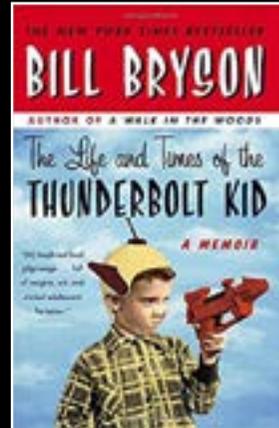


## Books with a Sense of Humor



I enjoy books in a gladiatorial sort of way. Let me clarify.

If I lived ten lifetimes, I'd still never get through my to-read list. Working in a library doesn't help. I can add twenty titles a week if I'm being conservative about it. And reading time can be sparse when it competes with parenting, eating and sleeping. So, how do I sort it all out?

I start five books at a time and stick with the one that grabs my attention the most. Ruthless? Maybe. Effective? Well, I've found a lot of great reads this way, and some of them really started as underdogs. I may return to finish the runner-up, but often I've got five more contenders ready to take the arena by then, so I make no promises.

Watching books fight to the death for my attention has brought something to my attention, though. I like books with a sense of humor. It's a quality that several of the winners have shared. Sometimes it's witty, sometimes ironic, sometimes it's just silly, but a book is already ahead of the game if it can inspire quiet inward LOLs.

This is not to say that I only read books that would be filed under "Humor." I have a weak spot for Mysteries, Biographies, Horror, Speculative Fiction and How-To Manuals for Writing Newsletter Articles. As much as I love the likes of Tina Fey or Jim Gaffigan, I seem to keep comedians low on the list. It's the effect that humor has on storytelling that I love.

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## Books with a Sense of Humor (continued)

How about some examples?

Mystery: I'm often amazed how much we can laugh at a book genre that's centered around murder. But who doesn't love quirky detectives and their unenviable partners? I seem not to be alone on this one. Janet Evanovich's Stephanie Plum series just launched its twenty-fourth volume last November, and Lee Goldberg's Mr. Monk books turned into an eight-season run when it became a tv series. Are you in the mood to laugh at some first-degree felonies? You might try [A Welcome Murder](#) by Robin Yocum or Michael Resnick's [Eli Paxton](#) series.

Biography: The easy example here is Frank McCourt's moving memoir, *Angela's Ashes*. Hardly a comedy, and yet it's his levity that gives the book its magnetism. Sometimes, humor serves to emphasize the human experience of tragedy. Done well, this can have a powerful effect. Trevor Noah's [Born a Crime](#) received some high acclaim for just this sort of storytelling. I'll also cheat by throwing in Bill Bryson's [The Life and Times of the Thunderbolt Kid](#) here. Granted, he tends to write travel fiction, but I didn't include that as a category. The point is... uh... Just read it, it's funny.

Horror: I don't know what it is about lacing the horrifying with humor that seems to make it all that much more horrifying! And yet it's true. Why else would so many people be afraid of clowns? Not every author can infuse these two variants and do it well, but there are some great exceptions. (ahem... Neil Gaiman.) And they are definitely worth checking out. If you like to giggle as you scream, you could try John Connolly's [The Gates](#). Or, if you're only in the mood for light scares, you might enjoy Edgar Cantero's [Meddling Kids](#).

Speculative Fiction: This is the catch-all for Sci-fi, Fantasy, Steam Punk, Get Rich Quick Schemes, and Fairy Tales. I have a love/hate relationship to these. I'm drawn to them for their imaginative subject matter, but I can only deal with so much epic solemnity before I start rooting for the aliens. (or goblins, automatons, pyramid schemes, bridge trolls... You get the idea.) If you're looking for some sarcasm with your sword and sorcery, you want [Kings of the Wyld](#) by Nicholas Eames. Or, if you're in the mood for outer space capers because you're still mourning Firefly fifteen years later, you could try [Dark Run](#) by Mike Brooks.

How-To Manuals for Writing Newsletter Articles: None. Seriously. These are not funny at all.

I'm not saying that everything we read should make us laugh. For instance, a joke in the nutrition information on a soup can would be off-putting when you really just want to watch your sodium levels. But, when vying for my attention, books are better armed with the trident of humor than the sword of... uh... brooding melancholy... or something. (The How-To Manual lacked a chapter on effective metaphors. Just go with me on this.)

So, in the immortal words of that coliseum guy who yells things to the audience, "Let the games begin!"

~ David Sharp, Librarian, Lincoln Park Library

## Welcome our new Executive Director

# Dr. Matthew Hорт



The High Plains Library District Board has appointed Dr. Matthew Hорт as the new Executive Director.

“Dr. Hорт brings with him a wealth of knowledge and experience. His aptitude for public libraries will strengthen the High Plains Library District and enhance service to our community,” said Ken Poncelow, Chairman of the HPLD Board.

Hорт will be leaving his position as the City Librarian for the City of Santa Clarita Public Libraries in California. He has over sixteen years of progressive experience in public libraries working at all levels in both Nevada and California. He holds a Master’s Degree in Library Science from the University of North Texas and a Doctorate of Philosophy in Public Affairs from The University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

“I am honored to have been selected as the next Executive Director of the High Plains Library District,” said Dr. Hорт. “My goal is to continue to build upon the wonderful services the District already offers and to work to ensure that everyone continues to see the HPLD as the first and best resource for learning. I am looking forward to helping make the District an even more vital community asset and leading HPLD into the future.”

Hорт was selected as the Director from a pool of 27 candidates. Hорт will begin working in early April.

## Coming Soon!

High Plains Library District is beginning construction of an all-ages community play space in the courtyard of Riverside Library and Cultural Center to be completed Spring 2018. The play space is made possible by support from the High Plains Library District Foundation, generous community donations, and the Let’s Play Community Construction grant from Dr Pepper Snapple Group and national non-profit KaBOOM! Keep an eye out for more details about the Build Day event TBA.





*Have you experienced your library lately? Centennial Park Library hosted the "Art as Invitation" exhibit and reception that featured the art work of multicultural children from the Little Learners Preschool at the Immigrant and Refugee Center of Northern Colorado.*

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### STITCHES & STORIES LITTLE QUILT SHOW

Continuing through April 30  
Lincoln Park Library

March is National Quilting Month, and in celebration of quilts (and the stories behind them) Lincoln Park Library and Sew Downtown are showcasing the entries from the quilt contest.

### CHILDREN | SPRING CHICKENS AT ERIE: WATCH THE EGGS HATCH

April 2-6  
Erie Community Library

Drop in to see the hatched chicks and learn about caring for the chicks.

*This is a partnership with the CSU Extension Office.*

### CHILDREN | INSTRUMENT EXPLORERS

April 3, 3:00-4:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Everyone is musical! Sing, dance, and express yourself as we learn about scrapers, shakers, and strikers! Make one instrument to take home. Space will be limited to the first 30 children Grades K-2.

### ADULTS | PHOTOGRAPHY BASICS AND BEYOND

April 3, 6:00-7:30 pm  
Erie Community Library  
[Registration required.](#)

April 15, 2:00-3:30 pm  
Riverside Library  
[Registration required.](#)

Move from snapshots to strong images you'll be proud to share. Photography instructor Bob Dean will teach camera basics, image capture, basic composition, light, and some advanced composition guidelines. *Bring your camera and camera manual so Bob can help you make the most of its features.*

### TEENS | ESCAPE CHALLENGE: REBEL REVOLT

April 5, 4:00-6:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Join the rebellion! During this unique escape challenge experience, solve puzzles, decode messages and complete challenges using your phone to successfully finish your mission before the other teams. Bring your smart phone. No phone? No problem, we will have electronics available for you to borrow. [Registration required.](#) Grades 6-12.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | "FLIP OUT" WITH FLIPSTER AND HOOPLA

April 6, 10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Learn to download or stream movies, music, television, magazines, comic books, and eBooks for free at the library using Hoopla and Flipster. *Bring your device and library card with you to class.* [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | FREE EBOOKS, EMOVIES, EMUSIC AND EMAGAZINES

April 6, 10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Want to learn how to borrow eBooks, eMovies and other digital content from the library? Just need a refresher? Drop in to learn Libby by Overdrive, Hoopla, and Flipster in a fun and friendly environment.

## ADULTS | FREE TAX RETURN PREPARATION

Fridays through April 13  
By Appointment Only - 12, 1, 2 or 3 pm  
Erie Community Library

The Erie Community Library is participating with the AARP Tax-Aide program to provide free income tax preparation for tax year 2017. Taxpayers must bring the following documents: picture ID; Social Security cards or other documents with social security numbers for primary taxpayer, spouse and dependents; all IRS documents such as W-2s, 1099-Rs, Social Security statements, investment statements, etc.; record of expenses if itemizing deductions; and copy of last year's tax return is requested, but not required. *To make an appointment, call the library at 1-888-861-7323.*

## BEYOND THE CLASSROOM FOR GRADES 3-5

Fridays, 1:00-2:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

April 6: **Boom Whackers** - Make music by whacking tubes. [Registration required.](#)

April 13: **Astonishing, Brilliant Bats!** Learn about these super-powered, nocturnal, insect-chomping mammals through echolocation and sonar activities and bat crafts. [Registration required.](#)

April 20: **Butterflies: The Original Transformers-** Join us as we prepare homes for Painted Lady butterfly larvae and discover fun facts about butterfly metamorphosis. The butterflies will then be on public display at the library so you can watch some very hungry caterpillars eat and then grow until they are ready to go! [Registration required.](#)

April 27: **Slime Time** - Come make different slimes and play dough. Dress to make a mess. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | BADLY BEHAVED! UNCONVENTIONAL WOMEN OF THE WEST

April 6, 2:00-4:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Meet the baddest belles of the west! While not technically breaking laws, these willful women secured their places in Western history by breaking some significant glass ceilings. Doctors, researchers, scientists and mountain climbers... learn about the way that these women challenged female roles and helped to inspire and build the foundations for the women of today.

## CHILDREN | LITTLE EXPLORERS: ANIMAL EXPLORATION WITH THE COLORADO BALLET

April 7, 10:30-11:30 am  
Riverside Library

Learn how to shake, shimmy, and slide like your favorite animal! We will play with exciting props, sing songs, and read fairytales all while dancing and sharing our favorite animal stories. Limited to the first 25 children.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## TEENS | BOARD GAMES FOR BORED PEOPLE

April 7, 2:00-4:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Are you bored or just looking for something fun to do on a Saturday afternoon? Compete in classic games like Monopoly and Clue or challenge your friends and family to some new favorites like Superfight and Exploding Kittens. Bring a favorite game from home to share with new friends, or discover a game you've never played! Refreshments and door prizes will be provided. Ages 10+

## CHILDREN | BILINGUAL STORYTIME

April 7; 2:00-2:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

April 21 & 28, 2:00-2:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Do you want to hear a storytime in languages other than English? Join us as we begin our journey exploring storytimes in Spanish, Somali, Burmese, and Rohingya. *This project is in partnership with the Buell Foundation and Family Connects - a program on North Range Behavioral Health.*

## ADULTS | INTRODUCTION TO ONLINE DATING SERVICES

April 7, 3:00-4:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Looking for Mr. or Mrs. Right? Tried finding that special someone online? Learn about some of the most popular free and paid online dating sites. Learn how to create an account and a profile. The rest is up to you.

## ONE BOOK 4 COLORADO GIVEAWAY

April 9-23

One Book 4 Colorado gives away 75,000 copies of the same book to every 4-year-old in the state from April 9-23 in all public libraries. Come to your library to pick up your child's book in English or Spanish.

## NEW! AT CARBON VALLEY REGIONAL LIBRARY 2ND MONDAY OF THE MONTH

### ADULTS | FREE LEGAL SELF-HELP CLINIC

April 9, 3:30-5:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

A Free Legal Self-Help Clinic for parties who have no attorney, via computer link. Volunteer attorneys will assist you one-on-one, to answer questions, help fill out forms, and explain the process and procedure for the legal issues in the areas of family law, civil litigation, property law, probate law, collections, appeals, landlord-tenant law, veteran's benefits, and civil protection orders. The volunteer attorneys do not represent you just because they help you at this clinic. Walk-ins are welcome; no appointment necessary. Everyone will be helped on a first-come, first-served basis.

### ADULTS | TOTAL WELLNESS: THE RUNNER'S FOOT

April 9, 6:30-7:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Get your running program off on the right foot this spring! Attend this physician-led lecture on foot biomechanics and ways to prevent foot pain from putting the brakes on your training program. Dr. Eric Kuhlman, a fellowship-trained foot and ankle surgeon, will discuss the optimal way to start a running program and how to prevent common injuries. After this talk, you'll have a chance to ask questions, too.

### ADULTS | MONEY MATTERS: BUYING OR REFINANCING A HOME

April 10, 6:00-7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Are you curious about home mortgages or refinancing an existing mortgage? We'll cover it all, from checking your credit to being handed the keys. Learn about loan types, down payments, the current market, choosing a Realtor, fees, buying or renting considerations, and more. This is a major investment; we want to help you be well informed.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | INTRO TO WORD

April 11, 1:00-2:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Polish your word processing skills and learn to navigate Word's options, use basic functions and features, and how to create letters and simple documents. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | CRAIGSLIST 101

April 11, 6:00-7:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Learn how to post your own ad and reply to another poster's ad. We'll also tour the various areas of Craigslist and teach you to search safely and strategically. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | KEVIN COOK PRESENTS SEARCHING FOR LIFE AS IT COMES

April 12, 12:00-1:30 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Life flows through the year at its own pace, ignoring the precision of mathematically calculated seasons based on relative positions of Earth and Sun. A wildflower blooms here and a bird sings there. Tidbit by tidbit, Life shuts down winter and delivers spring to us.

## TEENS | MYTHICAL CREATURE LANTERNS

April 12, 4:00-6:00 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

Join us as we create our own mythical creature lanterns using Cricut technology, LED circuits and vivid imaginations! (That's the part you'll be providing.) Take home an awesome lantern of your own creation and bask in its glow. [Registration required](#); ages 12-18.

## ADULTS | PHOTOGRAPHS AND CONVERSATIONS ABOUT AN AFRICAN SAFARI

April 12, 6:30-7:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Jonathan from the Erie Community Library will show pictures from his two month African safari and talk about some of the highlights as well as answer questions. [Registration required](#); ages 16+.

## ADULTS | REDDIT 101

April 13, 10:00-11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library

What is Reddit, and how is it useful for me? Come and explore the ins and outs of one of the world's biggest knowledge platforms in a safe class environment. We'll take you beyond cute cat videos to information that can improve your finances, health, connections to others and more! [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | INTRO TO EXCEL

April 13, 12:00-1:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Excel is a tool that is always in demand in the workforce. This class is designed for beginners. We'll get you comfortable with the basics, and give you the tools that will make you an expert. Participants should be comfortable with using Windows computers, mouse and keyboard. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | SBDC START-UP SEMINARS

April 17, 6:00-7:45 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

This free comprehensive program is a starting place for anyone who is considering jumping into business for the first (or second) time. This seminar will provide you with a Colorado Start-Up Guide, free library resources to support your business and websites, as well as a general overview of the things to consider when starting a business. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | INTRO TO EMAIL

April 18, 1:00-3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Sign up for a gmail email account and learn how to send and receive email, practice attaching a file to an email and downloading attachments that have been send to you. [Registration opens 3/19.](#)

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## TEENS & ADULTS | GEEK PHILOSOPHY: DOCTOR WHO!

April 19, 4:30-6:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Are you ready for a timey wimey adventure? Explore big ideas inspired by the sci-fi series *Doctor Who*. Join Grey Havens Group, Inc. for a multi-generational geek philosophy discussion. During our live viewing of an episode, be ready to think deeply and ask big questions. [Registration opens 3/19](#); ages 11+.

## ADULTS | LOCAL HISTORY SERIES: COLORADO'S DEADLIEST FLOODS

April 19, 7:00-8:00 pm  
Erie Community Center, 450 Powers Street

Join Darla Sue Dollman, author of *Colorado's Deadliest Floods*, as she tells us about the the history of flooding in Colorado as well as the local area. The presentation will discuss the Floods of 1876 and 2013, and everything in between. *Darla worked as a photojournalist for thirty-eight years covering weather disasters for local and national news sources, magazines, and websites. She served on the English department faculty at Colorado State University. She now volunteers with the National Weather Service as a storm spotter in Weld County.*

## ADULTS | FACEBOOK FOR BEGINNERS

April 20, 10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Facebook can be a big plunge into the social networking world. In this class, we will cover your profile, newsfeed, adding friends and messaging. We'll answer all your questions about security settings, privacy, and who can see what you share. *Bring your device (optional), existing Facebook account info (preferred) or email account info.* [Registration opens 3/21.](#)

## ADULTS | SPRING BIRDING SERIES: BIRD WATCHING IN ERIE

April 21, 1:00-3:00 pm  
Erie Lake - Highway 287, North of Arapahoe Rd,  
O Reservoir Rd, Erie

Meet us at the parking lot of Erie Lake to join us for a bird watching walk led by Ted Floyd, Editor of the American Birding Association flagship publication, "Birding Magazine". He'll give an "in the field" lesson on bird watching and species identification. Every experience level is welcome! You're encouraged to bring guide books, binoculars, a camera or even just your cell phone.

## CHILDREN | READY, SET, CREATE! POWER FROM NATURE: WIND ENERGY

April 21, 2:00-3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

In this engineering challenge, learn about renewable energy sources and emerging technologies associated with wind power. All supplies are provided, and parents/caregivers are encouraged to participate with their children. [Registration required](#); Grades 2-5.

## TEEN SELF-CARE FAIR

April 21, 2:00-4:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Learn about healthy ways to relax and practice self-care. We will provide healthy snacks, yoga instructions and DIY self care projects.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL OBSERVANCES

### BOOK DISCUSSION: TRAIN BY DANNY COHEN

April 23, 7:00-8:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Over ten days in 1943 Berlin, six teenagers witness and try to escape the Nazi round-ups of Jews and Roma. Giving voice to the unheard victims of Nazism - the Roma, the disabled, homosexuals, intermarried Jews, and political enemies of the Nazi regime - this historical thriller will change how we think about Holocaust history. This discussion will be facilitated by Mary Billings and Jeri Kraver, Ph.D. Complimentary copies of the book are available to the first 20 registrants.

[Registration opens 3/26.](#)

### FILM DISCUSSION: NO PLACE ON EARTH

April 27, 1:00-3:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

In October of 1942, Esther Stermer, along with some family members and a group of other families, seek asylum underground to evade being caught by pursuing Nazis. They remain hidden below for nearly a year and a half - the longest recorded uninterrupted underground survival occurrence. Their harrowing story is unearthed by accident when cave explorer, Chris Nicola, stumbles upon remnants left behind by the cave dwellers. Through extensive research and determination, Nicola locates a few of the survivors and has them share their incredible story of strength and perseverance.

### IDENTITY AND EMPATHY: THE IMPORTANCE OF ART IN HOLOCAUST STUDIES

April 28, 10:30 am-12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us for an exploration of the importance of art in Holocaust studies. Dr. Mark Thorsen of the Colorado Holocaust Educators will look at the power of the arts to inform our understanding of Holocaust History and its importance in contemporary discourse.

## ALL AGES | 3D PRINTING: THE BASICS

April 24, 6:00-7:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Come learn how 3D printers work! Get hands on experience with 3D printing tools to become a 3D printer yourself, while also receiving the information needed to utilize the library's 3D printing capabilities. [Registration opens 3/25](#); ages 10+.

## ADULTS | INTRODUCCIÓN A LAS COMPUTADORAS

April 25, 9:30-11:30 am  
Riverside Library

Aprenda las operaciones básicas de una computadora, incluyendo como prender y apagar la computadora, navegar ventanas, y abrir y cerrar programas. Vamos a explorar el fondo de escritorio, archivos, carpetas, menús y también les mostraremos cómo guardar y almacenar su trabajo.

## CHILDREN | LEAP INTO SCIENCE: BE AN ENGINEER!

April 25, 4:00-5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Have you ever found a creative way to solve a problem or thought of a new way of doing something? This is what engineers do all the time! Join us as we read "Rosie Revere, Engineer" by Andrea Beaty and work together to solve dilemmas through observations, predictions, and tests! [Registration required](#); Grades K-2.

## TEENS | HAMILTONS: A LIBRARY REVOLUTION

April 26, 4:30-6:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Embrace Hamilton-mania and sing along with fellow fans of the Broadway musical! You will compete in a trivia contest on history and the show, write like you're "running out of time," and participate in a lyric throwdown to prove you're Hamilton's biggest fan! Costumes encouraged. [Registration required](#); Grades 6-12.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | BIKE ACROSS AMERICA: STORIES FROM THE ROAD

April 26, 6:00-8:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

This man rode across America on a bicycle. Three times! Local author Steve Garufi will inform and entertain as he divulges some of the trials and challenges he has faced on the road. Find out what happened when his bike was stolen in the midst of his journey, how he overcame the temptation to quit, and hear about some of the characters he met on his trip. You'll be inspired to dream big! Steve will also be happy to answer questions for those interested in doing their own long-distance bike tour.

## ADULTS | FACEBOOK: BEYOND BASICS

April 27, 10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

You know how to request friends, share pictures, and make status updates on Facebook. Are you ready to go to the next level and get the most out of your Facebook account? We'll explore using Facebook features to find a level of privacy that's right for you and how to manage groups, photographs, likes, and friend lists. *Prerequisites: an established Facebook account with a basic understanding of how to use Facebook.* [Registration opens 3/28.](#)

## ADULTS | VIDEO GAMES FOR SENIORS

April 27, 10:00 am-12:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Video games are a big part of modern life, but can be intimidating for beginners. Learn to play in a fun and friendly environment! Don't want to play? Learn how to talk to kids and grandkids about their favorite games without playing them. [Registration opens 3/28.](#)

## TEENS | 80S ARCADE NIGHT

April 27, 6:00-7:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Do you have what it takes to conquer Donkey Kong while Walking Like an Egyptian? Well hop in your Delorean and get ready to "phone home" as we transform the library into a totally tubular 80s video arcade. Compete in classic video and board games, dance to your favorite retro hits and play "Tron Tag" as teens take over the library! 80s costumes encouraged.

## UNWIND - STRESS REDUCTION TECHNIQUES FOR TEENS

April 28, 2:00-3:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Are you feeling overwhelmed, overburdened, at wit's end? Would you like to learn new skills and tricks to regain your calm? Join us for an innovative and interactive program in which we discover how stress impacts your body and mind, learn to identify your stress-triggers, and develop tools to cope with those negative feelings. Wear comfortable clothes. We will be experimenting with stress management techniques, such as yoga, stretching, deep breathing, meditation, etc., as well as crafting nifty gadgets and tools to help you regain your focus when stress arises. [Registration opens 3/18;](#) Grades 6-12.

## CHILDREN | WEIRD BUT TRUE!

April 30, 4:00-5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Spiders have clear blood. In 1919, 21 people drowned in molasses in Boston. You can make diamonds out of peanut butter. A tiger's skin is striped like its fur. The planet Venus spins backward. Think that's weird? Explore your weird world with zany activities, experiments, and trivia from the National Geographic Kids series, "Weird But True." [Registration required;](#) Grades 3-5.



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### **Administration & Support Services**

2650 West 29th Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
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### **Carbon Valley Regional Library**

7 Park Avenue, Firestone, CO 80504  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Centennial Park Library**

2227 23rd Avenue, Greeley, CO 80634  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Eaton Public Library**

132 Maple Avenue, Eaton, CO 80615  
(970) 454-2189

### **Erie Community Library**

400 Powers Street, Erie, CO 80516  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Farr Regional Library**

1939 61st Avenue, Greeley, CO 80634  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Fort Lupton Public & School Library**

425 S. Denver Avenue, Fort Lupton, CO 80621  
(303) 857-7180

### **Glenn A. Jones, M.D. Memorial Library**

400 S. Parish Avenue, Johnstown, CO 80534  
(970) 587-2459

### **Hudson Public Library**

100 S. Beech Street, Hudson, CO 80642  
(303) 536-4550

### **Kersey Library**

415 1st Street, Kersey, CO 80644  
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### **Lincoln Park Library**

1012 11th Street Suite B, Greeley, CO 80631  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Nantes Library**

703 Birch Street, Gilcrest, CO 80623  
(970) 737-1035

### **Northern Plains Public Library**

216 2nd Street, Ault, CO 80610  
(970) 834-1259

### **Outreach**

2650 W. 29th Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Platteville Public Library**

504 Marion Avenue, Platteville, CO 80651  
(970) 785-2231

### **Riverside Library & Cultural Center**

3700 Golden Street, Evans, CO 80620  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

# PUBLIC COMPUTER CENTERS

**Evans (Community Complex)**  
1100 37th Street, Evans, CO 80620  
(970) 475-1125

**Lochbuie (Senior Center)**  
501 Willow Drive, Lochbuie, CO 80603  
(303) 659-8262

**Milliken**  
1109 Broad Street, Milliken, CO 80543  
(970) 660-5045

**Nunn (Town Hall/Community Center)**  
185 Lincoln Avenue, Nunn, CO 80648  
(970) 897-2385

# AFFILIATED LOCATIONS

**Hazel E. Johnson Research Center  
at the City of Greeley Museum**  
714 8th Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
(970) 350-9220

**Poudre Learning Center**  
8313 West F Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
(970) 352-1267

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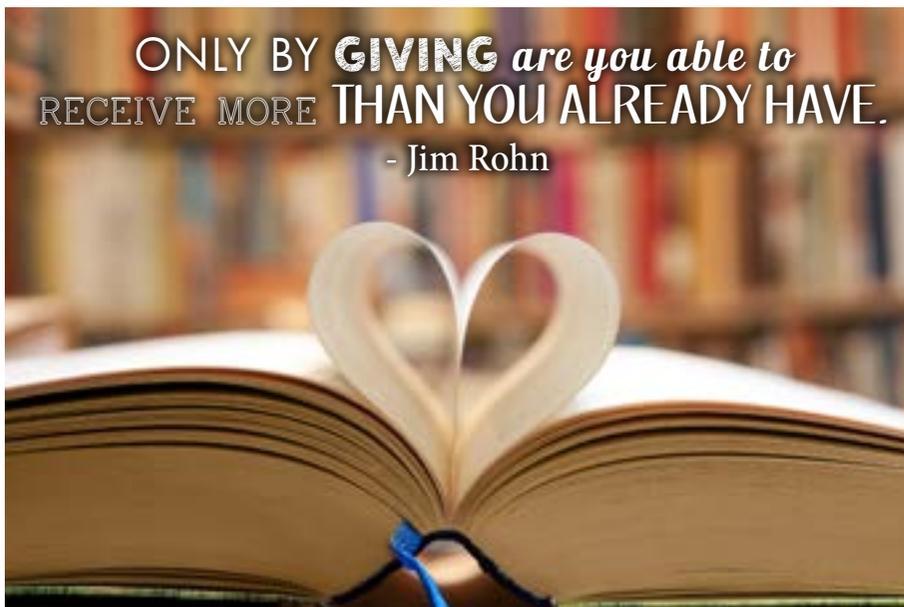
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Briggsdale, CO 80611

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4205 Yosemite Dr.  
Greeley, CO 80634

**Milliken Senior Center**  
1101 Broad Street  
Milliken, CO 80543

**Pierce Senior Center**  
321 Main  
Pierce, CO 80650

**Prairie View Senior Center**  
1151 Main St.  
Hudson, CO 80632



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