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Adult Winter of Reading starts Dec. 14

Wrap yourself up in a story this winter with Adult Winter of Reading (AWR). This reading challenge is a great way for adults and families to cozy up to a good book during the chilly days of winter.

Here's how to participate:

- Pick Up an AWR bingo gameboard from any PCCLD location. Complete five activities to make a bingo - five across, five down or five diagonal. Turn in your completed bingo card at any PCCLD location to get a fun prize.
- Level Up to the AWR bookmark. Complete the listed activities, fill out your information, then turn in to any PCCLD location. Each completed bookmark is one entry into the grand prize drawing.
- Grand Prizes will be drawn at the end of Adult Winter of Reading.
- Wrap Yourself in AWR December 14-February 14; AWR is open to adults and families.

Kick off the fun on December 14 at Rawlings Library with a Book Walk treasure hunt. Pick up an Adult Winter of Reading Treasure Map and visit the second floor fiction and nonfiction section to explore each library station and to get your map stamped.

Collect all the stamps, then head down to the first floor's Maker Space. There you can enjoy free food, hot tea, crafts with Tea & Makes and enter for a chance to win that day's grand prize. Turn in your completed treasure map for an entry into a drawing for a Solar Roast gift card and a copy of "Martyr" by Kaveh Akbar.

Adult Winter of Reading wraps up February 14.



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All Pueblo Reads public author talk





Avid readers were treated to a feast for the eyes and ears at the public author talk given by Alka Joshi, author of 2024's All Pueblo Reads selection "The Henna Artist" on October 26. Joshi discussed the journey of getting her first novel published as well as her process of writing the two additional novels in the series. Joshi was the featured speaker at the annual Booklovers Ball, held on October 25. Both events were held at Rawlings Library.







Tour Tuesdays!

Free InfoZone Museum tours every week

Join the Museum services administrator on a tour of the newly curated Info Zone Museum at Rawlings Library. Explore the rich history of media and communications in Pueblo and the world. Tuesdays, 4-4:30 p.m. at Rawlings Library

PCCLD has partnered with the Robert Hoag Rawlings Foundation to offer an exhibit that examines the three primary communication revolutions and their impact on our lives.

The print, broadcast and digital eras produced historic change in American society because of the freedom of speech guaranteed in the 1st Amendment, technological advancements and mass cultural impact.

This exhibit integrates national and local content to help visitors have a historical context in which to understand how important it is to be a knowledgeable, critical and skilled consumer of information.



The Info Zone Museum, now located on the first floor of Rawlings Library.

Barkman Branch Library

FACEBOOK FB: @ barkmanlibrary YOUTUBE YT: Barkman YouTube

TUESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10 a.m.

Juvenile. Toddler Storytime focuses on simple books, action rhymes, and songs that help develop early literacy, language skills, and social skills.

WEDNESDAYS

Maker Space Art Hangout

4-6 p.m.

All ages. Create portfolios, exchange art tips, or just relax and draw. Supplies provided, including pencils, paper, markers, paints and more.

THURSDAYS

Family Storytime

10 a.m.

Juvenile. Children and their favorite adults can come read books and sing songs at the library. This program is designed to support early literacy skills, while encouraging the love of books at an early age.

FRIDAYS

Board Game Club

2-4 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Learn and play board games for advanced players.

FRIDAY. DECEMBER 6

Teen and Tween Lockin - Crafty Edition

6-8 p.m.

PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED

Ages 11 to 17. Hang out with friends and enjoy snacks while making gifts for friends and family. Permission slip is required in order to participate.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Double Feature

Sonic 1 & 2 Noon-5 p.m.

Family. Watch everyone's favorite hedgehog before the next movie comes out December 20. This double feature is perfect for the whole family.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

WINTER FUN

FRIDAYS

Kids Kits2Go: Winter Gifts

9 a.m.

Juvenile. Pick up a craft to take home and make a gift for a loved one or yourself. Available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Diamond Art Key Chain Creations

Winter Edition 1 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Find a fun new or old hobby by making key chains using diamond art pens. Craft a snowman or snowflake, while supplies last.

#WinterFun

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Cookies, Cocoa and Stories

10 a.m.

Family. Join Barkman for a cozy storytime while sipping on cocoa and snacking on cookies.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Family Winterpalooza 4-6 p.m.

Family. Make ornaments, enjoy a hot cocoa bar and work together to create a gingerbread house master-

piece. While supplies last.

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

Barkman Book Club

"White Oleander" by Janet Fitch 4 p.m.

Adult. This month, "White Oleander" by Janet Fitch. Drinks and snacks provided.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve



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

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

All library locations will be closed:

Sunday, Dec. 22

Tuesday, Dec. 24 for Christmas Eve

Wednesday, Dec. 25 for Christmas Day

Sunday, Dec. 29

All library locations close at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31



Giodone Branch Library

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

MONDAYS

Preschool Storytime

Family. Stories come alive with books, puppets, rhymes, and songs! This program is designed to support early literacy skills in preschoolers, while encouraging them to love books at an early age.

WEDNESDAYS

Tai Chi Easy Class

10:30 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. This low impact mindful movement class may help reduce stress, improve balance, and increase energy for daily activities.

FRIDAYS

Crochet Club

4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Tea, conversation, and crochet. Crochet hooks and yarn to share. All levels welcome.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

Tween/Teen Hangout: A Regular Whodunit!

Clue 39th

Anniversary Special 4-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Watch "Clue" (PG) on the 39th anniversary of the movie, and help solve a murder mystery.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

A Regular Whodunit!

Clue 39th

Anniversary Special 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Let's just say it's a program to die for... Watch "Clue" (PG) on the 39th anniversary of the movie, and help solve a murder mystery.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Self Care Clinic

1-2:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Receive energy work from Bekka Lee, intuitive guide and reiki practitioner, and Nanette Santos reiki master teacher and curanderismo practitioner.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Coffee and Crafts

10:30 a.m.-noon

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Enjoy coffee and painting ornaments.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

READ Dog

Noon

Juvenile. Practice reading skills by reading to volunteer Read Dogs.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Tai Chi Easy Class

10:30 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Tai Chi easy practice leader will guide attendees through one hour of gentle stretching, self-massage, and flowing movements.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve

WINTER FUN

DECEMBER 2-28

Kids Kits2Go: Winter Gifts

Juvenile. Pick up a craft to take home and make a gift for a loved one or yourself. Available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

Teen Hangout: Christmas/Winter Tile Coasters

4-5:30 p.m.

Ages 13 to 17. Make a set of Christmas or winter-themed coasters for the beverage drinkers in your life, or to use yourself.

#WinterFun

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5

Tween Hangout: Decorated Holiday Stockings

4-5:30 p.m.

Ages 9 to 12. Decorate a holiday stocking for a loved one or yourself.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

"The Polar Express" **Movie Screening**

Holiday Movie Event 2-4 p.m.

Family. Join us for a holiday screening of "The Polar Express" (G). Crafts available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Make & Give: Combined Tween/ **Teen Candle Making**

4-5:30 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Create your own candle gift for someone you love!

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Gingerbread House for the Holidays

11 a.m.

Family. Get into the holiday spirit by making a gingerbread house.

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23

Wooden Ornaments

1-3 p.m.

Family. Personalize a wooden ornament using mirrors or stencils to brighten the holiday season.

#WinterFun



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.

Greenhorn Valley Branch Library

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

MONDAYS

Happy Hookers Fabric Group

5-7 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Weekly fiber arts group. Visitors welcome.

TUESDAYS

Music and Movement Storytime

11 a.m.

Family. Storytimes involve songs, an activity, two reading segments and a craft. Perfect for infants to preschoolers.

WEDNESDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

6 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Join Ashley for a slow yoga flow, appropriate for all levels. Focus will be on proper body alignment and breathing while flowing, so poses may be held for extended periods.

THURSDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

7 p.m.

Ages 18 and older.

FRIDAYS

Video Games

Switch & VR All day

Ages 9 to 17. Play video games with friends.

FRIDAYS

Family Friday

11 a.m.- 1 p.m.

Family. A weekly all-ages, selfled craft. Parent participation is encouraged.

SATURDAYS

Yoga With Ashley

9 a.m.

Ages 18 and older.

WINTER FUN

FRIDAYS

Kids Kits2Go: Winter Gifts

Juvenile. Pick up a craft to take home and make a gift for a loved one or yourself. Available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Gingerbread Houses!

11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Family. Make gingerbread houses (these are non-edible versions) and supplies will be provided, while they last.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

Holiday Make & Give

11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Ages 13 to 17. Make a gift for a loved one. We'll be making holiday soap as well as decorating boxes using decoupage art.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Make a Snow Globe

11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Family. Make a snow globe, all supplies provided, while they last.

#WinterFun

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Noon Year's Eve

11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Family. Celebrate New Year's Eve with a storytime, music, crafts and a countdown to noon. All ages are welcome.

#WinterFun

SATURDAYS

Saturday Night Magic

2-6 p.m.

Ages 13 and older. Learn to play Magic the Gathering. All experience levels welcome, cards are provided.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Murder Mystery!

6-8 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Join in for another murder mystery party. Characters will be assigned before the event - perfect for costume planning.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

DMV2GO

11 a.m.-2 p.m. Ages 16 and older. Mobile Driver Services comes to Greenhorn Valley. No appointment necessary.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Dungeons and Dragons

Literary One Shot Adventures

1-4 p.m.

Family. One-shot Dungeons and Dragons campaigns.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Sip 'N' Stroke

With Randy Ford 6-8 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED \$25, COVERS MATERIALS

Ages 18 and older. Join Randy Ford for a guided painting class. Bring beverages.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Greenhorn Valley Book Club

1-3 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. This month's book is "The Life Impossible" by Matt Haig.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Book Club After Dark

6-8 p.m.

Ages 18 and older only. An book club with a focus on horror, thriller, true crime, and contemporary romance. Refreshments provided.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

Dungeons and Dragons

Literary One Shot Adventures

1-4 p.m.

Family. Family friendly oneshot Dungeons and Dragons campaigns

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve



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.

Lamb Branch Library

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

WEDNESDAYS

Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Juvenile. Books come alive for children and their favorite adults while supporting early literacy and preschool skills.

FRIDAYS

Family Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Family. Stories come alive with books, songs and crafts.

FRIDAYS

Fun Friday

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Family. Kids program will vary each week: games, STEM, arts and crafts, Lego, special themes, and more.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors!

Snowflake Window Clings 2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. Crafting and social engagement for ages 50 and older. If assistance registering is needed call (719) 562-5600.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

Tween & Teen Hangout Christmas Candle Making

4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Make a new one and join in for some festive candle making.



WINTER FUN

FRIDAYS

Kids Kits2Go: Winter Gifts

Juvenile. Make a gift for a loved one or yourself with this take home kit. Available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

"Nightmare Before Christmas" Sing-Along

6:30-8 p.m.

Family. Sing classics like "This is Halloween" and "What's This?" and more. Popcorn provided.

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors!

Aluminium Can Angels 2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. A unique and eco-friendly craft.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

Lamb Adult Craft: Terracotta Clay Diffuser Ornaments

6:30-8 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Craft a terracotta essential oil diffusers. Choose from winter or holiday themes.

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors!

Christmas Felts 2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. Crafting and social engagement for ages 50 and older. This week enjoy holiday felting.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Holiday Make & Give: Teens

11 a.m.

Ages 13 to 17.Make a gift for a loved one. We'll be making holiday soap as well as decorating boxes using decoupage art. Do one, or even better, do both!

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors! 2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. Learn to make a Bloody Mary mocktail for the upcoming holidays. Attendees will need to sign a food waiver.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

Hooked on Books Book Club

1-3 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. This month's selection is "The 13th Gift: a True Story of a Christmas Miracle" by Joanne Huist Smith.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

Tween & Teen Hangout DIY Gnome Ornaments 4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Bring an old friend and make a new one while making gnome ornaments.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Open House with Senator Hickenlooper's Team

10 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older. Constituent Advocates from Sen. Hickenlooper's office will be on hand to assist with passport applications, Department of Veterans Affairs benefits, federal taxes, immigration and more.

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Lamb Library | 2525 S. Pueblo Blvd. Monday – Thursday | 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Beulah School of Natural Sciences | 8734 School House Lane Tuesdays, Thursdays | 3:30-6 p.m. Saturdays | 9 a.m.-noon 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.

Lamb Branch Library, cont.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Tween & Teen Hangout Hot Chocolate Bombs 4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Bring an old friend, make a new one and make some sweet treats.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Preschool Storytime Christmas Storytime 10:30 a.m.

Juvenile. Enjoy a special Christmas Storytime!

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Family Kit2Go

Bread in a Bag All day

Family. Knead and bake a warm loaf of bread together. Kit includes all dry ingredients for easy preparation. While supplies last.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Family Matinee

The Santa Clause Pajama Party! 3-4:30 p.m.

Family. Enjoy a special Christmas-themed matinee. Wear your favorite pajamas and enjoy popcorn, hot chocolate and a Christmas goodie bag.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23

Classic Crafting for Seniors Extra Edition

Holiday Mocktail Screen Printing 3:45-4:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. After joining us for our mocktail class, stay and create a Bloody Mary screen print! Bring a shirt for printing with white ink.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

Classic Crafting for Social Seniors!

DIY Christmas Crackers 2-3:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. Join in the fun to make this New Year's party item.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

Horror Cafe

A Book Club to Die For 7 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. This month's book is "Krampus the Yule Lord" by Gerald Brom. Refreshments, including espresso drinks, provided.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Tween & Teen Hangout New Year's Eve

Decoration Celebration 4:30-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Hang out and make New Year's Eve decorations.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve

Beulah School of Natural Sciences

DECEMBER 7 & 14

Explore, Create, Play

9:30-11:30 a.m.

Ages 18 and younger. Children will have a chance to explore various art forms.

Library at the Y

MONDAYS

Preschool Storytime

9:30 a.m. & 10 a.m.

Family. Stories come alive with books, puppets, rhymes, and songs.



Spice up your life!

Need some extra flavor for your holiday dish?

Not sure how to use a spice? AtoZ World Food database contains recipes for 174 countries.



Check out the Spice Library available at Lucero Library at El Centro del Quinto Sol, 609 E 6th St.

Lucero Branch Library

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

Renovations begin, library programs available

Lucero Library is undergoing renovations, but you can still enjoy these fun programs hosted by the Lucero staff. Library services will be available at El Centro del Quinto Sol, 609 E. 6th St.

Library services and programs will be available at El Centro Del Quinto Sol. 609 E 6th St.

El Centro del Quinto Sol is closed December 24, 25 and 31.

MONDAYS

Snack Attack

4-6 p.m.

Ages 17 and younger. Enjoy an afterschool activity and enjoy a meal provided by Pueblo School District 60.

TUESDAYS

Chess with Mark from HardKnox **Gang Prevention** & Intervention

3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Work on your chess game and your critical thinking with mentor Mark Salazar of Hardknox Gang Prevention Pueblo.

WEDNESDAYS

Snack Attack

4-6 p.m.

Ages 17 and younger. Enjoy an afterschool activity and enjoy a meal provided by Pueblo School District 60.

Chess with Mark from HardKnox **Gang Prevention** & Intervention

3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Work on chess and critical thinking skills

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Crafty Crew:

Adult Coloring Explosion

2-4 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Unwind and color away the day.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

Lucero Library 10 Year Celebration

1-3 p.m.

All ages. Celebrate 10 years of service for the community. Refreshments provided.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Crafty Crew: Holiday Busted Canvas

2-4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Learn how to make a busted canvas.

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FRIDAY. DECEMBER 20

Crafty Crew: Kit2Go Holiday DIY Tags

2-4 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Pick up a holiday tag making kit.

#AdultWinterReading



WINTER FUN

FRIDAYS

Kids Kits2Go: Winter Gifts

Juvenile. Pick up a craft to take home and make a gift for a loved one or yourself. Available while supplies last.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Crafty Crew Kit2Go: Holiday Stress Kit

2-4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Pick up a kit to help handle the holiday stress. While supplies last.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Full Fam Fun

Holiday Patches! 4-6 p.m.

Family. Bring the family and iron on patches to make a custom pillow cover.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

Guerrero Family Stocking Giveaway!

Noon-2 p.m.

All ages. Santa's coming to town! Join us for our annual Sam and Connie Guerrero Stocking Giveaway. See Santa and get a stocking filled with goodies and a book. While supplies last.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Full Fam Fun

Mini Gifts 4-6 p.m.

Family. Make end-of-year shrinky dink gifts.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

Crafty Crew: Winter Fairy Garden

2-4 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older Create a winter fairy garden scene. #AdultWinterReading

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve

Monday - Thursday | 3-7 p.m.

Lucero Library at El Centro

609 E 6th St.

Friday and Saturday | Noon-6 p.m.

Pueblo West Branch Library

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

DECEMBER 2-31

Art Exhibit

Susan Fulton
On display in the cafe.

DECEMBER 2-20

December Checkout Basket

Holiday Cookie Kit
All ages. Checkout at least 10 items and bring your receipt for an entry form. The winner will be contacted Dec. 20.

MONDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Instructor accepts small donations.

MONDAYS

Swedish Weavers Craft Club

10-noon

Ages 18 and older.

TUESDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Instructor accepts small donations.

TUESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10 & 10:30 a.m. Juvenile. Toddler Storytime and a craft.

TUESDAYS

Cast-Offs Knitting and Craft Club

1-4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Weekly meeting of fiber arts craft club. Visitors welcome.

TUESDAYS

Tween Hangout

3:30-5 p.m.

Ages 8-12.

Dec. 3: Screen Printing

Dec. 10: LEGOs

Dec. 17: Make and Give Holi-

day Gifts

TUESDAYS

Mahjongg Club

6-9 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Visitors welcome for this fun, weekly game of mahjongg.

WEDNESDAYS

Society for Creative Anachronism

6-8:30 p.m.

Family. Weekly meeting, visitors welcome.

THURSDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

9 a.m.

Ages 18 and older. Instructor accepts small donations per class.

THURSDAYS

Baby Storytime

10 a.m. Family.

THURSDAYS

Preschool Storytime

10:30 a.m.

Family.

Dec. 5: Snowy Fun

Dec. 12: "Everyone Gives" with Author Susan Langlois

Dec. 19: Wrap It Up!

Pueblo West Library 298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd. Monday – Thursday | 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday and Saturday | 9 a.m.-6 p.m.



WINTER FUN

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

History Round Table

The Christmas
Truce of WWI
6:30-8 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. For all history fans, a different historical topic will be discussed each month. This month's discussion is the Christmas Truce of WWI.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

Adult Craft Series

Nutcrackers

3-5 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Paint your a wooden nutcracker. All supplies provided.

#WinterFun

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

Holiday Make & Give

3-5 p.m.

Ages 13 to 17. Make a gift for a loved one. We'll be making holiday soap as well as decorating boxes using decoupage art.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

Santa & Mrs. Claus Christmas Event

with a Performance by the Liberty Point Elementary Choir Noon-2 p.m.

Family. Enjoy a special storytime with Mrs. Claus. Visit with Santa and afterward, create a gingerbread house while enjoying a performance by the Liberty Point Elementary Choir.

#WinterFun

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Holiday Wreath Decorating

1-2:30 p.m.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Family. Create a festive holiday wreath. All supplies provided.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Ugly Sweater Decorating Party

1-3 p.m.

Family. Enjoy hot cocoa and cookies while decorating an ugly sweater. Bring a sweater or sweatshirt. All other supplies provided.

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THURSDAYS

Open Game Night

6-8:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. A weekly get together of gamers. Bring games, consoles, and tabletop games, or feel free to have fun with the library's selection of games.

THURSDAYS

Jammy Storytime

6:30 p.m.

Juvenile. Bring pillows, and unwind from the day by listening to stories and singing songs together.

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Pueblo West Branch Library, cont.

FRIDAYS

Yoga with Studio Share

Ages 18 and older. Instructor accepts small donations.

TUESDAY. DECEMBER 3

Pueblo Model Railroad Club

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Pueblo Model Railroad Club monthly meeting. Visitors welcome.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

First Saturday MTG

Magic the Gathering 2-4 p.m.

Ages 13 to 17. Play Magic the Gathering! Beginner and casual gameplay. Cards provided by the MagiKids Program.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

Banned Book Club

"Fahrenheit 451" by Ray Bradbury 7-8:30 p.m.

Ages 16 and older. Join us at PW for a book club featuring banned and challenged books. This month "Fahrenheit 451" by Ray Bradbury.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

Open House with Senator Hickenlooper's Team

10 a.m.-noon

Ages 18 and older. Constituent Advocates from Senator Hickenlooper's office can assist with passport applications, Department of Veterans Affairs benefits, Small Business Administration programs federal taxes, immigration, and more.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10

Toddler Storytime: Early Literacy to Go!

Sponsored by Pueblo Elks Lodae #90

10 and 10:30 a.m.

Family. Pick up a backpack filled with books and other fun things to foster your little one's early literacy skills at home. Available while supplies last. Supplies are generously sponsored by Pueblo Elks Lodge #90.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

Colorado Needleworkers

Pueblo West Stitch-In 6-8 p.m.

Ages 16 and older. Join this fun group of fiber friends for a couple of hours of working on projects. Please bring your own projects.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12

Preschool Storytime

"Everyone Gives" with **Author Susan Langlois** 10:30 a.m.

Family. Enjoy a special storytime with author Susan Langlois as she reads "Everyone Gives," an inspiring tale of kindness and community.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

Yarn Hoarders Anonymous

Crochet Club 3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Enjoy cozy crafting with coffee and tea. Two staff members on hand to help beginners. Bring a project or start new. Bring own hooks and yarn, limited quantities available.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

PW Book Club

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

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Adult Craft Series

Furoshiki Cloth Wrapping DIY 3-5 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Learn how to wrap gifts in the traditional Japanese style of Furoshiki. Plus learn how to create some beautiful origami.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Tween Craft

Glimmer & Glow: Gem-Painted **Holiday Cards** 3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 to 12. Create dazzling holiday cards with gems. Bring your creativity and get festive.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Foreign Film Series

"Joyeux Noel" 6:30-9 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. An unofficial Christmas truce on the Western Front allows soldiers from opposing sides of the First World War to gain insight into each other's way of life.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Local Author Visit

Terri Packard 4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. Terri Packard is a local author of a book called "My Smart Romance." Meet the author and enjoy tea and a recipe from the book.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19

Mystery Bookclub

7-9 p.m.

Ages 18 and older.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Dungeons and Dragons: Campaign 2

2-6 p.m.

Ages 9 to 17. Monthly Dungeons and Dragons session.

SATURDAY. DECEMBER 21

3rd Saturday Magic the Gathering

2-4 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. A MTG group for more advance players.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28

Yarn Hoarders **Anonymous**

Crochet Club 3-5 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Enjoy cozy crafting with coffee and tea. Bring a project or start new. Bring own hooks and yarn, limited quantities available.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve

Rawlings Branch Library

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DECEMBER 1-10

Teen/Tween Art Show

The Teen/Tween Art Show is a showcase for Pueblo youth's artistic abilities.

DECEMBER 11-31

'Anyone Can Be An Artist' Art Show

Second floor

All ages. This exhibit was created to celebrate YOU and your unique artistic abilities! Community members from the Pueblo area are encouraged to enter art that they have created this year.

DECEMBER 1-31

Beulah Yule Log Festival Exhibit

Third floor

Learn more about the charming history of the Beulah Yule Log Festival.

MONDAYS

Bilingual Storytime Cuentos y Cantos

10:30 a.m. Youth Services Program Room, second floor Family. Stories and songs in English and Spanish.

TUESDAYS

Tea & Makes

2-3:30 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

All ages. Enjoy tea and make something awesome. All supplies provided. For more info, (719) 553-0233.

#AdultWinterReading

TUESDAYS

Open Tech Lab

3-5 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor

Ages 18 and older. Free help with digital devices. For help outside of open hours, call Thad Stelter at (719) 562-5695 or email thad.stelter@pueblolibrary.org.

TUESDAYS

Tour Tuesdays! Free InfoZone Tours Every Week

4-4:30 p.m.

Ages 9 and older. Join the Museum services administrator on a tour of the newly curated Info Zone Museum. Explore Pueblo's rich history through media and communication.

TUESDAYS

Teen Hangout

4:30-6:30 p.m. Teen Zone, second floor

Ages 13 to 17. Chat with friends old and new, play games, do activities, eat snacks, in a safer space.

WEDNESDAYS

Baby Storytime

10 a.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

Juvenile.

WEDNESDAYS

Toddler Storytime

10:30 a.m. Youth Services Program Room, second floor
Juvenile. This storytime focuses on simple books, rhymes, and songs that help develop early literacy, language skills, and social skills.

WEDNESDAYS

Cooperative Drawing

1-3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

All ages. Work on collaborative art with Bob Marsh.

WEDNESDAYS

Digital Memory Lab Open Hours

4-6 p.m. Third floor Ages 18 and older. Drop in to the Digital Memory Lab for open assistance with digitizing photos, negatives, slides, VHS tapes and more. Staff will be on hand to assist.

WEDNESDAYS

Tabletop Gaming Club *Learn how to Play Magic*

the Gathering and D&D!
5-8:30 p.m. Friends of the
Library Meeting Room, first

Ages 18 and older. Learn how to play popular table top RPG and card games.

THURSDAYS

Tween Hangout!

4 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

Ages 8 to 12. Create, game and hangout. Every week there is something new.

FRIDAYS

Family Storytime

10:30 a.m. Youth Program Room, second floor Juvenile.

SATURDAYS

LEGO Club

2-4 p.m. Family Area, second floor

Family. Try the challenges or build your own! LEGOs provided.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2

Medicare 101

2-4 p.m. Bret Kelly B Meeting Room, first floor
Ages 18 and older. Learn more about Medicare basics and understanding the choices involved when beginning Medicare coverage from Melissa Strait from the Senior Resource Development Agency. Snacks provided. For more info, call (719) 553-3453.

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10 a.m.-noon

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

North of 50 Cellphone Assistance 1:30 p.m.

AARP Office, 2401 W. Northern Ave.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 50 and older. Cellphone and technology assistance for our North of 50 neighbors. To register call the AARP office at (719) 696-8149 or register through the library, online or call (719) 562-5600.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3

Open Ukulele Choir

5-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 9 and older. Make music and learn with instructor Claire. Participants are encouraged to bring a own ukulele, limited number of ukuleles are available.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

Scary Story Contest Awards Ceremony

6 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor



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WINTER FUN

WEDNESDAYS

Gift-Making Workshop

5-7 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 12 and older. Create some quality yet simple to make gifts.

Dec. 4: Sewn Gift Bags

Dec. 11: Paper-cut Shadow **Boxes and Resin Coasters**

Dec. 18: Hot Drink Jars

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4

Beulah Yule Log Festival Exhibit Reception

5-7 p.m. Third floor

Family. Join the Local History & Genealogy Department on the 3rd floor of Rawlings for the Beulah Yule Log Festival Exhibit Reception. Get in the yuletide spirit with food, fun, and community.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

To Dye For

Holiday Gift Edition 4 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor

All ages. Make a tie dyed gift! Please bring a 100 percent cotton shirt, or article of clothing. All other supplies provided.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY. DECEMBER 7

Holiday With Heroes

11 a.m.-2 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor Family. The Junior League of Pueblo presents, "Holiday with Heroes" an event that features several holiday activity stations that include crafts, books, cookies, Santa and Mrs. Claus, face painting, and more. With the help of our local heroes - Pueblo Fire, Police, CBI and more.

#WinterFun

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Holiday Make & Give

4:30-6:30 p.m. Ages 13 to 17. Homemade gifts are the best gifts to receive. Make holiday soap as well as decorating boxes with decoupage art.

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Gingerbread Spice & Everything Nice!

2-4 p.m. Ryals Grand Event Space, fourth floor Family. Partake in the annual gingerbread house making program and start your family tradition. All supplies are provided. Enjoy activities on every floor, including a hot cocoa bar.

#WinterFun

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 21

Cold Forging

Make Winter

Ornaments!

Noon-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Learn the art of cold forging brass into decorative ornaments for the holiday season.

#WinterFun

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23

Card Making Station

All day, Family Area, second

Tween | Teen | Juvenile | Family. Need a last minute card for the holidays? Use the provided supplies to make a card for your special someone. Available while supplies

#WinterFun

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6

Sharon Needle Felts

Noon-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 18 and older. Join Sharon in the Maker Space to learn how to free form needle felt a small winter-themed project.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

Free Self-Care Clinic

10 a.m.-4 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

Ages 18 and older. Free self care clinic featuring practitioners of curanderismo, reiki, oracle and tarot card reading, energy work, integrated energy therapy and massage therapy.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

DNA Basics

Your Genetic Family Tree 10:30 a.m. Friends of the Library Meeting Room, first floor

Ages 13 and older. Guest speaker Sara L. Dawson teaches the basics of using DNA in family history research.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

Adult Literacy Program Information Session

Ages 18 and older. The community is invited to come learn more about the services offered by the Adult Literacy Program at PCCLD. Refreshments will be served while supplies last.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 9

Anyone Can Be An Artist: How to Mat Your Art

6 p.m. Maker Space, first floor **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

Ages 18 and older. This activity will teach participants how to measure and cut their own mats for their artwork. Mats and tools will be provided; participants must bring in a piece of their own 2D artwork. Artwork must be 14 inches by 18 inches or smaller. In collaboration with the exhibit "Anyone Can Be An Artist."

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11

Introduction to Family History

2 p.m. Friends of the Pueblo Library Meeting Room, first floor

Ages 13 and older. Learn the first steps in uncovering family history. Examine record types, tools, and library resources to help you put together the pieces family history.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Out of This World Creations

1-2:30 p.m. Youth Program Room, second floor Family. Explore the universe with galaxy and outer space crafts.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13

Chess with Mark from HardKnox **Gang Prevention** & Intervention

3:30-5:30 p.m. Teen Zone, second floor

Ages 9 and older. Work on your chess game and your critical thinking with mentor Mark Salazar of Hardknox Gang Prevention Pueblo.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

The People's Choir of Southern Colorado

3 p.m. Maker Space, first floor **REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

All ages. Join Jody and Clare of The People's Choir for an hour of singing together. This program is designed to encourage people to raise their voices together in an encouraging and friendly environment.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Pueblo Stamp Club

Learn About the Hobby of Stamp Collecting. 1-3 p.m.

All ages. Join Richard Tucey for Pueblo Stamp Club. Donations of foreign and/or U.S. stamps for free distribution at club meetings are welcomed.



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

Puzzles + Makes

+ Pride Party

& Tea of Course! 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

All ages. Pick up Adult Winter of Reading gameboards, have lunch and make a craft. All supplies provided. For more info (719) 553-0233.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14

Adult Winter of Reading Kickoff

11 a.m.-1 p.m., Maker Space, first floor and second floor

Family. Wrap yourself up in a story and celebrate the start of Adult Winter of Reading.

- Complete a Book Walk on the second floor to collect FREE goodies and enter to win prizes.
- Visit Tea & Makes in Maker Space to enjoy hot tea, food and crafts.
- Free prizes and giveaways.
- Family reading activities available.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Anyone Can Be An Artist: Creating Holiday Cards

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 9 and older. A basic overview of Canva with tips and tricks for designing digitally. Participants will get their oneof-a-kind design printed on 10 card (envelopes not included.) Intermediate computer knowledge is required.

Cellphone Assistance 1:30 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18

Origami Odyssey

7-8:30 p.m. Thurston Meeting Room, first floor All ages. Learn new and wonderful folds in the Japanese art of paper folding.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Open Ukulele Choir

11 a.m.-1 p.m. Maker Space, first floor

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ages 9 and older. Participants are encouraged to bring a own ukulele, limited number of ukuleles are available.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

Winter Contest Deadline

All ages. Deadline to submit winter contest entries. Entries may be dropped off at any PCCLD location.

www.pueblolibrary.org/contests

SUNDAY. DECEMBER 22

All locations are closed

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24

All locations are closed for Christmas Eve

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 25

All locations are closed for Christmas

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26

Inside the Lines Coloring All day. Family Area, second floor

Family. Coloring pages and other supplies will be available to use.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

LEGO Open Maker Hours Winter Themed!

11 a.m.-2 p.m.

For ages 6 and older. Put master-builder skills to the test by answering a prompt to build amazing LEGO creations. Bring creativity and LEGO expertise.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16

Adult Literacy Program Information Session

4 p.m.

Ages 18 and older. The community is invited to come learn more about the services offered by the Adult Literacy Program at PCCLD.

Learn more about:

- 1:1 Tutoring
- Google Certificates
- Career Online High School Diploma and Career Certificate

and volunteer opportunities. Refreshments will be served while supplies last.

Exploring Canva Basics 6-8 p.m. Technology Training Room, first floor

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17

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Rawlings Branch Library, cont.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

Chess with Mark from HardKnox **Gang Prevention** & Intervention

3:30-5:30 p.m. Teen Zone. second floor

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All locations are closed

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

Winter Animal Crafts

11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Family. Looking for something to do? Come create some fun winter animal crafts.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

Anyone Can Be An Artist: Contour Drawing

6 p.m. Maker Space, first floor Ages 9 and older. In contour drawing, the artist looks at an object and draws the outline of it in one continuous line without looking at the paper.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

Board Game Blast

10 a.m.-5 p.m. Family Area, second floor

TUESDAY. DECEMBER 31

All locations close at 6 p.m. for New Year's Eve

Books Again upcoming events

Store Closures:

December 9 at noon for the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner.

December 24 and 25 December 31 and January 1

Store Events:

December 5-7: Half Off Sale Now-December 24: Christmas books are \$1 each December 7: Junior League

Holiday with Heroes at Rawlings Library. Take and Make fun packs for kids and adults.

December 9- January 4: Half

price gift card sale

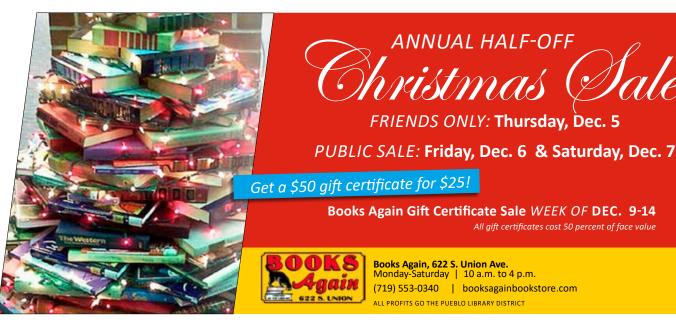
December 14: Adult Winter of Reading Kickoff at Rawlings Library. Take and Make fun packs for kids and adults.

December 26-31: \$1 boxes of Christmas books, including romance novels.

New areas in the store:

Native American Indians and Banned Books.

Crafts for Sale: Ephemera and junk journals and a variety of handmade cards.



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