

MARCH 2019

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## Celebrate Women's History Month

### The Unconventional Women of the West

Thursday, March 14, 7 p.m.,

RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Meet Nettie Crook, Mother Jones, Dr. Susan Anderson, Alice Ramsey and Florence Lawrence – the courageous and fascinating women whose lives became a part of the lore of the West! Travel back in time to hear stories of real women who made a significant impact on the West, be entertained with lively, historical portrayals and go on an educational adventure with the Unconventional Women of the West.

Put on by The Legendary Ladies, a non-profit educational women's organization.

### Outstanding Women Awards Luncheon

Friday, March 8,

Noon, RA, 2nd floor

These awards have honored women who have made important contributions to our community and have celebrated the important role that women have played in Pueblo's history. These awards provide an opportunity for any individual or organization to honor a special woman who has made an impact. Sections of materials on the 2nd floor will be blocked off for the program.



Meet some unconventional women during Women's History Month.

### Movies

#### Special Screenings

*Suffragette* (PG-13)

Monday, March 11, 6:30-9 p.m.,

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Dreaming of the right to vote, working-class Maud eagerly joins the early feminist movement. But when the peaceful protests of the suffragettes accomplish nothing, they're driven to more radical methods of effecting change.



#### *Salt of the Earth* (NR)

Thursday, March 21, 6-8 p.m., RA,

InfoZone Theater-4th floor

In this classic drama from 1951, employees at a New Mexico zinc mine go on strike. The Taft Harding Act does not allow the injunction employees to strike so their wives take up the fight and picket for better working conditions. Refreshments will be served.



### Exhibits

**Leading Women:  
Women in Leadership  
Across Pueblo and  
Southern Colorado**  
March 1-31. All locations



Carrie C. Holly - In the 1895 guide to the Colorado House of Representative, the first elected woman representative from Pueblo listed her occupation as housewife. Born in New York City, married and registered as a Republican, Carrie was among the many women that the Republican Party welcomed to its ranks following the extension of suffrage to Colorado women in 1894.

**Women. Animals. Art**  
March 1-31, RA, Hispanic Resource Center Gallery-2nd floor

Painter Mo Keenan-Mason will display her paintings of animals. For more information, email moremoart@gmail.com or visit Facebook and search for MoreMoArt.

#### LOCATIONS KEY:

AV | Avondale Satellite

BK | Barkman

BS | Beulah Satellite

GI | Giodone

LU | Lucero

LB | Lamb

LY | Library @ the Y

GV | Greenhorn Valley

PW | Pueblo West

RA | Rawlings



**HOURS:**  
MONDAY – THURSDAY  
9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)

**MONDAY – FRIDAY**  
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; 4 to 8 p.m. (Library @ the Y only)

**FRIDAY and SATURDAY**  
9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

10 a.m. – 6 p.m. (Greenhorn, Giodone and Lucero only)

**SATURDAY**  
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Library @ the Y only)

**SUNDAY** (Rawlings only)  
1 – 5 p.m.

**PHONE:** 562-5600

#### LOCATIONS:

**Barkman Library**

1300 Jerry Murphy Rd.

**Greenhorn Valley Library**

4801 Cibola Dr., Colorado City, Colo.

**Giodone Library**

24655 U.S. Hwy 50 E.

**Lamb Library**

2525 S. Pueblo Blvd.

**Library @ the Y**

3200 Spaulding

**Lucero Library**

1315 E. 7th St.

**Pueblo West Library**

298 S. Joe Martinez Blvd.

**Rawlings Library**

100 E. Abriendo Ave.

#### SATELLITE LIBRARY LOCATIONS:

**Avondale Elementary**

213 Hwy. 50 E.

**Beulah School**

8734 Schoolhouse Ln.

**Library @ the Y**

CSU-Pueblo, 2200 Bonforte Blvd.

**PCCLD @ PCC**

Suite 110, 900 W. Orman Ave.

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## Events Calendar March 2019

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### EXHIBITS

#### All locations

March 1-31

- Leading Women: Women in Leadership Across Pueblo and Southern Colorado

#### RA, Hispanic Resource

##### Gallery-2<sup>nd</sup> floor

March 1-31

- Women. Animals. Art.
- Sit. Stay. Read.
- Sculptures by Wilber Arias

#### RA, InfoZone-4<sup>th</sup> floor

March 1-15

- 2019 Southern Colorado Photography Society photo show

### RECURRING PROGRAMS

#### Mondays

- 10 a.m., Tech Talk, PW
- 10 a.m.-Noon, Open Learning Lab, RA, Training Room 3<sup>rd</sup> floor
- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group, PW
- 1-2:30 p.m., Pueblo Storytellers, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, BK
- 4 p.m., Kids Club, RA, Youth Services-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 5 p.m., Youth meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor

#### Tuesdays

- 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, LU
- 10:30 a.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- 1-4 p.m., Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group, PW
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45-4:30 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4:30 p.m., Youth Supper, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 5:30-7 p.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- 6-8 p.m., Mahjong Club, PW

#### Wednesdays

- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, RA
- 3:30 p.m., Homework Helper, LB
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Hangout, PW
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 6 p.m., Tai Chi, PW
- 6-8:30 p.m., Society for Creative Anachronism, PW

#### Thursdays

- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 10:30 a.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV
- Noon-2 p.m., Open Learning Lab, RA, Training Room-3<sup>rd</sup> floor
- 1-3 p.m., Crafty Needles, BK
- 3:30-5 p.m., Teen Night, PW
- 3:45 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4:30 p.m., Tween Hangout, RA
- 5 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 5:30-7 p.m., SoCo Makers Meetup, RA, Idea Factory-2<sup>nd</sup> floor
- 5:30-7 p.m., Pinochle at the Library, GV

#### Fridays

- 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, PW
- 9:15-10:15 a.m., Chair Yoga, PW
- 9:30 a.m.-noon, English Conversation Club, PW
- Noon, Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 1 p.m., Youth Meal, LB
- 1:30-3 p.m., Hardknox Gang Intervention and Prevention, LU
- 4 p.m., Fireside Crochet, GI
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, BK
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, LU
- 4 p.m., Youth Meal, RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor
- 5 p.m., Pueblo West Chess Club, PW



Families attend the Summer Reading kickoff in 2018.

# Library at a crossroads



Jon Walker

by Jon Walker

Pueblo City-County Library District is at a crossroads. Sustaining our great libraries is not given. Public funding for local libraries is threatened largely due to a state mandate known as the Gallagher Amendment.

An anomalous provision of the state constitution's Gallagher Amendment dictates that rapidly rising housing prices in Denver force cuts to public library district budgets outside the Denver environs in less affluent areas of the state including Pueblo. A recent analysis by state legislative council staff shows that PCCLD is the most adversely impacted library in Colorado.

There also is a property tax for local libraries that is set to expire this year. This tax costs merely \$6.95 per year for the owner of the average home in Pueblo County. Although this is a small expense for each homeowner, it adds up to a lot for our libraries. These funds helped build the Rawlings Library, our primary point of service and set the stage for the bustling local public libraries we enjoy today.

PCCLD reduced expenditures by \$250,000 in 2019 in anticipation of lowered revenue. But this is not enough. Projections show the library will have a \$700,000 deficit in 2020 and moving forward annually thereafter. Our revenue will not be sufficient to both operate at our current level and maintain our buildings, collections, equipment and other infrastructure. To understand the impact, please know PCCLD runs and sustains seven libraries located throughout the county. The yearly costs to operate a single neighborhood library is approximately \$450,000. For example, the Lamb Library on Pueblo's south side cost \$459,076 to operate in 2017. This means the total \$700,000 annual PCCLD funding shortfall can be rectified by closing two neighborhood libraries. This is one way to resolve the problem.

There is another way to fix this and keep all of our superb libraries. We can take advantage of an opportunity that will not cost taxpayers any more today by simply renewing the existing modest library tax that is set to expire later this year. Renewing this—which only costs the average homeowner \$6.95 annually or 58 cents per month—will generate the funds necessary to allow the library to continue to sustain itself, operate effectively and positively serve the community. It is a moderate expense for an outstanding return.

Pueblo is a great place to live. There are many reasons for this and onto this lengthy list I include our award-winning libraries. Great public libraries contribute much to our quality of life. On a typical day, more than 8,000 books and other materials are checked out, about 900 people attend library-sponsored cultural and educational programs and events, around 3,500 use library computers and online information services and approximately 4,600 individuals of all ages visit the library to read, study and learn. This happens every day at the library!

The public library is the one institution in our community where literacy, lifelong learning and open access to information is supported and freely provided for all. The library is for everyone, all ages — from our youngest children to teens to adults to senior citizens — and all socio-economic circumstances — all people of all means. Thomas Jefferson taught us that an educated electorate is a prerequisite for a healthy democracy. He also said that libraries are essential to this.

There likely are other ways to resolve the current library funding problem. Whatever those are, the opportunity to do so is now. We can reduce and close libraries, or build upon our success. The choice we make will take special attention and effort, and have long-lasting consequences. As you might imagine, this issue will occupy a good deal of my time this year. I welcome your feedback, questions and comments.





## Pecha Kucha Vol. 25

Presenters for February's Pecha Kucha Night include (from left) Judy Gaughan, Amy King, Laura Getts, Bonnie Bowman, Dalila Mayo, Emily Gradisar, Cari Welsh, Mike Pettigrew and Ashley Bowen.



## Pueblo Girl essay winners

Winners and runners up of the 5th annual Pueblo Girl Essay contest gather for a group photo after February's award ceremony at Rawlings.



## Phenomenal woman, indeed

Colorado Humanities actor Becky Stone portrays Maya Angelou during February's Black History Month chautauqua.



Pueblo Academy of Arts students watch the Maya Angelou chautauqua.



## Thank you

Above photo: Jane Carlsen (left), longtime executive assistant to the executive director retired in February. Right photo: Jim Stuart retired from his position on the library Board of Trustees in January.



## Vampires do read out loud

Debbie Dadey, author of the children's book *Vampires Don't Wear Polka Dots*, speaks to schoolchildren during Read Out Loud event at Rawlings.



## Give us the scoop

Dr. Bhowmick explains the chemistry involved with making ice cream during the Fun Fridays STEM Activity at Rawlings in February.



## Storytime is the best time

The kids were all ears and all smiles at Storytime at the Y.

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## March 2019

### Saturdays

- Noon-2 p.m., American Sign Language for Beginners, RA, Training Room-3rd floor

### Sundays

- 1:30 p.m., Chess Club, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

### 1 Friday

- Noon-3 p.m., Perler Beads and Pizza, BK
- 12:30-2 p.m., *The Best of Dr. Seuss* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1 p.m., Cupcake Decorating Class, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Lunch and Learn: Clay Installation, LB
- 2 p.m., Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!, GV
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo Zoo, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 3:30-5 p.m., Free Legal Self-Help Clinic, LB
- 4 p.m., Maker Mania: Make Soap, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 5-8 p.m., 2019 Southern Colorado Photography Society Reception and Awards, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 6-8 p.m., Sip 'n' Stroke, GV

### 2 Saturday

- 10 a.m.-noon, Online Gaming Club: Roblox, GI
- 10-11:30 a.m., Bullet Journal Club, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 10 a.m., StoryKeepers: Pueblo Stories and Orphanages, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 12:30-4 p.m., Southern Colorado Genealogical Society, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 2 p.m., Seuss-a-bration!, RA, Youth Services-1st floor
- 3 p.m., *Dr. Seuss' The Lorax* (PG) RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 3-5 p.m., Beginning Beadwork, GI

### 3 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Dr. Seuss' The Lorax* (PG) RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 4 Monday

- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Barkman Book Club, BK
- 5:30-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Quilters, PW

### 5 Tuesday

- 4:30-6 p.m., Teen Hangout: Mardi Gras Masks, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts: Rope Toys, LU
- 5 p.m., Gidone Book Club and Tea, GI
- 5:30-9 p.m., Pueblo West Writer's Group, PW
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Majongg Club, PW
- 6-8 p.m., Pueblo Model Railroad Association, PW

### 6 Wednesday

- 10-11:30 a.m., Pueblo West Daylight Book Club, PW
- 11 a.m., Drop In Tech Help, GV
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts: Tee Toys, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Pueblo Write Now, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6:30 p.m., The Idea Factory Presents: Fun Felted Cactus, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6:30-9 p.m., *Roman J. Israel, Esq.* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 7 p.m., Mindfulness Education and Meditation RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

### 7 Thursday

- 10 a.m.-1 p.m., The Hook Nook Crochet: Fresh Fruit, PW
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Needle Felted Leprechauns, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Animal Shelter Crafts: Doggy Treats, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor



## March 2019

### 8 Friday

- 11 a.m., Joey and Sienna: Irish Tales of Luck!, BK
- 11 a.m., Zumba Kids, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- Noon, Outstanding Women Awards Luncheon, RA, 2nd floor
- 12:30-2 p.m., *Meet the Robinsons* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1 p.m., Ceramic Painting, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Lunch and Learn, LB
- 2 p.m., Dumbo Party, GV
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo Zoo, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 4 p.m., Maker Mania: Exploding Science, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Nerf Lockin, BK

### 9 Saturday

- 2-4 p.m., Computer Help with Jeff, GI
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo West Genealogy Club, PW
- 2-4 p.m. Origami Odyssey, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 2-4 p.m., *Despicable Me* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 3-5 p.m., Pinch Proof! St. Patrick's Day Pins, RA
- Idea Factory-2nd floor

### 10 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Despicable Me* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 11 Monday

- 6:30-9 p.m., *Suffragette* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater -4th floor

### 12 Tuesday

- 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Pueblo West Women's League Monthly Meeting, PW
- 2 p.m., Resolve to be Ready With Home Preparedness, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 3-5 p.m., Teen Hangout: Bottle Cap Charms, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Perler Beads, LU
- 5-6:30 p.m., Family Craft Time: Dream Catchers GI
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Nights: Laser Tag Edition, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 6-7:30 p.m., To Dye For, RA
- Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6-8 p.m., Research Session, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor
- 6-8 p.m., *Eating You Alive* (NR), BK
- 6-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Open Sew, PW

### 13 Wednesday

- 4 p.m., T-Shirt Hacks, GI
- 4-6 p.m., Happy Little Tree Painting Hangout, BK
- 4:30 p.m., Make Butter Slime, LU
- 7 p.m., Mindfulness Education and Meditation RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

### 14 Thursday

- 10:30 a.m., Memory Cafe, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 1-3 p.m., Machine Embroidery Club, PW
- 3 p.m., Digital Memory Lab Orientation, RA, Rawlings Training Room, 3rd floor
- 4 p.m., Teen Candle Making, GV
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Yoga, GV
- 7 p.m., The Unconventional Women of the West, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 7-9 p.m., *IRIS* (NR), LB

### 15 Friday

- 10 a.m., Cool Science with Steelworks, BK
- 11 a.m., Dumbo Party, GI
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., PIE Day 3.14, LU
- 12:30-2 p.m., *Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1 p.m., Sit means Sit, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Lunch and Learn: Fish Prints, LB
- 2 p.m., Dumbo Party, BK
- 2-4 p.m., Pueblo Zoo, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

## Computer classes

Classes are free. For more info/questions on programs call (719) 562-5600 or visit [www.pueblolibrary.org](http://www.pueblolibrary.org)

## One-on-one tech assistance

### Tech Talk

Mondays, **10 a.m., PW**

### Open Learning Lab

**RA, Training Room, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor**

Mondays, **10 a.m.-noon**

Thursdays, **Noon-2 p.m.**

### Drop In Tech Help

Wednesday, March 6, **11 a.m., GV**

### Computer Help with Jeff

Saturday, March 9, **2-4 p.m., GI**

### Tech Time

Thursday, March 28, **2-4 p.m., LB**



## DIY Resources

For more information or to register call (719) 562-5600 or visit [www.pueblolibrary.org](http://www.pueblolibrary.org)

### Digital Memory Lab Orientation

Thursday, March 14, **3 p.m., RA, Training Room-3rd floor**

Orientation for the new Digital Memory Lab- a space for free, DIY digitization of home movies and photographs. Orientation is required for Memory Lab users.



### The Music Box: Digital Recording Studio

**PW, Frank Lamb Room**

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

**Reservations must be made seven days in advance.**

Prior to booking a recording time, please contact Cory at (719) 562-5600 to set up an orientation. For a list of available equipment, please visit: [www.pueblolibrary.org/musicbox](http://www.pueblolibrary.org/musicbox).

## Hispanic Resource Center

For more info: Maria Smyer at (719) 562-5615 or email [maria.smyer@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:maria.smyer@pueblolibrary.org)

## Language Classes



### Sit. Stay. Read.

March 1-31, **RA, Hispanic Resource Gallery-2nd floor**

*Sit. Stay. Read.* by painter Steve Mason will be on display. For more information, email [moremoart@gmail.com](mailto:moremoart@gmail.com) or visit on Facebook and MoreMoArt.



### Sculptures by Wilber Arias

March 1-31, **RA, Hispanic Resource Gallery-2nd floor**

Local artist Wilber Arias will display his wood and stone pieces for the month of March. He owns Southwest Post Designs in Pueblo.



### Beginning Spanish

Saturdays, **12:15-2 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor**

### Conversational Spanish

Saturdays, **10:15-11:30 a.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor**

### Beginning English Nivel Principante

Mondays, **1-3 p.m., LU**  
Lunes, **1-3 p.m., LU**

### Intermediate English Nivel Intermedio

Wednesdays, **10 a.m.-noon, RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor**  
Miercoles, **10 a.m.-noon, RA, Bret Kelly B**

Wednesdays, **1-3 p.m., GI**  
Miercoles, **1-3 p.m., GI**

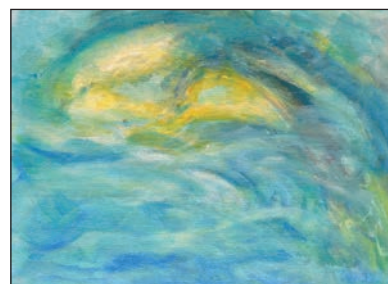
### Advanced English Nivel Avanzado

Tuesdays, **6-8 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B-1st floor**  
Martes, **6-8 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly B**

### Art4healing Workshop

Tuesday, March 19, **10 a.m.-noon, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Ages 8 and up. These monthly workshops are to support emotional healing through art and creative expression for those living in pain, grief, fear or stress.



# Movies

See a favorite film for FREE at one of the library locations listed

## Movies for adults

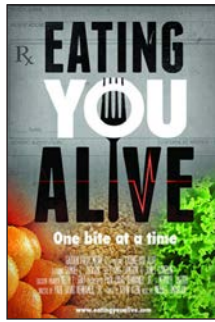
### Special Screenings

*Eating You Alive* (NR)

Tuesday, March 12, 6-8 p.m., BK

Tuesday, March 19, 6-8 p.m., LB

Join the plant based certified Parkview Mobile Nurses to watch the documentary film. Learn how simple dietary changes can help take back control of our health — one bite at a time.



Roman J. Israel, Esq.

### Wednesday Night Films

6:30 p.m., RA, InfoZone-4th floor

March 6: *Roman J. Israel, Esq.* (PG-13)

March 13: *Book Club* (PG-13)

March 20: *Den of Thieves* (R)

March 27: *American Made* (R)

### PBS POV Documentary

*IRIS* (NR)

Thursday, March 14,

7-9 p.m., LB

*IRIS* pairs the late documentarian Albert Maysles (Grey Gardens, Gimme Shelter), then 87, with Iris Apfel, the quick-witted, flamboyantly dressed 93-year-old style maven who has had an outsized presence on the New York fashion scene for decades.



### Indy Film Series

*Death and the Maiden* (NR)

Saturday, March 16, 4-6 p.m.

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Paulina Escobar (Sigourney Weaver) is a former political activist and torture victim. Her husband, Gerardo (Stuart Wilson), has just been appointed to head a commission on human rights violations. One night, the couple receives an unexpected visitor, Dr. Miranda (Ben Kingsley), who drops Gerardo off at the Escobars' isolated house after his car breaks down. Could the good doctor be Paulina's former torturer?



Dr. Seuss' *The Lorax*

## Movies for kids

### Weekend matinee

Saturdays/Sundays

2-4 p.m., \*unless otherwise noted

RA, InfoZone-4th floor

\*March 2, 3 p.m.- *Dr. Seuss' The Lorax* (PG)

March 3: *Dr. Seuss' The Lorax* (PG)

March 9, 10: *Despicable Me* (PG)

March 16, 17: *Despicable Me 2* (PG)

March 23, 24: *Teen Titans: Trouble in Tokyo* (NR)

March 30, 31: *Monkey Kingdom* (G)

### Teen Movie

3-5 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

March 18: *Hellboy* (PG-13) 2004

March 22: *Hellboy II: The Golden Army* (PG-13) 2008

### Friday Movies and Snacks

12:30-2 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

March 1: *The Best of Dr. Seuss* (NR)

March 8: *Meet the Robinsons* (G)

March 15: *Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs* (G)

March 22: *Dumbo* (G) 1941

March 29: *Land Before Time* (G)

### Family Movie

*Dumbo* (G) 1941

Saturday, March 23, 1:30-3 p.m., LB

A young circus elephant is born with comically large ears and given the cruel nickname Dumbo. Everything changes when Dumbo discovers that his enormous ears actually allow him to fly.

### Movie Matinee!

*The House with a Clock in its Walls* (PG)

Friday, March 29, 2-4 p.m., GV

Join us for a movie and fresh made popcorn: *The House with a Clock in its Walls*.

## March 2019

### 15 Friday, cont.

- 3 p.m., Robot Showdown, PW
- 4 p.m., Maker Mania: Harry Potter Crafts, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Video Game Lockin, BK

### 16 Saturday

- 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Photo Show Pickup RA, Foyer-4th floor
- 2-4 p.m., *Despicable Me 2* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 4-6 p.m., *Death and the Maiden* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 17 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Despicable Me 2* (PG), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 18 Monday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Robotics Day Camp, GI
- 11 am - 1 p.m., Spring Break Boredom Buster, LB
- 3-5 p.m., *Hellboy* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 4 p.m., Spring Break Snack, RA
- 7 p.m., Making Shapely Fiction, BK

### 19 Tuesday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 10 a.m.-noon, Art4healing Workshop, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 11 am - 1 pm, Spring Break Boredom Buster, LB
- 10:30 a.m., Mesa Neighbors Discussion Group, GI
- 2 p.m., Tie-Dye Madness, BK
- 2 p.m., Paracord Bracelets, LU
- 4 p.m., Spring Break Snack, RA
- 4-5:30 p.m., Teen Hangout: Board Game Blowout, LB
- 4-6 p.m., Adult Coloring, BK
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., *Eating You Alive* (NR), LB
- 6-8:30 p.m., Southern Colorado Watercolor Society, PW

### 20 Wednesday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 10:30 a.m.-noon, Cursive to Calligraphy, GI
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Spring Break Boredom Buster, LB
- 2 p.m., Giant Bubbles, LU
- 3-5 p.m., DIY Chakra Healing Bracelet, PW
- 3-5 p.m., Gaming Session, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 4 p.m., Spring Break Snack, RA
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Pueblo Write Now, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 6:30 p.m., Idea Factory Presents: Bath Soaks and Teas, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor
- 6:30-9 p.m., *Den of Thieves* (R), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Mystery Book Collaboration Group, PW

### 21 Thursday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 11 am - 1 p.m., Spring Break Boredom Buster, LB
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Masquerade Mask, LU
- 1-4 p.m., The Hook Nook Crochet: Fresh Fruit, PW
- 2 p.m., Perler Beads, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Decorative Horseshoes, LB
- 4 p.m., Make a Fairy Garden, GV
- 4 p.m., Spring Break Snack, RA
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night: Spring Break Special Edition, RA, Ryals Room-4th floor
- 6:30 p.m., Southern Colorado Astronomical Society, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Mystery Book Club, PW

### 22 Friday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Hunter Education Course, GV
- 10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., Vitalant Blood Drive, PW
- 11 a.m., Kids Zumba, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor



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### 22 Friday, cont.

- 11 a.m., Food and Nutrition Class, BK
- 12:30-2 p.m., *Dumbo* (G) 1941, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1 p.m., Kids Zumba, LU
- 2-4 p.m., *Dumbo Party*, RA, Youth Program Room-1st floor
- 3-5 p.m., *Hellboy II: The Golden Army* (PG-13), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 4 p.m., Spring Break Snack, RA
- 4 p.m., *Maker Mania: Pizza and Video Games*, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

### 23 Saturday

- All Day, Spring Break Arts and Craft, GI
- 9 a.m.-noon, Lacer Makers of Southern Colorado, PW
- 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Hunter Education Course, GV
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., *Dumbo Party*, LB
- 2-4 p.m., *Teen Titans: Trouble in Tokyo* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 3-5 p.m., *Dumbo Party*, PW

### 24 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Teen Titans: Trouble in Tokyo* (NR), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 25 Monday

- 11 a.m., Babywearing Dance Class, PW
- 6:30-8:30 p.m., *The Felted Dog: Flower Photo Hangers*, GV
- 6-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Open Sew, PW
- 6 p.m., Mo Jourdan Book Presentation, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Pueblo West Book Club, PW

### 26 Tuesday

- 4:30 p.m., Play Jenga, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8:30 p.m., Know Before You Go Electric, PW
- 6:30 p.m., Diddies, Drums and Dancing, RA, Ryals Room, 4th floor

### 27 Wednesday

- 10:30 a.m.-noon, Coffee and Coloring, PW
- 1-3 p.m., Greenhorn Valley Book Club, GV
- 3-5:30 p.m., Cardboard Creations, LB
- 4:30 p.m., Learn to play Marbles, LU
- 5-7 p.m., Research Session, RA, Special Collections-3rd floor
- 6:30 p.m., The History Round Table: The Roman Empire, PW
- 6:30-9 p.m., *American Made* (R), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 7-8:30 p.m., Origami Odyssey, RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

### 28 Thursday

- 10:30-noon, Adult Literacy Tutor Gathering, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor
- 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Lava Bead Bracelets, LU
- 2-4 p.m., Tech Time, LB
- 3-6 p.m., Sew Happy: Bunny Face Tote, PW
- 4:30 p.m., *Dumbo Party*, LU
- 5:30-7:30 p.m., Teen Night, RA, Teen Zone-2nd floor
- 6-8 p.m., Yoga, GV

### 29 Friday

- 12:30-2 p.m., Land Before Time (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 1 p.m., Draw Anime with Celeste, LU
- 1-3 p.m., Lunch and Learn: Dance Workshop, LB
- 2-4 p.m., *The House with a Clock in its Walls* (PG), GV
- 2-4 p.m., STEM Activity: Robots!, RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor
- 4 p.m., *Maker Mania: Learn About Owls* with NWDC, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

### 30 Saturday

- 9:30-11:30 a.m., Community Seed Exchange, RA, Thurston Room-1st floor
- 2-4 p.m., *Monkey Kingdom* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### 31 Sunday

- 2-4 p.m., *Monkey Kingdom* (G), RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

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## StoryKeepers: Pueblo Stories and Orphanages

**Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor**

This month's special guest is Herbie Chavez. We encourage all ages to join us for this community event where attendees can share their stories open mic style or just listen in an engaging comfortable atmosphere. Connecting generations and preserving legacies is our passion. Door prizes and refreshments provided.

## Memory Cafe: Garden Party

**Thursday, March 14, 10:30 a.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor**

Memory Cafe is a monthly program that encourages social interaction and activity for aging adults and their caregivers or families. Join us this month for a garden-themed party to decorate pots, plant flower seeds and play bingo!

# Programs at the Idea Factory

For more info or to register contact Sharon Rice at (719) 553-0213 or email [sharon.rice@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:sharon.rice@pueblolibrary.org)

The following programs are at **Rawlings Library, Idea Factory, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.** Unless otherwise noted.



## SoCo Makers Meetup

**Thursdays, 5:30-7 p.m.**

Southern Colorado tinkerers, hackers, makers, innovators and DIY creators are invited to share, collaborate and participate in the maker community.

## Origami Odyssey

**Sunday, March 9, 2-4 p.m.**

**Wednesday, March 27, 7-8:30 p.m.**

Open to Intermediate and advanced folders. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

## Bullet Journal Club

**Saturday, March 2, 10 a.m.**

Monthly group meets to work on Bullet Journals and to share ideas. Washi tape is provided, but bring your own journal and pens.

## Southern Colorado Astronomical Society: Messier Objects and Astrophotography

**Thursday, March 21, 6:30 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor**

Interested in learning about Messier objects and how to photograph them? Join us for a Messier Marathon — view all 110 objects in a single night — by attending this presentation. In addition to the program, there will be a discussion of astrophotography techniques.



# Adult Literacy

For more information, contact:  
Susanna Johnson at (719) 553-0206, or email [susanna.johnson@pueblolibrary.org](mailto:susanna.johnson@pueblolibrary.org)

## Volunteer tutors needed

Make an impact by empowering adult learners in our community! Experience the tremendous rewards that come with helping others achieve their educational, vocational, and personal goals. Volunteers are needed to help adults with reading, English language, or GED preparation. No experience necessary. Training and resources are provided.

## English Conversation Club

**Fridays, 9:30 a.m.-noon, PW**

Practice speaking English with this friendly group.

## Adult Literacy Tutor Gathering

**Thursday, March 28, 10:30-noon, RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor**

All literacy volunteers are invited to attend this gathering. Come to get support, share ideas and hear learning success stories.

## Idea Factory Presents: Fun Felted Cactus

**Wednesday, March 6, 6:30 p.m. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Ages 18 and up. Make a fun, felted cactus to take home to brighten your day. Supplies provided.

## Pinch Proof!

**St. Patrick's Day Pins**  
**Saturday, March 9, 3-5 p.m.**

Make St. Patrick's Day pins and buttons to make sure you're pinch proof this year! While supplies last.

## Idea Factory Presents: Bath Soaks and Teas

**Wednesday, March 20, 6:30 p.m. REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Ages 18 and up. Learn how to make relaxing and rejuvenating bath soaks and teas! Supplies provided.

# Special programs and events

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## Mindfulness Education and Meditation

Wednesday, March 6 and 13,  
7 p.m., RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Get an introduction to Mindfulness from Western Psychoanalytic and Buddhist perspectives. Why we practice mindfulness, what we hope to achieve, and how to do it. Also will include cultivation of compassion.

## Babywearing Dance Class

Monday, March 25, 11 a.m., PW

Appropriate for ages 0-24 months and their caregiver. Strap, wrap or just carry your baby in and be ready to bust some serious moves. Participants are encouraged to bring water bottles to the program.



## Diddies, Drums and Dancing

Tuesday, March 26, 6:30 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

All ages. Participate in percussion experience during this community drumming circle. Bring your friends and your favorite instrument. There will be extra instruments to play.



## Pueblo Write Now

March 6 and 20, 5:30-7:30 p.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

Enjoy this bimonthly opportunity to read, give and receive feedback, as well as share tips and advice with other local writers. This supportive community welcomes all experience levels and writers of all genres.

## Enter the Poetry Contest

See page 10 for details

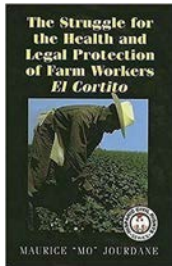
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## The Struggle for the Health and Legal protection of Farm Workers

### Mo Jourdane

Book Presentation  
Monday, March 25, 6 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Maurice "Mo" Jourdane, an attorney from California, worked with Cesar Chavez for several years. He will discuss his book, *The Struggle for the Health and Legal protection of Farm Workers*. Jordane contributed to the success of ending the required use of the short handled hoe — known as el Cortito — by agricultural workers.



## Resolve to be Ready With Home Preparedness

Thursday, March 12, 2 p.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor

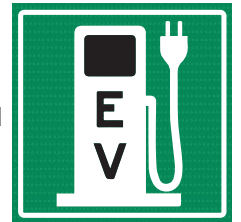
Preparing for an emergency is an essential step in keeping everyone safe when a disaster occurs. Learn the essentials for building an emergency plan at this free presentation. Co-sponsored by Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment. Presenters include: Vanessa Brazee and Ronald Sasaoka of the Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment (PDPHE). Refreshments provided.



## Know Before You Go Electric

Tuesday, March 26, 6-8:30 p.m., PW

Find out what's happening throughout Colorado in the world of electric vehicles. Learn about tips, costs and benefits of all-electric and plug-in hybrid cars. This free, interactive workshop is offered by, Colorado State University Extension, REOCA, Pueblo County Energy Office, San Isabel Electric Association and the Colorado Energy Office.



Pueblo West Library now has a Level 2 and Level 3 electric vehicle charging station. For more information about the chargers visit, [https://na.chargepoint.com/charge\\_point](https://na.chargepoint.com/charge_point)

## Hunter Education Course

March 22 and 23, 9 a.m.-6 p.m., GV

### REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

To register, visit: <https://register-ed.com/events/view/137729>

Ages 10 and up. Taught by Colorado Parks and Wildlife, this free course is necessary to receive a Colorado Hunter Education Card—a requirement for purchasing a hunting license in Colorado. Hunter Education cards will be awarded to students upon successful completion of the course. Course will include class sessions, a written exam and a live fire session. Absolutely no personal firearms are allowed.



# Monthly programs for adults

From book clubs to workshops, you'll find it here. For more information or to register call (719) 562-5600 or visit [www.pueblolibrary.org](http://www.pueblolibrary.org)

## Exhibit

### Southern Colorado Photography Society:

Photography Show exhibit  
March 1-15, RA, InfoZone Museum-4th floor

### Reception and Awards

Friday, March 1, 5-8 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor

Reception and award presentations for the photoshow. Food and drink provided.

### Photo Entry Pickup

Saturday, March 16, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., RA, Foyer-4th floor  
Photographer entry pick up.

## Health

### Tai Chi

Wednesdays, 6 p.m., PW

Join Lance Rochester, certified in Phys Ed. M.S.U., for eight simple exercises to improve balance, flexibility, strength, organ functions and overall well-being.

### Chair Yoga

Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 9:15 a.m., PW

With the help of a chair anyone can practice yoga with the same benefits of increased circulation, balance, flexibility, mobility and strength.

## Yoga

March 14 and 28, 6-8 p.m., GV

This class will apply the benefits of essential oils with meditation and the basics of beginning yoga with breathing exercises. A slower pace with more time spent on areas of focus.

## Vitalant Blood Drive

Friday, March 22,

10:30 a.m.-6 p.m., PW

Blood drive in Pueblo West Library parking lot.

## Learn It at the Library

### Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

Friday, March 1, 3:30-5 p.m., LB  
REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Call (719) 562-5600. A FREE legal clinic for parties who have no attorney, via computer link.



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# Monthly programs for adults

## Crafts

### Swedish Weavers & Needlework Group

**Mondays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., PW**  
All needle workers welcome.

### Cast-off Knitting and Craft Group

**Tuesdays, 1-4 p.m., PW**  
Bring knitting or other fiber art project to this weekly gathering.

### Crafty Needles

**Thursdays, 1-3 p.m., BK**  
Socialize while working on projects, share patterns and advice. Everyone is welcome.

### Fireside Crochet

**Fridays, 4 p.m., GI**  
Learn to crochet with Lori. Hot chocolate and tea provided.



### Sip 'n' Stroke

**Friday, March 1, 6-8 p.m., GV**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
**COST: \$25 FOR SUPPLIES**

Play and paint with painting instructor Randy Ford for an evening of fun, laughter, and creativity! Feel free to bring a beverage of your choice.

### Beginning Beadwork

**Saturday, March 2, 3-5 p.m., GI**  
Get started with beading.

### Needle Felted Leprechauns

**Thursday, March 7, 2-4 p.m., LB**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Ages 18 and up. Learn step by step how to create your own needle felted leprechaun.

### Animal Shelter Crafts

**Thursday, March 7, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**  
Make items that will later be donated to a local animal shelter.

### Hook Nook Crochet: Fresh Fruit

**Thursday, March 7, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., PW**  
**Thursday, March 21, 1-4 p.m., PW**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Create a quartet of decorative fruit. Please bring small amounts of medium yarn — approximately a golf ball-sized ball of each color — in lemon, raspberry, blueberry and strawberry. All skill levels welcome.

### Family Craft Time: Dream Catchers

**Tuesday, March 12, 5-6:30 p.m., GI**  
Come learn how to make your own dream catcher.

### Pueblo West Open Sew

**Tuesday, March 12, 6-8:30 p.m., PW**  
**Monday, March 25, 6-8:30 p.m., PW**  
Open sewing class with Pueblo West Quilters group.

### To Dye For

**Tuesday, March 12, 6-7:30 p.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Ages 13 and up. Learn to tie dye. Please bring a T-shirt or other article of clothing. Limit one article of clothing — 100 percent cotton — per person.

### Happy Little Tree Painting Hangout

**Wednesday, March 13, 4-6 p.m., BK**  
All ages. Enjoy hanging out and painting. Supplies provided, but you may also bring your own.

### PIE Day 3.14

**Thursday, March 14, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU**  
Registration required  
Use a variety of flavors to make your own mini-pie in celebration of PIE Day.

### Tie-Dye Madness

**Tuesday March 19, 2 p.m., BK**  
Have an item that needs a little color? Learn to tie-dye. Dyes included but attendees must bring item to be dyed.

### DIY Chakra Healing Bracelet

**Wednesday, March 20, 3-5 p.m., PW**  
Chakra bracelets are known to bring many healing benefits. Make your own custom bracelet. All materials provided.

### Decorative Horseshoes

**Thursday, March 21, 2-4 p.m., LB**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Ages 18 and up. Use wire, beads and other embellishments to create a lucky wall hanging.

### Masquerade Mask

**Thursday, March 21, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Create a festive mask.

### Lace Makers of Southern Colorado

**Saturday, March 23, 9 a.m.-noon, PW**  
Join other lace makers to work on projects and share tips and patterns.

### The Felted Dog: Flower Photo Hangers

**Monday, March 25, 6:30 PM - 8:30 p.m., GV**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
**COST: \$10 FOR SUPPLIES.**  
Ages 21 and up. Join Monique and Tracy from the Felted Dog for a fun evening of felting!



### Sew Happy: Bunny Face Tote

**Thursday, March 28, 3-6 p.m., PW**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**  
Create a fun bunny tote just in time for spring.



### Lava Bead Bracelets

**Thursday, March 28, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LU**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**  
Make a lava bead bracelet and infuse it with essential oils for a unique piece of jewelry.

## All Pueblo GROWS

### Seed Lending Library Gardening Community Seed Exchange

**Saturday, March 30, 9:30-11:30 a.m., RA, Thurston Room-1st floor**  
Join members of the Colorado Master Gardeners for this community seed exchange and learn about starting seeds indoors. All seed donations welcome. Free and open to the public.

### Genealogy

#### Southeastern Colorado Genealogical Society

**Saturday, March 2, 12:30 p.m., -4 p.m., RA, Ryals Room-4th floor**  
Carol L. Dunn will give a presentation about the coal mines in and around Florence. Mike Thomason will also present the Great Depression in Pueblo.

### Research Sessions

**Tuesday, March 12, 6-8 p.m., RA, Special Collections-3rd floor**  
Instructor: Charlene Garcia-Simms. Focus: Hispanic Genealogy with focus on New Mexico and Southern Colorado  
**Wednesday, March 27, 5-7 p.m., RA, Special Collections-3rd floor**  
Instructor: Noreen Riffe  
Focus: Finding Lineage

### Pueblo West Genealogy Club

**Saturday, March 9, 2-4 p.m., PW**  
Presentations on genealogy research skills followed by discussion. Topic: Tips and tricks for getting past brick walls



# Monthly programs for adults

## Book Clubs

### Barkman Book Club

Monday, March 4,  
5:30-7:30 p.m., BK

Book: *Soft Inheritance* by  
C. E. O'Grady.

### Book Club and Tea

Tuesday, March 5, 5-6:30 p.m., GI

Book: *The Masterpiece*  
by Fiona Davis.

### Daylight Book Club

Wednesday, March 6,  
10-11:30 a.m., PW

*The Great Alone* by Kristin Hannah

### Mystery Book Club

Thursday, March 21,  
7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *Boy Made of Dawn*  
by R. Allen Chapelle.

### Pueblo West Book Club

Monday, March 25,  
7-8:30 p.m., PW

Book: *Life After Life* by  
Katie Atkinson

### Greenhorn Valley Book Club

Wednesday, March 27,  
1-3 p.m., GV

Book: *The Secret Garden* by  
Frances Hodgson Burnett.

## Monthly Meetings

### The Society for Creative Anachronism

Wednesdays, 6-8:30 p.m., PW  
Visitors welcome.

### Pueblo West Quilters

Monday, March 4,  
5:30-8:30 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

### Pueblo Model Railroad Association

Tuesday, March 5, 6-8 p.m., PW  
Visitors welcome.

### Pueblo West Women's League

Tuesday, March 12,  
9 a.m.-2 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

### Machine Embroidery Club

Thursday, March 14, 9 a.m., PW  
Visitors welcome.

### Southern Colorado Watercolor Society

Thursday, March 19,  
6-8:30 p.m., PW

Visitors welcome.

## Interactive Groups

### Pueblo Storytellers

Mondays, 1-2:30 p.m., RA,  
Bret Kelly A-1st floor

All are welcome to share, or listen  
and have fun learning from each  
other as this group shares fantasy,  
poetry, memoirs, Pueblo history  
and more. Contact Jane Milne  
with questions, (719) 543-6234 or  
jcmilne606@gmail.com.

### Mahjong Club

Tuesdays, 6-8 p.m., PW

Mahjongg Club weekly game.

### Play Pinochle at the Library

Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon  
and 5:30-7 p.m., GV

Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon;  
5:30-7 p.m., GV

Ages 21 and up. Instruction not  
included.

### Hardknox Gang Intervention and Prevention

Fridays, 1:30 p.m., LU

All ages. Program focuses on  
addressing high risk/need areas  
such as the anti-social behaviors,  
thinking and personalities seen in  
gang members.

### American Sign Language for Beginners

Saturdays, Noon-2 p.m., RA,  
Training Room-3rd floor

Learn American Sign Language.  
Increase your knowledge to com-  
municate with others. This class is  
not for ASL Certification.

### Pueblo West Chess Club

Fridays, 5 p.m., PW

Play chess with this friendly  
group. All skill levels welcome.

### Pueblo West Writers Group

Tuesday, March 5,  
5:30-9 p.m., PW

Monthly meeting to network and  
share information about writing  
and publishing. Critique begins at  
5:30 p.m., meeting begins at 6:30.

### Making Shapely Fiction

Monday, March 18, 7 p.m., BK

Ages 13 and up. Write and discuss  
short stories using prompts from  
the book *Making Shapely Fiction*.  
Supplies and text provided.

## Mesa Neighbors Discussion Group

Tuesday, March 19, 10:30, GI

This month, José Ortega, from El  
Pueblo Museum will present on  
the Salt Creek Memory Project.

## Adult Coloring

Tuesday, March 19, 4-6 p.m., BK

Ages 18 and up. All materials  
provided.

## Mystery Book Collaboration Group

Wednesday, March 20,  
7-8:30 p.m., PW

Meet monthly to write a mys-  
tery book.

## Coffee and Coloring

Wednesday, March 27,  
10:30 a.m.-noon, PW

All materials provided.

## History Round Table: The Roman Empire

Wednesday, March 27,  
6:30 p.m., PW

An open forum for discussion  
and debate in which a different  
historical topic will be consid-  
ered each month. Participants  
may read any book(s) of their  
choice related to the topic and  
bring their knowledge and  
opinions to the discussion.

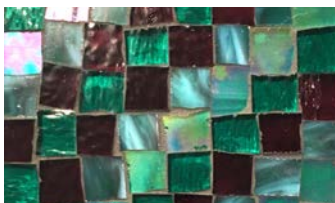
## COMING IN APRIL

## Waterwise Gardening

Saturday, April 6,  
9 a.m.-noon, PW

**REGISTRATION  
RECOMMENDED.**

Learn landscaping techniques  
to cope with Pueblo West's chal-  
lenging conditions. To register  
call (719) 547-1557 or  
(719) 482-4955 or email:  
CattailGardeners@gmail.com.



## Mosaic Glass Art

Monday, April 8, 10 a.m., BK  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Join instructors from the Little  
Glass Art Co. to create one-of-a  
kind glass mosaics.

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## All ages

### Youth Meals

Ages 1-18. Enjoy a free, cold meal.  
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**Mondays, 4 p.m., BK**

**Mondays-Thursdays, 3:45 p.m., LU\***

**Monday-Thursday, 5 p.m.,**

**RA, Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor**

\* Does NOT include the week of  
Spring Break (March 18-21)

### Friday Meals

**Noon and 4 p.m., RA,**

**Bret Kelly B-1<sup>st</sup> floor**

**1 p.m., LB, 4 p.m. BK, 4 p.m., LU**

### Saturday Snack

Ages 1-18.

**Saturdays, noon and 4 p.m., RA,**

**Bret Kelly A-1<sup>st</sup> floor**

### Homework Helper

**Wednesdays, 3:30 p.m., LB**

Assistance with homework.

## Spring Break

### Spring Break Snack

**March 18-March 22, noon and 4 p.m., RA,**

### Arts and Crafts

**March 18-23, All Day, GI**

Kids bored? Bring them by the library all week for a variety of arts and crafts available all day long for your convenience.

### Boredom Buster

**March 18-21, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LB**

Beat the boredom during spring break with snacks and activities.

## Kids (ages 0-8)

### Kids Club

**Mondays, 4 p.m., RA,**

**Youth Program Room**

Ages 5-8. A weekly program designed to encourage creativity while having fun!

**March 4:** Dr. Seuss Crafts

**March 11:** Crafts

**March 18:** Art

**March 25:** Puzzles and Coloring



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## Dumbo Party

Join us to celebrate Dumbo with fun circus crafts and activities.

**Friday, March 8, 2 p.m., GV**

**Friday, March 15, 11 a.m., GI**

**Friday, March 15, 2 p.m., BK**

**Friday, March 22, 2-4 p.m., RA, Youth Program Room**

**Saturday, March 23, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., LB**

**Saturday, March 23, 3-5 p.m., PW**

**Thursday, March 28, 4:30 p.m., LU**

### Watch the Movie

*Dumbo* (G) 1941

**March 22: RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor**

**March 23: 1:30-3 p.m., LB**

### Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!

**Friday, March 1, 2 p.m., GV**

Celebrate the birthday of Dr. Seuss with crafts and games.

### Seuss-a-bration!

**Saturday, March 2, 2 p.m., RA, Youth Services-1st floor**

A Seusstastical birthday celebration with loads of fun for everyone!

### Watch the movie

**March 2, 3 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor**

*Dr. Seuss' The Lorax* (PG)

### Online Gaming Club: Roblox

**Saturday, March 2 10 a.m.-noon, GI**  
**REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**

Join fellow online gamers to explore games together and make friends. This month ROBLOX. Some games will need parents permission to login.

## Enter a Contest!

Additional guidelines may be found on the entry forms, available at all library locations or online at [pueblolibrary.org/contests](http://pueblolibrary.org/contests).

### Poetry Contest

**Grades 2-Adult, Deadline: April 5**

Poets are invited to write a poem on a topic of their choice, written in any style.



### Bookmark Contest

**Grades K-12, Deadline: April 26**

Create a colorful bookmark on the theme of reading!



### BARKMAN

**Wednesdays**

**Preschool Storytime: 11 a.m.**

**Thursdays**

**Toddler Storytime: 10:30 a.m.**

### GIODONE

**Thursday**

**Family Storytime: 11 a.m.**

**Friday**

**Family Storytime: 2 p.m.**

### GREENHORN VALLEY

**Tuesdays**

**Music and Movement  
Storytime: 10:30 a.m.**

### LAMB

**Wednesdays**

**Toddler Storytime: 10:30 a.m.**

**Fridays**

**Preschool Storytime:  
10:30 a.m.**

### LIBRARY @ THE Y

**Mondays**

**Preschool Storytime:  
9:30 a.m.**

**Tuesdays**

**Preschool Storytime:  
9:30 a.m.**

### PUEBLO WEST

**Mondays**

**Signing Storytime: 2 p.m.**

**Tuesdays**

**Toddler Storytime:  
10, 10:30 a.m.**

**Thursday**

**Baby Storytime: 10 a.m.  
Family Storytime: 10:30 a.m.**

### RAWLINGS

**Mondays**

**Bilingual Storytime:  
10:30 a.m.**

**Wednesdays**

**Baby Storytime: 10 a.m.  
Toddler Storytime: 10:30 a.m.  
Preschool Storytime: 4:30 p.m.**

**Fridays**

**Family Storytime: 10:30 a.m.**



## Tweens (ages 9-12)

### Hangout

Thursdays, 4:30 p.m., RA

### Chess Club

Sundays, 1:30 p.m., RA,  
Bret Kelly A-1st floor

Learn to play or improve current skills. Beginners welcome. Some sets provided or bring your own.

### Robot Showdown

Friday, March 15, 3 p.m., PW

Build robots using Cubelets and Legos, then compete against others.

### Make a Fairy Garden

Thursday, March 21, 4 p.m., GV

Build a magical fairy garden of your very own. All supplies provided.

### Cardboard Creations

Wednesday, March 27,  
3-5:30 p.m., LB

Challenge yourself and your friends to create masterpieces and marvels out of cardboard!

## Fun Fridays

Fun enrichment programs, every Friday during the school year.

### Friday Meals

Ages 1-18. Enjoy a free, cold meal. Sponsored by Pueblo City Schools.

Noon and 4 p.m., RA,  
Bret Kelly A-1st floor

1 p.m., LB, 2 p.m., LU, 4 p.m. BK

### Lunch and Learn at Lamb

2-4 p.m.

March 1: Clay Installation with Kate Fox

March 8: Lunch and activity

March 15: Buell Children's Museum presents: Fish Prints!

March 22: Lunch and activity

March 29: Dance workshop presented by Buell Children's Museum

### Barkman Programs

Perler Beads and Pizza

March 1, noon-3 p.m.

Perler bead art and free pizza.

### Joey and Sienna:

Irish Tales of Luck!

March 8, 11 a.m.

Sienna and Joey battle a giant in this interactive show. Discover how border collies became so smart. Then find your rainbow and a bit of Irish Luck.

### Cool Science with Steelworks

March 15, 10 a.m.

Learn more about electricity through cool hands-on experiments

### Food and Nutrition Class

March 22, 11 a.m.

Grades 3-5. Learn more about nutrition and meals as you cook tasty treats alongside our instructor.

### Lucero programs

1 p.m.

#### Cupcake Decorating

March 1: Decorate St. Patrick Day cupcakes during this class hosted by Sweet Life Bake Shop.

#### Ceramic Painting

March 8: The Fire Playce will provide items for painting and will return the fired items by the next week.

#### Sit Means Sit

March 15: Sit means Sit will bring their therapy dogs for a visit.

#### Kids Zumba®

March 22: Learn new dance moves

#### Draw Anime with Celeste

March 29: Join Celeste as she teaches us to draw anime characters!

### Rawlings Programs

#### Friday Movies and Snacks

12:30-2 p.m.

RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

March 1: *The Best of Dr. Seuss* (NR)

March 8: *Meet the Robinsons* (G)

March 15: *Cloudy With a Chance of Meatballs* (G)

March 22: *Dumbo* (G) 1941

March 29: *Land Before Time* (G)

### Meet Animals from the Pueblo Zoo

2-4 p.m., RA, Bret Kelly A-1st floor

March 1, 8 and 15: Join the Pueblo Zoo for some crafts, activities and a



lots of learning about our unique prairie ecosystem. Meet some of the animal ambassadors that represent those found in the prairie and learn how to help care for this vital habitat.

## Teens (ages 13 and up)

### Hangout

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 3:30-5 p.m., PW

Hangout with friends, play games, make crafts and listen to music.

Tuesdays, LB

March 5, 4:30-6 p.m. - Mardi Gras Masks

March 12, 3-5 p.m. - Bottle Cap Charms

March 19, 4-5:30 p.m. - Board Game Blowout

### Kids Zumba®

March 8 and 22, 11 a.m., RA,  
InfoZone Theater-4th floor

### Maker Mania

4 p.m. RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor  
Make Soap

March 1: Make fun bars of soap with hidden treasures inside.

### Exploding Science

March 8: Experience chemistry and science — with a bang!

### Harry Potter Crafts

March 15: Celebrate the books and movies by making cool crafts from the series

### Pizza and Video Games

March 22: Play Mario Kart and enjoy pizza.

### Learn About Owls with NWDC!

Thurston Room-1st floor

March 29: Join the Nature and Wildlife Discover Center to learn about owls and their life cycles and meet a few in person!

### STEM Activity: Robots!

March 29, 2-4 p.m., RA, InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Join Dr. Duong and his friendly robots from the Physics Department. PCCLD and Communities to Build Active STEM Engagement presents a series of fun Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM) events.



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### Teen Night

Tuesdays, 5, 19, 26, 5:30 p.m., RA,

Teen Zone-2nd floor

Laser Tag Edition: March 12, RA,  
Ryals Room-4th floor

Thursdays, 7, 14, 28, 5:30 p.m., RA

Spring Break Edition: March 21,  
InfoZone Theater-4th floor

Thursdays, 3:30-5 p.m.,

PW, Jerry King B

Teen Advisory Board, crafts and movies.

### Candle Making

Thursday, March 14, 4 p.m., GV

Create and decorate scented jar candles. Supplies provided.

### Gaming Session

Wednesday, March 20, 3-5 p.m.,  
RA, Idea Factory-2nd floor

Celebrate Spring Break with board games and video games.

## Tweens and Teens Nerf Lockin

March 8, 6-8 p.m., BK

SIGNUP AND PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED.

Prizes and snacks provided. Please bring your own gun-extras are limited.

### Lucero Crafts

March 12, 4:30 p.m. - Perler Beads

March 13, 4:30 p.m. - Make Butter Slime

March 19, 2 p.m. - Make Paracord Bracelets

March 21, 2 p.m. - Perler Beads

March 26, 4:30 p.m. - Play Jenga

March 27, 4:30 p.m. - Learn to Play Marbles

### T-Shirt Hacks

Wednesday, March 13, 4 p.m., GI

Ages 11 and up. Create T-shirts with vinyl, paints or both. Tees provided, or bring your own.

### Video Game Lock-In

March 15, 6-8 p.m., BK

SIGNUP AND PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED.

After-hours video game lock-in.

### Robotics Day Camp

Monday, March 18,

10 a.m.-6 p.m., GI

REGISTRATION REQUIRED.

Ages 10-17. Learn how to build a rover. In teams of four, earn to code an arduino, design and assemble a robot and learn basic circuitry. Pizza provided.

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Tuesdays

9 a.m. – 2 p.m., LU

Wednesdays

10 a.m.-3 p.m.  
RA, Training Room-3rd floor

Fridays:

9 a.m.-2 p.m., PW

Special Tax Event Day

March 23, April 13,  
10 a.m.-2 p.m., RA, Training  
Room-3rd floor

No appointment necessary, seen on a first come-first served basis.  
Questions, call (719) 296-8768, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.,  
or visit: [www.pueblounitedway.org/vita](http://www.pueblounitedway.org/vita)

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- If filing a joint return, both spouses must be present to sign required forms
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