can be found in the way leaders frame their realities, how they seek the higher ground in their feelings, thoughts and actions, and holding steadfast to their visions of greatness in leadership. Join PCCLD and the Women's Foundation of Colorado: Pueblo Steering Committee for this talk about leadership and human development. Free and open to the public, please RSVP to Maria at 553-0205.



## Wednesday night movies

100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Mexican Revolution of 1910

Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ InfoZone Theatre, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

Visit the InfoZone on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor of the Rawlings Library to watch these films. For more information, please call 562-5604.

*Viva Zapata!* (1952) (NR)- Sept. 1

*The Last Zapatistas, Forgotten Heroes* (NR) (*Los Ultimos zapatistas, héroes olvidados*) - Sept. 8

*Like Water for Chocolate* (R) - Sept. 15

*Mexico: The Frozen Revolution* (PG-13) (*México la revolución congelada*) - Sept. 22

*And Starring Pancho Villa as Himself* (NR) - Sept. 29

## Book to a Movie

*Snow Angels* (R) based on the book by Stewart O'Nan

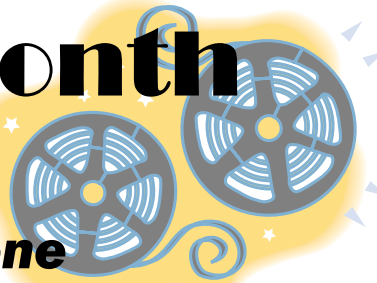
Tuesday, Sept. 21 at 6:30 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ InfoZone Theatre, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

Arthur Parkinson is fourteen during the dreary winter of 1974. Enduring the pain of his parents' divorce, his world is shattered when his beloved former babysitter, Annie, falls victim to a tragic series of events. The interlinking stories of Arthur's unraveling family, and of Annie's fate, form the backdrop of this intimate tale about the price of love and belonging, told in a spare, translucent, and unexpectedly tender voice. This event is free and open to the public. Covered drinks are allowed, but food is not. For more information, call 553-0205.



# Playing this month @ your library



Sept. 2010

## Matinee movies @ the InfoZone

September is a perfect month to come and watch a movie in the state-of-the-art InfoZone Movie Theatre. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. Snacks are not allowed in the theatre, but covered drinks are. The InfoZone Theatre is located on the 4<sup>th</sup> floor of the Rawlings Public Library, 100 E. Abriendo Ave. All movies shown are free!

### *The Land Before Time* (G)

Saturday, Sept. 4 &  
Sunday, Sept. 5 at 2 p.m.

### *Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory* (G)

Saturday, Sept. 11 &  
Sunday, Sept. 12 at 2 p.m.

### *Minor Details* (PG)

Saturday, Sept. 18 &  
Sunday, Sept. 19 at 2 p.m.

### *The Missing Lynx* (PG)

Saturday, Sept. 25 &  
Sunday, Sept. 26 at 2 p.m.

## Independent film series

### *Welcome* (NR)

Drama - French, English and Kurdish  
with English subtitles

Saturday, Sept. 18 at 7 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ InfoZone Theatre, 4<sup>th</sup> floor



Bilal, a 17-year-old Kurdish refugee, has worked his way through Europe for the last three months, trying to reunite with his girlfriend, who recently emigrated to England. But his journey comes to an abrupt halt when he's stopped by French authorities in Calais. Left with no alternatives, he decides to swim across the Channel to England. Bilal goes to the local pool to train, where he meets Simon, a middle-aged swimming instructor in turmoil over his imminent divorce. Simon agrees to help Bilal, hoping to win back the affection of his wife, who volunteers by helping immigrants. But what begins as a relationship based on self interest, develops into something much bigger, resulting in Simon risking everything to reach happiness. The film is free, and public seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, call 562-5604.

## Latino-author event

### *Sweet Nata* by Gloria Zamora

Wednesday, Sept. 29 at 6 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ Ryals Room, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

Grandparents are our teachers, our allies and great sources of love. They supply endless stories connecting us to a past way of life and to people long gone--people who led ordinary lives, but were full of extraordinary teachings. This is the subject of *Sweet Nata*, a memoir about familial traditions. Set during the '50s and '60s in New Mexico, Zamora reveals her interaction with family members who had the greatest influence on her life.

Author Gloria Zamora will be here for this event. So don't miss your chance to meet her! This book won the 2010 Premio Aztlan award, created by author Rudolfo Anaya and his wife, Patricia, in 1993. Anaya has also donated 10 copies of the book to PCCLD-- so come in and check one out! Contact Charlene at 553-0234 for more information.



- **Paper Making**  
Pueblo West 4 p.m.  
King Room A
- **Wednesday night movies: Mexico: The Frozen Revolution**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 23 Thursday

- **Preschool Storytime**  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Anime Club**  
Lamb 6 p.m.
- **Tell me a Cuento Cuéntame Un Story**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.  
Youth Services - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.
- **Family Story Time Amazing Autumn!**  
Pueblo West 7 p.m.  
Storytime Room
- **Anime Club Fruits Basket**  
Barkman 7 p.m.

### 24 Friday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Storytime**  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Intro to Word 2007**  
Rawlings 2:30 p.m.  
Training room - 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

### 25 Saturday

- **Fall into Storytime**  
Lamb 11 a.m.
- **Matinee Movie: The Missing Lynx** (PG)  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 26 Sunday

- **Matinee Movie: The Missing Lynx** (PG)  
Rawlings 2 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 27 Monday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Pueblo Storytellers**  
Rawlings 1 p.m.  
Thurston Room - 1<sup>st</sup> floor

### 28 Tuesday

- **Anime Club**  
Pueblo West 4:30 p.m.
- **Book signing and author talk - Spirit Movers: Attributes for Transforming Leadership** by Dr. Cile Chavez  
Rawlings 6 p.m.  
Ryals Room - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

### 29 Wednesday

- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 9:30 & 10 a.m.  
Lamb 10:30 a.m.
- **Bilingual Storytimes**  
Barkman 10 a.m.
- **Tales for Twos**  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.
- **Preschool Storytime**  
Barkman 10:30 a.m.  
Rawlings 10:30 a.m.

## Sept. 2010

- **After School Book Break**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.
- **Latino author event**  
*Sweet Nata* by Gloria Zamora  
Rawlings 6 p.m.  
Ryals Room - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- **Wednesday night movies: *And Starring Pancho Villa as Himself* (NR)**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor

## 30 Thursday

- **Preschool Storytime**  
Pueblo West 10 & 10:30 a.m.
- **Budgeting Basics for Grant Proposal Workshop**  
Rawlings 11:30 a.m.  
InfoZone - 4<sup>th</sup> floor
- **Anime Club**  
Lamb 6 p.m.
- **Tell me a Cuento**  
**Cuéntame Un Story**  
Rawlings 4 p.m.  
Youth Services - 1<sup>st</sup> floor
- **Mother Goose**  
Rawlings 6:30 p.m.

# Nuestra Biblioteca 4th Anniversary Celebration & Sweet Dreams Car Show



The annual Nuestra Biblioteca and Sweet Dreams Car Show is a family affair.



First place in the '70s car category.



The interior of a car at the Nuestra Biblioteca car show.



Hundreds gather for the awards ceremony inside the Rawlings Library.



Cars line the Rawlings Library parking lot.



Just one of many entries at the 2010 Nuestra Biblioteca Sweet Dreams Car Show.



A family poses with their bicycle at the car show.

# Budgeting Basics for Grant Proposals Workshop

Thursday, Sept. 30 at 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ InfoZone Theatre, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

11:30 a.m. - Registration, Check-in, Networking and Light Refreshments

Noon - Live Foundation Center Webinar on Proposal Budgeting Basics

This free live webinar session by the Foundation Center staff is geared to the novice grantseeker and will answer budgeting questions such as:

- What kinds of expenses are covered under “personnel”?
- What level of detail do you need to include for non-personnel expenses?
- What types of expenses can be included in the “overhead” category?
- What is the relationship between the budget for your project and the overall budget for your nonprofit organization?

The library’s third floor training computer lab will also be available in the afternoon until 4 p.m. This optional lab time can be used by grant proposal writers to view additional Foundation Center archived webinars such as Proposal Writing Basics and/or Grantseeking Basics. To Register: Please RSVP at 562-5626 or email Richard.Tucey@pueblolibrary.org.



## Free computer classes @ your library

Really Basic Computer Class, no experience needed  
Friday, Sept. 10 at 2:30 p.m.

Rawlings Public Library ~ Training Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

Want to learn how to use a computer? This class is for you! No experience necessary.

Beginning Internet  
Friday, Sept. 17 at 2:30 p.m.

Rawlings Public Library ~ Training Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

Learn to cruise the World Wide Web. Basic keyboard and mouse skills required.

Intro to Word 2007  
Friday, Sept. 24 at 2:30 p.m.

Rawlings Public Library ~ Training Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

This class introduces the new ribbon-based Word 2007 program.

**Computer Tutor:** A computer tutor is available at Rawlings Library. Schedule a free help-session with Mike at the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor service desk Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Pueblo West Library now offers computer assistance:** A computer tutor will be available on Thursday mornings from 10 a.m. until noon.

## Write Stuff writers group

Thursday, Sept. 2 at 6:30 p.m.

Rawlings Library ~ Ryals Room, 4<sup>th</sup> floor

The Write Stuff Writer’s Group is accepting new members. If you are a writer, beginning or experienced, working towards getting published this is for you.

## Do you have a tale to tell? Join Pueblo Storytellers

Mondays, Sept. 13, 20, & 27 at 1 p.m.  
Rawlings Library ~ Thurston Room

It’s not too late to join our Storytellers group. Perfect your storytelling skills or just come to listen. Everyone is welcome at the free, public event.



Smokey Bear hugs one of his many fans at the Rawlings Library.

# Kids' Page

## Fall into Storytime

Saturday, Sept. 25 at 11 a.m.  
Lamb Library

Join us at Lamb for a fun filled time full of stories, games, songs, and crafts. The whole family is invited to attend this story time. For more information, please call 562-5670.



## After School Book Break

Wednesdays, Sept. 8, 15, 22, & 29 at 4 p.m.  
Rawlings Library

Join us for a fun filled read aloud story time and activity recommended for grades K-2. For more information, please call 562-5603.

## Family Story Time

Amazing Autumn!  
Thursday, Sept. 23 at 7 p.m.  
Pueblo West Library ~ Storytime Room

We'll be reading great stories and learning why we have different seasons with fun activities. For more information, please call 562-5660.

## 2010 Scary Story Contest

Writers from 2<sup>nd</sup> grade to adult are invited to enter the Scary Story Contest. You can write a mystery, a suspenseful thriller, or a humorous scary tale of a non-violent nature. Winners will be chosen from various age groups. This writing contest is part of All Pueblo Reads 2010: *The Absolutely True Diary of a Part-time Indian* by Sherman Alexie.

### Contest Rules

1. Stories should be less than 1,000 words.
2. One entry per person.
3. Entries will not be returned. Please be sure to make a copy for yourself.
4. Participants must be residents of Pueblo County.

The deadline is Friday, Oct. 8, 2010. Entry forms are available at all locations. Prizes courtesy of the Friends of the Library. Please call 562-5606 with any questions.



## Tell me a Cuento Cuéntame Un Story

Thursdays, Sept. 16, 23, 30 & Oct. 7 & 14 at 4 p.m.  
Rawlings Library

Join us for a bilingual storytime, conducted mostly in English while learning Spanish words and phrases through story and song. Recommended for youth grades K-5. For more information, please call 562-5603.

## Read OUT LOUD informational meeting

Wednesday Sept. 15 at 5:30 p.m.  
Rawlings Library ~ Thurston Room ~ 1<sup>st</sup> floor

Teachers of students grades 4-5, attend this brief informational meeting to learn how your classes may become involved in an upcoming author visit for kids. At the meeting, pick up your free classroom copy of *Faith and the Electric Dogs* by Patrick Jennings and lesson plans.

For more information, please call Youth Services supervisor, Michael Cox at 562-5618.

## Ice Cream Social

for homeschooled students and their parents  
Tuesday Sept. 14 at 2 p.m.  
Pueblo West Library ~ King Room A

Start off the new school year by meeting other homeschoolers at a fun ice cream social. Create yummy ice cream sundaes, play games, and discover how the library can help you learn and socialize with others. Help the library create a monthly program that is just for you! For more information, contact Elizabeth at 562-5660.

## Paper Making

Wednesday, Sept. 22 at 4 p.m.  
Pueblo West Library ~ King Room A

Learn how to make your own paper and get project ideas for using hand-made paper. Bring flower cuttings or other small objects to personalize your paper. Open to kids of all ages. Call 562-5660 for more information.



# Teen Scene

## Duct, Duct....Tape?

**Tuesday, Sept. 14 at 7 p.m.**  
**Lamb Library**

Back by popular demand! Come and join us at the Lamb Library for a sticky fun time! Duct tape in various colors and projects galore will be provided. All are welcome to attend. Call 562-5670 for more information.



## Teen movie nights

**Teen Flick Fest**  
**Tuesday, Sept. 7 at 6 p.m.**  
**Lamb Library**

Round up your friends for a free movie, popcorn, soda and fun! Call 562-5670 for more information. All movies rated PG-13 or below.



**Ferris Beuller's Day Off**  
**Tuesday, Sept. 7 at 3 p.m.**  
**Barkman Library**

Round up your friends for a free movie, popcorn, soda and fun! Call 562-5680 for more information. All movies rated PG-13 or below.

**The Losers (PG-13)**  
**Monday, Sept. 13 at 6:30 p.m.**  
**Rawlings Library ~ InfoZone Theatre**

The team find themselves the target of a lethal betrayal instigated from inside by a powerful enemy known only as Max. Presumed dead, the group makes plans to even the score when they're joined by the mysterious Aisha.

## Teen Advisory Board

**Tuesday, Sept. 14 at 6:30 p.m.**  
**Rawlings Library ~ Bret Kelly Room**

All teens are invited to help the library plan future events including a possible large anime event. A demonstration of the giant game event will be held in the lobby of the library. Come join in the fun!

Interested teens can pick up an application at any library location, attend the September meeting or call 553-0207 for more information.

## Get your giant game on!

**Tuesday, Sept. 21 at 7 p.m.**  
**Rawlings Library ~ Bret Kelly Room ~ 1st floor**

Think you've got Jenga beat? Are you a pro at poker? It's time to take your game skills to a whole other level with giant Jenga, giant poker, and giant Monopoly. come prepared to play on a life-size scale! For more information, please call 562-5603.



## Ice cream & test scores

**Thursday, Sept. 16 at 7 p.m.**  
**Pueblo West Library**

Do you like ice cream? Are you in high school? It's time to start thinking about the tests you will need to get where you want to go. Whether you want to go to college, get into the Armed Forces, or become a policewoman, fireman, nurse or doctor, or even a teacher, you will need to take a standardized test for that! Come find out what you need to know about all these crazy tests. Will you need to take a test? Which one? When will you have to take it and where? Call 562-5660 for more information. Have no fear, ice cream makes everything better.

## Anime Clubs

**Tuesdays, Sept. 7, 14, 21 & 28 at 4:30 p.m.**  
**Pueblo West Library**

For Anime fans, 6<sup>th</sup> grade and up. Come hang out and enjoy some of the best Japanese cartoons on the big screen! Call 562-5660 to find out more.



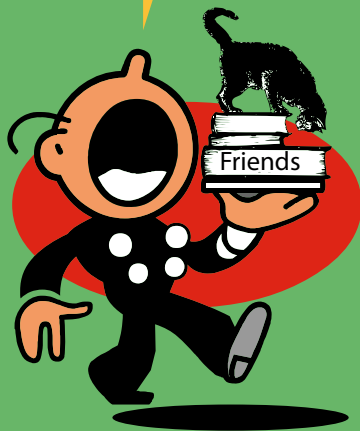
**Fruits Basket**  
**Thursdays, Sept. 9 & 23 at 7 p.m.**  
**Barkman Library**

We have film, fun, & refreshments. Come and join us for an hour of great anime. For more information, please call 562-5680. Material is rated for teens.

**Thursdays, Sept. 2, 9, 16, & 30 at 6 p.m.**  
**Lamb Library**

We have fun, friends, and popcorn! For more information, please call 562-5670.

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## Genealogy Workshop

Saturday, Sept. 11 at 9 a.m.

Rawlings Library ~ Ryals Room - 4<sup>th</sup> floor



Irene Blea

The Genealogy and Western Research Department will host a workshop in the Ryals Room. It is free and open to the public.

The first part of this workshop is devoted to a paper written by Dr. David Sandoval titled, *Spanish/Mexican Legacy of Hispanics in Pueblo County*. The writing of this paper was made possible through a Colorado Humanities grant. Eileen Bankson was the curator of the Francisco Museum in La Veta, Colo. She has done extensive research work on the Jaramillo sisters of New Mexico. Josefa Jaramillo was the wife of Kit Carson. Ignacia Jaramillo was the common law wife of Governor Charles Bent. Bankson will tell the story of how the shawl that Governor Bent gave to Ignacia came into her hands and is now at the Francisco Museum. The last part of the workshop will be a living history presentation by Dr. Irene Blea on Maria Gertrudis (Tules) Bartelo, the richest woman in New Mexico in 1847. She was so rich, she lent \$1,000 to the U. S. Army of the West to pay the soldiers.

### Schedule

9 – 9:15 a.m.

Registration

9:15 – 10:15 a.m.

Presentation by Dr. David Sandoval

*Spanish/Mexican Legacy of Hispanics in Pueblo County.*

10:15 – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 – 11 a.m.

Presentation by Eileen Bankson, Migration of the Shawl of Ignacia Jaramillo, wife of Governor Charles Bent

11:15 a.m.–12:15 p.m.

Living History Presentation by Irene Blea on Maria Gertrudis “Tules” Bartelo.

Members from the local Hispanic Genealogy group will be on hand with materials and information on furthering your genealogy if you have a New Mexico connection. For more information, please call Charlene at 553-0234.

## Memory Loss or Dementia/Alzheimers

Monday, Sept. 20 at 6:30 p.m.

Lamb Library

Linda Bloom, Regional Director of the Alzheimer’s Association will again address these topics as well as your questions and concerns. Please call 562-5670 by Saturday, Sept. 18 to reserve a space or for more information. Refreshments will be provided. This event is free and open to the public.



## Prepare your garden for fall

Saturday, Sept. 18 at 10 a.m.

Lamb Library

Linda McMulkin, horticulture coordinator from the CSU Extension office will give a presentation on how to prepare our flower beds (including roses) and yards for fall and winter. Please call 562-5670 by Thursday, Sept. 16 to reserve a space or for more information. Door prizes and refreshments will be provided.

## **Friends of the Library president's corner** **by Annette Warfield**



**B**ack-to-School time is upon us. This is always a great time to remind our young people what a magnificent place our library is. Library services and reference opportunities abound to help students do their very best in school. The staff at the library is knowledgeable and eager to be of assistance. Also, you can see from the newsletter, weekend activities are always plentiful. We are so lucky to have PCCLD in our community. Don't forget Books Again is also a great place to find children and young adult educational and recreational materials.

During early August, I received a call from a cousin who lives in Colorado Springs. He was coming to Pueblo with his 13-year-old son to go swimming. He called to invite me to join them. I said I would love to, but why Pueblo? He responded, "All the public pools in Colorado Springs are closed." This just further reinforced my belief of how lucky we are to live in Pueblo where we have community support for our many public entities including PCCLD with its many branches and satellites.

Last month I sent all FOL members a letter explaining the negative effects of Amendments 60 and 61, and Proposition 101. I hope you have carefully read the enclosure included with the letter. Although they would reduce property taxes and specific ownership taxes if passed, these referenda will greatly reduce the services PCCLD is able to provide to the community. Thanks to those who have responded to our letter.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the Books Again semiannual sale. The great bargain of \$7 per bag of books will be back. The sale commences Sept. 30 and concludes Oct. 2. FOL members have the privilege of beginning their shopping on Sept. 30. On Oct. 1 and 2, the sale opens to all other eager shoppers. Remember Books Again hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. It's time to pick up a new "read." Encourage all your friends, neighbors and relatives to shop Books Again during these great bargain days.

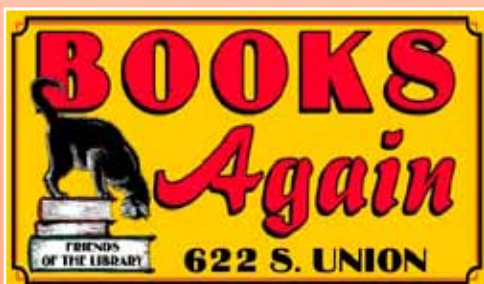
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### **Oct. 1 & 2**

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## Art Show

**Artist and photographer Valerie Cody  
September, Pueblo West Library Art Gallery**

Valerie Cody is back in September with a whole new set of paintings. Come to the Pueblo West Art Gallery for a different look at this wonderful local artist.

Cody merges colors that portray creation, preservation and destruction, concurrently. Her works of art invite viewers to experience this process by meditating on the colors and forms, and exploring the qualities of each.



*Moonstruck by Valerie Cody*

### Friends of the Library Membership Form

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