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The Monthly Program Guide for the  
Pueblo City-County Library District



# Come together to discover Summer Reading

Long, hot summer days can be fun but for school-age kids those long summer days can lead to the summer slide. Kids' reading skills can fall behind by one to three months and it's not easy to catch up. Programs like Summer Reading can help children retain and even grow their reading skills by encouraging them to read. Reading books during the summer can kick-start learning, boost test scores, build motivation and confidence while encouraging the joy of reading.

Kids who have access to a library of books can find the books they want to read. The more books they want to read, the less they slide. PCCLD libraries are home to wild, wonderful worlds that kids of all ages can discover. When motivated to read according to their interests, they can grow their vocabulary skills. Through programs like Summer Reading, they may also develop their fluency and comprehension, allowing them to better understand and recall what they've read.

Summer Reading is for babies and toddlers too! Parents are encouraged to begin literacy education early in their child's life, and PCCLD can help. Age-specific storytimes are a great way to prepare babies and



## Summer Reading How-to

- Summer Reading starts June 2.
- Pick up gameboards from the library.
- Discover five books, choose to do at least one of the listed activities.
- Turn it in at any library location to get a prize and be entered into the weekly grand prize drawing!

toddlers to reading on their own through talking, reading, writing, singing and playing. Storytimes are free and available at nearly all library locations.

## Kickoff Events

**Friday, June 2, all day at Greenhorn Valley Library**  
Enjoy food, fun, and lots of activities to celebrate the start of Summer Reading!

**Friday, June 2, 4-7 p.m. at Rawlings Library**  
Kickoff Summer Reading with us! Enjoy a bounce house, food trucks, crafts and activities.

**Saturday, June 3, 10 a.m.-noon at Pueblo West Library**  
Animal ambassadors will be at the Pueblo West Library on Saturday, June 3, at 10 a.m. You can see a snake, a raptor, a salamander, a tarantula and a rabbit starting at 10 a.m. Also enjoy snow cones, face painting, balloon animals and crafts! Early Literacy Kit2Go will also be available, while supplies last.

Events are free and open to the public.

## Make something great in the Makerspace

The Makerspace Lab is now open and ready to help you get more creative. Stop by, have a look around or use the open hours to create your next masterpiece. Art supplies are available for public use.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fridays; and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays.

## Computer literacy at Rawlings Library

Free, beginner computer classes are now available every Wednesday, 12:30-2:30 p.m.. Each class focuses on a different topic. Learn computer basics - from the components of a computer, to creating files. Registration is required.

One-on-one tech help is now available by appointment at Rawlings Library Call Thad at (719) 562-5695.

## Spring clean with Books Again

Books Again used book store accepts more than just books, other donated items include:

- Pueblo Lore - Pueblo Historical Newsletters
- Maps
- Print marketing. We just received vintage Colorado State Fair Advertising
- Yearbooks - From local schools - elementary through college
- High school advertisements from Pueblo
- Historical documents and books - these items are donated to appropriate agencies

## Book ends

This just in! A set of Zane Grey small hardback novels, for only \$3 each.

Put a little love in your life! Boxes of romance novels are \$1 until May 1.

All proceeds benefit the Pueblo City-County Library District. Call (719) 553-0340 for more information.



Friends Members Sale  
**MAY 4**  
Public Sale  
**MAY 5 & 6**

HOURS  
**10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**  
MONDAY-SATURDAY



Book donations are NOT accepted May 4, 5 & 6.  
Additional parking is available in the PCCLD parking lot.

All proceeds benefit the Pueblo City-County Library District.  
Call (719) 553-0340 for more information.

## Also happening this month

May is Mental Health Awareness Month, a national movement to raise awareness about mental health. It's also Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month

To celebrate these two distinct causes during May, PCCLD offers an array of events and programs, recommended reading and digital resources

#MentalHealthAwareness

#AAPIHeritageMonth

that are available to anyone with a valid library card.

To find a program, look for that hashtag #MentalHealthAwareness and #AAPIHeritageMonth.



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The Rawlings Library officially reopened on March 22 after 18 months of renovations. To mark the occasion, the week-long Rediscover the Rawlings Library took place March 20-24.

## Discover YOUR LIBRARY

The monthly program guide for the Pueblo City-County Library District

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

## Let's connect!



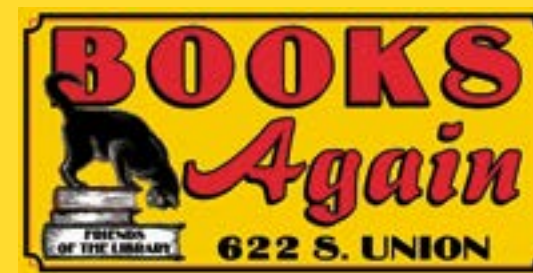
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## Don't have a library card?

Sign up today at

<https://catalog.pueblolibrary.org/MyAccount/SelfReg>



USED BOOKSTORE  
622 S. Union Ave.

Located behind Rawlings Library.  
Entrance is located off Church Street.

Become a Friend of the Library! Visit:  
[booksagain-pueblo.com](http://booksagain-pueblo.com)

(719) 553-0340 [booksagain-pueblo.com](http://booksagain-pueblo.com) @BooksAgainPueblo



Authors whose last name begins with these letters are on sale for \$2  
Hardback fiction books only

Monday-Saturday  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.





# Barkman Branch Library

Programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** @ barkmanlibrary YOUTUBE **YT:** Barkman YouTube

## TUESDAYS

### Toddler Storytime

10:30 a.m.  
Ages 15 months to 3 years

### Taiji Pueblo (Tai Chi Chuan)

3-5 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Class for novice students.

## THURSDAYS

### Crafty Needles Social

1-3 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older

### Taiji Pueblo (Tai Chi Chuan)

3:30-5 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Class for intermediate students.

## FRIDAYS

### Food and Fun

1 p.m.  
Ages 17 and younger. Activity and craft program, and lunch. Program participation required to receive lunch.

## MONDAY, MAY 1

### Free Comic Book Day

All day  
Ages 17 and younger. Pick up a free comic book (parents, please look at these before giving to your child), and a Kit2Go. While supplies last!

## FRIDAY, MAY 5

### Teen Lock In - Snacks and Slime Edition

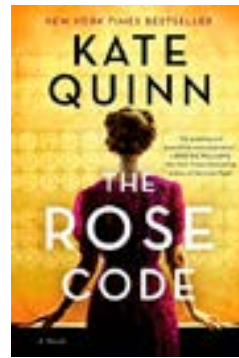
6-8 p.m.  
**Signed permission slips required**  
Ages 8 to 17. Make slime and enjoy snacks, along with board and video games.



## SATURDAY, MAY 13

### Barkman Weekend Family Movie

4-6 p.m.  
Family. This month's movie is *Turning Red* (PG).



## MONDAY, MAY 15

### Barkman Book Club

*The Rose Code*  
5 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. This month's book is *The Rose Code* by Kate Quinn. Light refreshments provided.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

### Barkman Paint-Along Hangout

*Imagine, Paint, Create!*  
3-5 p.m.  
Family. Join Marcus for an painting with acrylics. Materials are provided. Class will also stream on the Barkman Library Facebook and YouTube pages.

Barkman Library  
1300 Jerry Murphy Rd.  
Monday – Thursday | 9 a.m.-9 p.m.  
Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

**MONDAY, MAY 29**  
**All Locations Closed**  
All library locations are closed for Memorial Day



## WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

### Nintendo Switch

All day  
Family. Enjoy playing Nintendo Switch.

### Barkman Board Games

All day  
Family. Enjoy playing classic board games.

### Barkman Trivia

All day  
Family. Try your hand at some fun trivia quizzes and win a prize.



# Giodone Branch Library

Programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** giodone branch-pueblo library YOUTUBE **YT:** Giodone YouTube

## MONDAYS

### Preschool Storytime

11 a.m.  
Family

## WEDNESDAYS

### Tai Chi Easy Class

10:30 a.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Low impact mindful movement class.

### Intermediate English Class

*Clase de Inglés - Nivel Intermedio*

1-3 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older.

## THURSDAYS

### Tween/Teen Hangouts

4-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 8 to 17  
May 4: R2D2 Pencil Holder  
May 11: Spring Cleaning- Soap Making!

## FRIDAYS

### Crochet Club

4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Join your neighbors for tea, conversation and crochet.

## MONDAY, MAY 1

### Free Comic Book Day

All day  
Ages 17 and younger. Pick up a free comic book (parents, please look at these before giving to your child), and a Kit2Go. While supplies last!

## Star Wars:

### Screen Printing & Movie Viewing

4-7 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 9 and older. Get ready for May the 4th. Bring a shirt, bring a snack, and bring the force. You will have a choice of blue or red ink for the screen printing.

### Star Wars Episode IV Trivia Night

4 p.m.  
All ages. Along with making shirts, we will have a Star Wars centered on the original *Star Wars Episode IV: A New Hope*. There will be Star Wars-theme prizes.



## TUESDAY, MAY 2

### Giodone Book Club

5 p.m.  
**No**  
Adult. This month's book is *The Darkness Knows* by Arnaldur Indridason.

## Mental Health Awareness

## MONDAY, MAY 15

### Coffee & Craft: Bones Carrot Cake Coffee

10 a.m.  
Ages 13 and older. Drop in for a cup of pour-over coffee and make an affirmation bracelet. While supplies last. **#MentalHealthAwareness**

## SATURDAY, MAY 20

### Self Care Saturday

3 p.m.  
**Registration Required**  
Ages 13 and older. Take a little time out for self-care for month. We will create several self care items during this program. **#MentalHealthAwareness**



## FRIDAY, MAY 19

### READ Dog

Noon  
Juvenile. Practice your reading skills by reading to our volunteer Read Dogs.

## FRIDAY, MAY 5

### First Friday Art Exploration

1 p.m.  
All ages. This month we will be inspired by the art of Marc Chagall. While supplies last.

## SATURDAY, MAY 6

### Cinco de Mayo Celebration:

### Lotería & Crafts

3-4:30 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
All ages. Try your luck at Lotería and make a personalized Talavera tile to celebrate Cinco de Mayo.

## THURSDAY, MAY 25

### Celebrate World Tarot Day: Session 1

4-7 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Learn, craft, and create your own tarot deck.  
Session 1: Major Arcana  
Session 2: Minor Arcana. The second session is on June 22, 3-6 p.m. at the Lamb branch.

## MONDAY, MAY 29

### All Locations Closed

All library locations are closed for Memorial Day.



### Giodone Library

24655 U.S. Hwy 50 E.  
Monday – Thursday | 10 a.m.-7 p.m.  
Friday and Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

## Digital Resources



### Books

Cloud Library  
Freeding  
Overdrive: Use the Libby app  
Project Gutenberg  
Gale Virtual Reference Library



### Audiobooks

Cloud Library  
Hoopla  
Overdrive: Use the Libby app

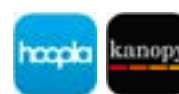


**Magazines**  
Cloud Library



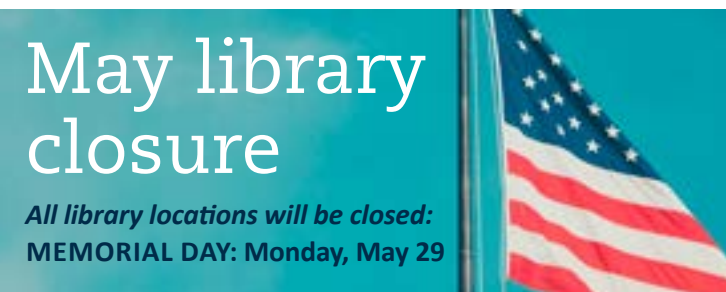
### Music

Freegal  
Hoopla  
Stream music from PCCLD music databases:  
<https://search.alexanderstreet.com/music-performing-arts>



### Movies

Hoopla  
Kanopy



# May library closure

All library locations will be closed:  
**MEMORIAL DAY: Monday, May 29**



# Greenhorn Valley Branch Library

Programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** Greenhorn Valley Branch - Pueblo Libraries YOUTUBE **YT:** Greenhorn YouTube

**MAY 1-31**

## Tiny Art Show!

All day  
All ages. Pick up supplies to make your own masterpiece on a tiny canvas. When completed, return it to the library. Artwork will be displayed during June.  
**#SummerReading**

**MAY 1-31**

## Scavenger Hunt

All day  
Ages 17 and younger. Monthly, scavenger hunt. Find all the pictures, win a prize.

**MONDAYS**

## Happy Hookers

5-7 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older  
Fabric arts group meeting.

**TUESDAYS**

## Storytime

11 a.m.  
Family

**WEDNESDAYS**

## Yoga

6 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Join Ashley for a 60 minute flow. Class starts on time, kindly arrive early.

**THURSDAYS**

## Yoga

6 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. 60 minute flow. Class starts on time, kindly arrive early.

**FRIDAYS**

## Video Games

All day  
**Registration required**  
Ages 9 to 18. Play Nintendo Switch or Oculus VR for a 30 minute session. Oculus users must be age 10 or older.

## Family Friday!

1-3 p.m.  
Family. Afternoon craft and activities for families. Supplies provided, while they last.

**SATURDAYS**

## Yoga

9 a.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. 60 minute flow. Class starts on time, arrive early.

**SATURDAY, MAY 6**

## Sip N' Stroke

With Randy Ford  
6-8 p.m.  
**Registration required.**  
**Cost is \$25, covers materials**  
Adult. Join Randy Ford for a guided painting class.

## Mental Health Awareness

**SATURDAY, MAY 20**

## Grumpy Buttons

3-6 p.m.  
Ages 13 and older. Have fun by making buttons with snarky sayings. All supplies provided.  
**#MentalHealthAwareness**



**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

## Greenhorn Valley Book Club

1-3 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older.

**MONDAY, MAY 29**

## All Locations Closed

All library locations are closed for Memorial Day

**FRIDAY, MAY 19**

## Murder Mystery

6-8 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Join Ashley for an evening filled with a murder mystery where guests will be given the roll of a character to play as the mystery unfolds. There will also be a board game, Hunt a Killer.



Greenhorn Valley Library  
4801 Cibola Drive, Colorado City  
Monday – Thursday | 10 a.m.-7 p.m.  
Friday and Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.



## Local Author Meet & Greet

**Charissa Fryberger author of: A Breath of Fresh God**

**Saturday, May 20, 1 p.m. Author Talk, 2 p.m. Book Signing**  
at Books Again used bookstore



# Lamb Branch Library

Lamb Library's programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** Lamb Branch - Pueblo Library YOUTUBE **YT:** Lamb YouTube

**TUESDAYS**

## Teen/Tween Hangout

3:45-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 8 to 17

**WEDNESDAYS**

## Toddler Storytime

10:30 a.m.  
Juvenile

**FRIDAYS**

## Family Storytime

10:30 a.m.  
Juvenile

## Fun Friday

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Family. Kids activities include games, STEM, arts and crafts, Legos and more.

**MONDAY, MAY 1**

## Free Comic Book Day

All day  
Ages 17 and younger. Pick up a free comic book (parents, please look at these before giving to your child), and a Kit2Go. While supplies last!

**MONDAY, APRIL 3**

## Silver Tea Time

3 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
**For assistance registering, call (719) 562-5600**  
Ages 50 and older. Learn about the Meals on Wheels program from Cynthia.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 3**

## Tai Chi for Seniors

6 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Tai Chi is practiced for its health benefits in such areas as balance, bone mineral density, pain management, cognitive function, sleep disorders, and stress reduction.

**FRIDAY, MAY 5**

## Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

3:30-5 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. A FREE legal clinic for parties who have no attorney.

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**

## Fun With Fiber

6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Join us for an evening exploring the fiber arts. Open to all experience levels and fiber disciplines.

**FRIDAY, MAY 12**

## Basic Budget Planning

4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Learn tips to create a budget. Bring estimates of your monthly income and expenses.



**SATURDAY, MAY 13**

## Family Matinee!

3-5 p.m.  
Family. Join us at Lamb for a family-friendly movie and popcorn! All ages welcome!  
**#AAPIHeritageMonth**



## Mental Health Awareness

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**

## Lamb Adult Craft: Jewelry Making

2-3:30 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Create a Mother's Day Necklace.  
**#MentalHealthAwareness**

**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

## Lamb Adult Craft: Freestyle Painting

2-3:30 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older. Paint away stress and anxiety.  
**#MentalHealthAwareness**

**MONDAY, MAY 15**

## Silver Tea Time

3 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
**For assistance registering, call (719) 562-5600**  
Ages 50 and older. Matter of Balance Master trainer Gabriella discusses the program designed to reduce the fear of falling and increase activity levels among older adults.

## Tai Chi for Seniors

6 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older.

**THURSDAY, MAY 18**

## Lovely's Digital Book Club presents:

*Convenience Store Woman* by Sayaka Murata  
4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. An ironic, sharp-eyed look at contemporary work culture, the pressures to conform, as well as a charming and completely fresh portrait of an unforgettable heroine. Streams on the Lamb Library Facebook and YouTube pages.

**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

## Money 101

11 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Learn how to grow and protect your money for college funding, retirement planning, or simply wealth accumulation.

**MONDAY, MAY 29**

## All Locations Closed

All library locations are closed for Memorial Day

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 31**

## Tai Chi for Seniors

6 p.m.  
**Registration required**  
Ages 18 and older.

## Library at the Y

**MONDAYS**

## Storytime at the Y

9:30 a.m.  
Family. Join us at the YMCA satellite branch for stories and activities.

**Lamb Library** | 2525 S. Pueblo Blvd.

**Monday – Thursday** | 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

**Friday and Saturday** | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Library @ the Y** | 3200 Spaulding Ave.

**Monday - Friday** | 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Closed 1:30-2 p.m.

**Saturday** | 9:30 a.m. -1:30 p.m.



# Lucero Branch Library

Programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** Lucero Branch - Pueblo Libraries YOUTUBE **YT:** Lucero YouTube

## MONDAYS

### Beginning English Class

Clase de Ingles - Nivel Principante

1:30-3 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Improve your language skills. Mejorar sus habilidades lingüísticas en la biblioteca. Acompáñanos a clases de Inglés en un ambiente divertido.

### After School is Cool

3:15-5 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17  
May 1: Galaxy Coffee Filter  
May 8: Handprint Baby Yoda with Dani  
May 15: After School  
May 22: Balloon Bumble Bee with Dani

## TUESDAYS

### After School is Cool

Chess with Mark  
3-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17

### After School is Cool

3-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17  
May 3: Harry Potter Owl Bookmark  
May 10: Mother's Day Bracelets with Dani  
May 17: After School  
May 24: Sea Shell Turtle Craft with Dani  
May 31: Picture Day with Dani

## THURSDAYS

### After School is Cool

Chess with Mark  
3-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17

## FRIDAYS

### Fri-YAY

1-3 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17. Activities and crafts. Supplies provided.

## MONDAY, MAY 1

### Community Coloring Table

All day  
All ages. Supplies provided.

### Exploration Corner

All day  
All ages. Create, design, build, explore, construct, invent, and tinker. Supplies provided.

## TUESDAY, MAY 2

### Studio 1315

Metallic Pens  
All day  
All ages. Love to be artistic? A variety of art supplies will be available to create your masterpiece.

## THURSDAY, MAY 4

### Crafty Crew: Turtle Seashell Wall Hanging

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 18 and older.

## Special Event

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

### Summer Send Off Porch Concert

4-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9 to 17. Come enjoy the sounds of Jeremy Kitchen as we help send you off to a safe and fun summer.



## THURSDAY, MAY 11

### DIY Tea Blend Class - Featuring The Queen's TEApothecary

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 18 and older. Join us for a DIY tea blend making class with a special guest of The Queen's TEApothecary.

## FRIDAY, MAY 12

### Fri-YAY: DJ Workshop with Mad Fresh Production

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 9 to 17. DJ Gravity teaches introductory course.

## THURSDAY, MAY 18

### Crafty Crew: Make a Miniature Book

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 18 and older.



## THURSDAY, MAY 25

### Crafty Crew: Junk Journal

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 18 and older

## SATURDAY, MAY 27 2023

### Fri-YAY: Mad Fresh Fashion Design

1-3 p.m.  
Registration required  
Ages 9 to 17. Customs By Ray hosts an introductory course on fashion design. Kids will take home a FRESH beanie.

## MONDAY, MAY 29

### All Locations Closed

All library locations are closed for Memorial Day

## TUESDAY, MAY 30

### Studio 1315

Metallic Pens  
All day  
All ages. Create your masterpiece. Supplies provided.

Lucero Library | 1315 E. 7th St.  
Monday – Thursday | 10 a.m.-7 p.m.  
Friday and Saturday | 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

# Pueblo West Branch Library

Programs are in person, unless otherwise noted.

FACEBOOK **FB:** Pueblo West Branch - Pueblo Library YOUTUBE **YT:** Pueblo West YouTube

## MAY 1-31

### Art Exhibit

Ted Shaver  
All day, all ages

## MONDAYS, TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS AND FRIDAYS

### Yoga

9 a.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Instructor accepts small donations per class.

## MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

### Senior Movement & Stretch

10 a.m.  
Ages 18 and older

## MONDAYS

### Swedish Weavers

10 a.m.-noon  
Ages 18 and older

### Tech Talk

10 a.m.  
Ages 18 and older

### Signing Storytime

2 p.m.  
Juvenile

## TUESDAYS

### Time For Tots

10 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
Juvenile

### Cast-Offs Knitting and Craft Club

1-4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older

### Mahjonn Club

6-9 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older

## WEDNESDAYS

### Society for Creative Anachronism

6-9 p.m.  
Family. Weekly meeting.

## THURSDAYS

### Baby Storytime

10 a.m.  
Juvenile

### Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.  
Juvenile

### Jammy Storytime: In Person

6:30 p.m.  
Juvenile.

### Jammie Storytime Live

7:30 p.m.  
Juvenile. Streaming on Facebook and YouTube

## MONDAY, MAY 1

### Free Comic Book Day

All day  
Ages 17 and younger. Pick up a free comic book and a Kit2Go. While supplies last.

## TUESDAY, MAY 2

### Pueblo Model Railroad Association

6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older

## THURSDAY, MAY 4

### Southern Colorado Watercolor Society

6-9 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Monthly meeting.

## SATURDAY, MAY 6

### PW Womens League Presents: Art In the Park A Sidewalk Chalk Art Contest

9 a.m.-1 p.m.  
Family. Trophy and ribbons given in four divisions.

## TUESDAY, MAY 9

### PW Women's League Monthly Meeting

10 a.m.-noon  
Ages 18 and older. Monthly meeting.

## Mental Health Awareness

## SATURDAY, MAY 13

### The Power of Positive Relationships

4:30-6 p.m.  
Family. Mark Chartier a teacher with Pueblo County School District 70, gives a presentation on triumphing over disabilities.  
#MentalHealthAwareness

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

### Adult Craft Series

Chakra Bracelets  
4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older.  
#MentalHealthAwareness

## THURSDAY, MAY 11

### Jammie Storytime: In Person

Stuffed Animal Sleepover  
6:30 p.m.  
Join us for a special stuffed animal sleepover storytime. Bring a furry friend to stay the night in the library.

## FRIDAY, MAY 12

### Storytime at the Fire Station

11 a.m. at Fire Station No. 1  
51 E. Hahn's Peak Ave.  
Family. Meet the firefighters, see the fire trucks, and tour the station at this very special storytime.

### Laser Tag Lock In

6-8 p.m.  
Registration and permission slips required  
Ages 8 to 13. The library transforms into a laser tag arena.



## MONDAY, MAY 15

### Author Talk: Mary Beth O'Connor

From Junkie to Judge  
6-8 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older. Mary Beth O'Connor author of From Junkie to Judge discusses substance abuse recovery.  
#MentalHealthAwareness

## SATURDAY, MAY 13

### Pueblo West Genealogy Club

Beyond the Basics  
2-4 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

### Tween Craft

3-5 p.m.  
Ages 8 to 12.

## THURSDAY, MAY 18

### Teen Hangout: Playing with Poetry

3:30-5 p.m.  
Ages 8 to 17. Be inspired by Asian American poets.  
#AAPIHeritageMonth

### Mystery Book Club

7-9 p.m.  
Ages 18 and older.

## FRIDAY, MAY 19

### Let's Celebrate Each Other

AAPIH Month Family Event  
1-3 p.m.  
Family. Explore a children's book list curated by the Cambodian American Literary Arts Association.

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Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.



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**SATURDAY, MAY 20**

**PW Amateur Radio Club**  
9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Monthly meeting.

**Full Moon Dungeons and Dragons**  
3-5:30 p.m.

Ages 8 to 17.

**MONDAY, MAY 22**

**Pueblo West Book Club**  
7-9 p.m.

Ages 18 and older.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 24**

**Coffee and Coloring**  
10:30 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older.

**Adult Craft Series**  
*Lotus Incense Holder*

4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older.

**#MentalHealthAwareness**

**THURSDAY, MAY 25**

**Read Dog Read**  
4 p.m.

Juvenile. Join our therapy dogs for cuddles, pets and reading.

**Total Solar Eclipse 2024 Presentation**  
6 p.m.

Family. Retired CSU Pueblo professor Dr. William Brown presents about the total solar eclipse that will take place in 2024. Light refreshments provided.

**SATURDAY, MAY 27**

**Let's Make: Explore 3D Printing**  
3-5:30 p.m.

Ages 8 to 17. Join us in our makerspace to design your own shrinky dink art.

**MONDAY, MAY 29**

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# Rawlings Branch Library

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FACEBOOK **FB:** Rawlings Branch - Pueblo Library YOUTUBE **YT:** Rawlings YouTube

**MAY 1-4**

**School District 60 Elementary Art Show**  
On display, Fourth Floor.

**MAY 1-31**

**"Untitled" (L.A.) by Felix Gonzalez-Torres**  
Exhibit explores the ideas of permanence, change, and rejuvenation through cellophane-wrapped candies and LGBTQ+ community work in Pueblo.

**MAY 1-31**

**Frames in Sequence: Muramoto's 16mm Home Movies**  
Family. View frames from the 16mm home movies of Frank D. Muramoto.

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**MAY 1-27**

**Travel the World with Colorado Artists Exhibition**  
Franco's Student Art Show. On display on the Third Floor.

**MONDAYS**

**Bilingual Storytime**  
*Cuentos y Cantos*

10 a.m.

Family. Stories and songs told in English and Spanish.

**Gays and Dragons**

4:30-7:30 p.m.

Youth Program Room  
Ages 13 to 18. A beginner group open for queer and queer-allied teens

**GED Class: SEL Tutoring**

6-8 p.m.

Bret Kelly A Meeting Room  
**Registration required**

Ages 18 and older. For more call (719) 485-2456 or visit [www.seltutoring.com](http://www.seltutoring.com).

**TUESDAYS**

**Teen Hangout**

4:30-6:30 p.m., Teen Zone  
Ages 13 to 17

**TUESDAYS, CONT.**

**GED Class: SEL Tutoring**

6-8 p.m.

Bret Kelly A Meeting Room  
**Registration required**

Ages 18 and older

**Advanced English Class**

*Clase de Inglés - Nivel Avanzado*

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Bret Kelly B Meeting Room  
Ages 18 and older.

**WEDNESDAYS**

**Baby Storytime**

10 a.m.

Youth Program Room  
Juvenile

**Toddler Storytime**

10:30 a.m.

Youth Program Room  
Juvenile

**Basic Computer Classes**  
12:30-2:30 p.m.

**Registration required**

Ages 18 and older. Each class focuses on a different topic. Learn computer basics - from the components of a computer, to creating files.

**GED Class: SEL Tutoring**

6-8 p.m.

Bret Kelly A Meeting Room  
**Registration required**

Ages 18 and older

**Intermediate English Class**

*Clase de Inglés - Nivel Intermedio*

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Bret Kelly B Meeting Room  
Ages 18 and older.

**THURSDAYS**

**GED Class: SEL Tutoring**

6-8 p.m.

Bret Kelly A Meeting Room  
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Ages 18 and older

**FRIDAYS**

**Tween Time!**

3 p.m., Youth Program Room  
Ages 8 to 12

**SATURDAY, MAY 6**

**Beginning Spanish Class**

10:30 a.m.-noon Bret Kelly B

Meeting Room, First Floor  
Ages 18 and older.

**Advanced Conversational Spanish**  
12:30-2 p.m.

Ages 18 and older.

**MONDAY, MAY 1**

**Free Comic Book Day**

All day

Ages 17 and younger. Pick up a free comic book and a Kit2Go. While supplies last.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 3**

**Maria's Kitchen Live! on Facebook**

*Chalupas Poblanas*

Noon

Ages 18 and older. Streams on Facebook and YouTube.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 3**

**Film Screening: Zebulon Pike and the Blue Mountain**

6:30-8:15 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor

Ages 18 and older. Writer and director John Johnson screens his 1984 documentary.

**THURSDAY, MAY 4**

**Art Detective Workshop Series**

*Finding the Voice with Cynthia Ramu, Part 1*

5 p.m. Makerspace Lab, First Floor

**Registration required**

Ages 13 and older. This three-part series. Cynthia Ramu guides the search for the voice of art.

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**THURSDAY, MAY 4**

**PAHS presents Colorado State Historian Dr. Jared Orsi**

7 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, Fourth Floor

Ages 18 and older. State historian Dr. Jared Orsi, presents the life of Zebulon Pike.

**FRIDAY, MAY 5**

**Read, Dog, Read!**

2:30 p.m.

Family. Practice reading with a trained therapy dog.

**SATURDAY, MAY 6**

**Better Together Makes**

*Iced Tea Boba Drink*

1-2:30 p.m.

**Registration required**

Ages 8 to 17. Make a simple ingredient drink (along with a parent, caregiver.)

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**TUESDAY, MAY 9**

**Tea and Craft Time**

1-4 p.m. Makerspace Lab

For ages 50 and older. Enjoy tea and crafting. All supplies provided.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 10**

**Sketchbook Club**

6-7:30 p.m. Makerspace

All ages. Meet and talk with others or use the time to create.

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**

**Better With Age Makers**

*Design Air Dry Coasters*

Noon-1:30 p.m. Makerspace  
**Registration required**

Ages 50 and older. Design drink coasters using clay.

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**

**Art Detective Workshop Series**

*Finding the Voice with Cynthia Ramu, Part 2*

5 p.m.

**Registration required**

Ages 13 and older.

**SATURDAY, MAY 13**

**Hang Out & Craft - Wood Painting**

10:30 a.m.-noon

Ages 5 to 12. Paint a wooden ornament.

**Spontaneous Combustion Workshop**

*With SCAPE Director Bob Marsh and Company Members*

Noon-3 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Find artistic voice through movement, word, and sound.

**SUNDAY, MAY 14**

**Origami Odyssey**

1-2:30 p.m.

All ages. Learn new folds in paper folding.

**TUESDAY, MAY 16**

**Poetry Contest Awards Ceremony**

6 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, Fourth Floor

All ages. Awards will be given to the 2023 winners.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 17**

**Miniature Makers**

*Mini Bookcases*

5-6:30 p.m. Makerspace Lab

Ages 13 and older. Make a tiny bookcase! Tiny books to come in a later program.

**Bookmark Contest Awards Ceremony**

6 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, Fourth Floor

All ages Awards will be given to the 2023 winners.

**THURSDAY, MAY 18**

**Art Detective Workshop Series**

*Finding the Voice with Cynthia Ramu, Part 3*

5 p.m.

**Registration required**

Ages 13 and older.

## Mental Health Awareness

**FRIDAY, MAY 12**

**Film Screening: Connecting the Dots**

*A Global Conversation About Youth Mental Health*

1-3 p.m., Ryals Grand Event Space

Ages 13 and older. A film by Noemi Weis.

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**SATURDAY, MAY 20**

**To Dye For**

4 p.m.

**Registration required**

All ages. Bring a 100 percent cotton item. All other supplies provided.

**SUNDAY, MAY 21**

**No One Hears You Unless You Scream**

*Critically Acclaimed Teen Suicide Prevention Play*

2-3:30 p.m.

Ages 13 and older. A play that hopes to bring more conversation to destigmatize mental health issues and provide safe messaging about teen suicide prevention. Presented by Pueblo School District 60 in conjunction with Pignanelli Partners.

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**TUESDAY, MAY 23**

**Retro Board Games**

2-3:30 p.m.

For ages 50 and older. Enjoy playing table top board games. Refreshments provided.

**FRIDAY, MAY 19**

**Superpowers of Creativity and Grief with Author Doe Renee**

2:30-4:30 p.m.

Family. Doe Renee will share her story having lost her first husband to suicide and how it catalyzed her into writing her first book *Cosmic*.

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**TUESDAY, MAY 23, CONT.**

**Better With Age Makers**

*Wire Flowers*

5:30-7 p.m.

**Registration required**

Ages 50 and older. Create a flowers from craft wire.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 24**

**Origami Odyssey**

7-8:30 p.m.

Friends of the Library Meeting Room, First Floor. All ages.

**SATURDAY, MAY 27**

**Seed Library**

9:30-11 a.m. Friends of the Library Meeting Room  
Ages 18 and older. Join the Colorado Master Gardeners for a presentation on starting seeds indoors.

**SATURDAY, MAY 27**

**Sketchbook Club**

Noon-2 p.m. Makerspace  
All ages.

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