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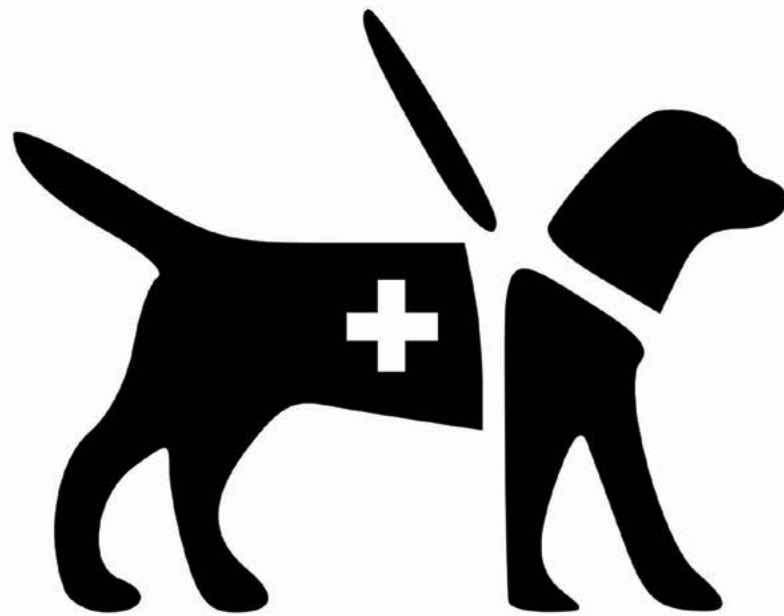
**Prospector** is a great way to get all of the materials you want without waiting for it to possibly be purchased or received from ILL. You have control over your request, and it will arrive much sooner. *A new way to get all the items you are looking for in the New Year!* Give this amazing service a try!



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# **SERVICE ANIMALS ONLY**

Animals providing emotional support do not qualify under ADA as a service animal.



# **SÓLO ANIMALES DE SERVICIO**

Los animales que proporcionan apoyo emocional no califican bajo la Ley de Estadounidenses para Personas con Discapacidades (ADA) como un animal de servicio.



## SPECIAL EVENTS

### ALL AGES | LOST ART OF POSTCARD WRITING

Month of January  
Lincoln Park Library  
Riverside Library

Come to the desk and choose a card and stamp. When you are done writing your message and addressing your postcard, bring it back! We will mail it for you.

### CHILDREN | FANTASTIC BEASTS AND WHERE TO FIND THEM: A MYSTERY PROGRAM

January 2, 10:00 - 11:30 am  
Centennial Park Library

Have you seen the new movie *Fantastic Beasts 2: The Crimes of Grindelwald*? Are you a little bored with your holiday break? Would you like to dig a little deeper into the characters and beasts from the movie? If you can never get too much of JK Rowling's characters join us for this mystery program! One of the beasts is missing - Who took it? Where are they hiding it? Use clues and logic to be the first to figure it out. Please feel free to dress up as a character or beast (not required). We will have light refreshments after the mystery is solved.  
[Registration required](#): Grades 3-5.

### NEW!! AT LINCOLN PARK LIBRARY

#### ADULTS & TEENS | JOB CONNECTION

Wednesdays, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Join us for Job Connection every Wednesday - we'll provide book and database resources, resume samples and interview question samples. We will also help with online job applications, resume and cover letter preparation.

### ALL AGES | FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

January 2, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Join us for *Teen Titans Go to the Movies* (Rated PG). Bring your own water bottle or movie snacks.

### ALL AGES | JUGUEMOS LOTERÍA / LET'S PLAY LOTERIA

January 2, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

¡Todos están invitados a jugar Lotería con nosotros! Venga y aprenda un juego que se ha jugado durante cientos de años, mientras tiene la oportunidad de ganar premios y probar diferentes bocadillos. No hay costo, solamente acompañenos y diviértase.

*Come learn a new game with the chance to win prizes and try different snacks.*

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | CANVAS & COCOA: WELCOME WINTER

January 3, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Welcome Winter with us by painting a masterpiece and enjoying some cocoa and treats. Each participant will take home their own 8" x 10" canvas creation. No prior art experience needed. All supplies provided. *Taught by the Art Spot guide Darlene Ruyle.* [Registration required.](#)

## CHILDREN & TEENS | SCHOOL'S OUT, LIBRARY'S IN

January 3, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Drop-in and make shrinky dinks! Grades K-12.

## ADULTS | THROWBACK THURSDAYS

Thursdays in January; 3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us for an afternoon at the movies. Throwback Thursdays will screen iconic films from select decades. A discussion of each film will follow the screenings. We can smell the popcorn already!

January 3 - *Thunder Road* (1958)  
January 10 - *Badlands* (1974)  
January 17 - *Rain Man* (1988)  
January 24 - *Thelma and Louise* (1991)  
January 31 - *Motorcycle Diaries* (2004)

## ALL AGES | FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

January 3, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Join us for *Christopher Robin* (Rated PG; 104 minutes). *Bring your own water bottle or movie snacks. Adults must accompany children under the age of 12.*

## ADULTS | MONEY MATTERS: BUDGETING & SAVING

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

January 10, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Riverside Library

January 31, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
[Registration required.](#)

Tell your money where to go instead of wondering where it went! Almost half of Americans do not use budgets or have emergency savings. Whether you are just getting started or looking for new tips, this class can help you get financially fit. Learn how to create a spending plan, track expenses, set goals, and find new ways to save. We'll share tools and resources to help you with these important financial basics. Registration required. *Presented by Nancy Patton, Community Involvement Specialist with Public Services Credit Union.*

## ALL AGES | ROSCA DE REYES

January 3; 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Es una de las últimas fiestas navideñas: El Día de Los Reyes, el 6 de enero. Es un tema de importancia en la evangelización en México. Vamos a exponer el tema de la "Rosca de Reyes" en base a su origen y tradición en México y los aspectos más significativos. Hablaremos sobre la origen y significado de la Rosca de reyes, los símbolos principales en la celebración y la fiesta en la actualidad. Terminaremos hablando sobre la comida en la celebración del "Día de Reyes". ¡Y luego comeremos! [Registración es requerida.](#)



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ALL AGES | LEGO®-PALOOZA BUILD-A-THON

January 4, 10:30 am - 4:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us for LEGO free-play all day! Work on your own creations or work as a team. The library will provide the LEGO blocks, while you provide the imagination! All materials must stay at the library, so bring a camera to capture your adventures. All ages welcomed; adults must be accompanied by a child.

*LEGO is a trademark of the LEGO Group of companies which does not sponsor, authorize or endorse this event.*

## ADULTS | INTRO TO EXCEL

January 5, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
Centennial Park 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. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | SMARTPHONES 101

January 7, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Farr Regional Library

Got a new smartphone or considering buying one? In this class, we will explore the basic functions of Android and iPhones. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | CUTTING THE CABLE CORD

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

Have you been wanting to learn more about the alternatives to cable but don't know where to start? Cutting the cable cord has become an increasingly popular option for watching television and is growing every day with more services and channels. This class will go over streaming and hardware options to see if cutting the cord is right for you. [Registration required.](#)

## CHILDREN | ERIE CHESS CLUB

Wednesdays, January 9 - February 13  
4:00 - 5:15 pm

Are you in 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade, love to play chess, interested in learning how to play chess or wish to sharpen your skills? If so, then please come join us for an after school chess club. [Registration is required](#) for this six-week session.

## CHILDREN | STEM CLUB: MAKE A SPLASH

January 9, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Riverside Library

This club features LEAP into Science kits and is limited to the first 15 kids in Grades K-5.

## ADULTS | INTRO TO COMPUTERS

January 10, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Learn about the basic operations of a computer, including booting up and shutting down, navigating windows and opening and closing programs. We will explore the desktop, files, folders, menus and we'll also show you how to save and store your work.

## ADULTS | KEVIN COOK PRESENTS TWELVE DOZEN THINGS ABOUT COLORADO: BECOME A PLACE

January 10, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Stories about Colorado could fill an encyclopedia; details behind those stories could fill an entire library. Important dates, famous people, and iconic landmarks are generally well known; but Colorado both as a place and as a home amounts to much more than just these things. Each month this year, "Twelve Dozen Things About Colorado" will present 12 things — things you probably don't know! — that tell the stories of Colorado.

Pikes Peak and Grand Lake and Black Canyon exemplify places that possess natural identity. Straddling the Great Plains and Rocky Mountains, Colorado exists only as an abstraction. "Become a Place" will explore the extraordinary efforts needed to draw the lines to make Colorado an identifiable place.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## **NEW!! AT LINCOLN PARK LIBRARY**

**2nd Tuesday of each month**

### **TEEN TECH SERIES**

January 10, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Join us each month as we explore new technologies, build robots, experiment with mad science, and create our own masterpieces. Find something new every second Thursday.

Participants in Teen Tech Programs may experience the following side effects: Curiosity, fun, excitement, euphoria, uncontrollable laughter, elevated levels of bodacity, experience with cool new gadgets, and awesome things to take home that you built yourself. Teen Tech is not for everyone; some people don't like fun. Ask your librarian if Teen Tech is right for you.

### **ADULTS | SHORT FILM FESTIVAL**

January 10, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Erie Community Library

Join us as we continue the Short Film Festival with the 2018 Oscar nominated picks! Each month you will see an Animation, Documentary, and Live Action film. The movies for tonight are "Traffic Stop" "Negative Space" "Wate Wote: All of Us" and "DeKalb Elementary". *\*Movies are subject to change if availability changes.* [Registration required.](#)

### **TEENS | MINI-GOLF IN THE LIBRARY**

January 11, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

Test your mini-golf skills on a fun and challenging course that runs throughout the whole library. Prizes will be awarded for lowest score overall and also for challenges like our long-putt contest and more! All golf equipment will be provided. [Registration required;](#) ages 10-18.

### **CHILDREN | LITTLE EXPLORERS: FAIRY TALES FOR LITTLE PRINCESSES AND PRINCES**

January 12, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Riverside Library

Join some real princesses for a fun storytime with songs, rhymes, dances, and crafts! Costumes are optional. This class is limited to the first 30 children ages 3-6. *Presented by Wishes Come True Entertainment.*

### **ALL AGES | DIARY OF A WIMPY KID TRIVIA**

January 12, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

Riverside Library

All *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* fans are welcome to join us for an afternoon to test your knowledge of Jeff Kinney's 13 books and share what you enjoyed best about these humorous stories. [Registration required;](#) all ages.

### **ADULTS | SO YOU WANT TO START A WRITING GROUP?**

January 14, 21 and 28; 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Erie Community Library

Are you a writer who wants to have your work seen? Are you interested in feedback on your writing, but don't know how to get it? Are your friends and family tired of hearing you talk about your writing? Do networking, learning, and new friendships all sound wonderful? This class is for you! Writing groups are a great way to stay inspired and improve your writing skills and this three session class lead by author Buzzy Jackson, will provide practical advice and concrete steps for the care and keeping of a writing group. Join us to meet other writers and work to transition to an independently run writing group. [Registration required;](#) ages 18+.

*Buzzy Jackson is the author of books about blues music, family history, and the meaning of life and is currently writing a historical novel of World War II. Buzzy has worked in the publishing industry in New York City and has taught at CU Boulder, UC Berkeley and at the Creative Conferences in Colorado. She has a Ph.D. in History from UC Berkeley and is a book critic for the Boston Globe. For more info: [www.BuzzyJackson.com](http://www.BuzzyJackson.com).*

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | INTRO TO MICROSOFT WORD

January 16, 1:15 - 3:15 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 opens 12/17.](#)

## ADULTS | TECH CAFE

January 16, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance

## TEENS | OREO TASTE-TEST CHALLENGE

January 17, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Love Oreos? Then join us at the library for a blind taste extravaganza! Test your taste buds and see how many flavors you can guess correctly and win. [Registration opens 12/17;](#) Grades 6-12.

## ADULTS | DECLUTTER YOUR LIFE

January 17, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Professional organizer and Longmont Times-Call columnist Lucy Kelly of Joyful Surroundings LLC will provide tips and strategies to help you get out from under the clutter. Lucy is a member of NAPO (the National Association of Professional Organizers) and ICD (the Institute for Challenging Disorganization). [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | MANGO LANGUAGES AND PRONUNCIATOR

January 18, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Want to learn a new language on your computer, smart phone or tablet? This class will teach you all about how to take advantage of our free language databases on mobile devices or computers. [Registration opens 12/19.](#)

## ADULTS | DOWNLOADABLE AUDIOBOOKS 101

January 19, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Did you get a new device for the holidays? Learn how to download audiobooks for free from the High Plains Library District! We'll show you how to find, check out, download and transfer audio eBooks to any device. Please bring your device with you to class. [Registration opens 12/20.](#)

## TEENS | RESEARCH RENDEZVOUS

January 19, 1:00 - 4:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Are you working on a project for this year's National History Day - Triumph & Tragedy? Need help with your research? If you are looking for the perfect document or picture that will earn your project a perfect score, mark your calendar! We can help you find exactly what you need to make your project stand out. Sessions are drop-in; come anytime between 1-4 pm.

## ALL AGES | "I HAVE A DREAM" CELEBRATION

January 21, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

January 21, 3:00 - 4:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Celebrate the birthday of civil rights leader, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Join us for stories and songs about peace, friendship, equality, and dreaming big dreams. Afterward, we will create unique quilt patches to join together in a peace quilt for display in the library.

## ALL AGES | MLK DAY OF SERVICE

January 21, 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. at our Day of Service. Drop-in and participate in one or more of the easy service activities that are great for all ages — kindness rocks, creating cards for residents of assisted-living homes, cleaning up of Centennial Park's grounds and more. All ages are encouraged to participate. [Registration is preferred](#) but not required. **#MLKDay #dayofservice**

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## CHILDREN | CELEBRATE PEACE! MLK DAY PROGRAM

January 21, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Celebrate Martin Luther King, Jr. and his legacy of peace with a special program that will include books, songs and crafts. [Registration opens 1/2](#); Grades K-5.

## CHILDREN & TEENS | SCHOOL'S OUT, LIBRARY'S IN

January 21, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Drop-in and make friendship bracelets. Grades K-12.

## CHILDREN | LET'S TALK ABOUT RACE

January 21, 3:00 - 4:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Children notice race at a very young age, and can often draw erroneous conclusions if no one speaks to them. With a focus on children's literature, we will discuss and model ways adults can talk about race and racism in age appropriate ways with preschoolers. [Registration opens 1/1](#).

## ADULTOS | TECNOGUÍA: INTRODUCCIÓN A LAS FACEBOOK MARKETPLACE

21 de enero, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Acompañenos a un cafecito y pan dulce y aprenda mas sobre la tecnología. Aprenda sobre Facebook Marketplace. Si usted tiene una cuenta de Facebook probablemente no sabe que podia comprar y vender cosas. Es un lugar conveniente para descubrir, comprar y vender artículos con personas en su comunidad. Marketplace hace fácil encontrar cosas nuevas que le encantarán, y cosas que te gustaría vender. [Se requiere registro](#).

## CHILDREN | LEAP INTO SCIENCE: MAGNET MAGIC

January 22, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Have you ever wondered how your refrigerator magnets stick? It seems like magic, but it's science! We'll explore the magic of magnetic forces and create magnetic toys to take home. [Registration opens 12/18](#); Grades K-2.

## ADULTS | SBDC SMALL BUSINESS START-UP ORIENTATION SEMINAR

January 22, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
Erie Community Library

Join us for a free comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business. [Registration opens 12/21](#).

## ADULTS | BUSINESS PLANNING BASICS

January 24, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
Riverside Library

A business plan is not only a tool for seeking finance - it's also a blueprint for your small business. This session explores the steps to take to complete your business plan, resources available to support this process, and how to use your business plan. Join us for the first brown bag seminar of the year at the Riverside Library!

You'll learn...

- the importance of creating a business plan, and the impact that it has on your business.
- the components of a business plan and what they mean.
- steps to registering your new business.
- insurance and how to properly protect your business.
- resources to help you and your business thrive.

Please register at [www.eastcoloradosbdc.com](http://www.eastcoloradosbdc.com)

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## CHILDREN | MARBLE MAZE MANIA

January 24, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

It's Marble Maze Mania time! We'll give you a marble and lots of recycled materials. You'll design your very own marble maze to give your marble the ultimate ride! [Registration opens 12/24](#); Grades 3-5.

## ADULTS | HEALTH & FITNESS IN THE NEW YEAR

January 24, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Start the year off right by discussing how to cultivate a better health and fitness lifestyle with Suzi Shankweiler, Fitness/Youth Coordinator at the Carbon Valley Parks & Recreation District. She will discuss not only one-time changes you can make but ongoing changes that will benefit you the whole year.

## ADULTS | REDDIT 101

January 25, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
Centennial Park 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 opens 12/26](#).

## RANDOM FANDOM TRIVIA

**[ADULTS]** January 25, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Erie Community Library  
[Registration opens 12/26](#); ages 18+.

**[TEENS]** January 26, 1:00 - 2:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library  
[Registration opens 12/27](#); ages 12-18.

Calling all Harry Potter fans! Join us for our second adult after-hours Random Fandom Trivia night. Test your knowledge against other Potter heads in the community. Costumes and wizarding apparel encouraged. We'll also do a quick poll to find out which fandoms you want to see featured next. Mischief managed!

## ADULTS | CAREER EDGE: CREATE YOUR OWN WEBSITE

January 29, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Having your own website can serve as a portfolio for your best work and is a great selling point for potential employers. Learn how to design a free, eye-catching website that will help you demonstrate your technology skills in a modern job market.

## ADULTS | BOARDS & BRUSHES

January 29, 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Join us to create Scrabble Wood Tiles! Customize and create your own work of art using provided stencils with letters or shapes you choose to paint on five 5X5 wood tiles. No previous art experience necessary. All supplies provided. [Registration opens 12/28](#).

## ALL AGES | ROBOT PETTING ZOO

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

Join us anytime during this open house to discover the wacky, wonderful world of robotics! Play, learn, and dance with Spheros, OzoBots, Cubetto and more!

## TEENS | FANTASTIC BEASTS AND WHERE TO FIND THEM DANCE WORKSHOP

January 31, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Dance through the roaring 1920s like magical beasts. Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them that is! Join Christine Rohde, dance instructor from Revel Dance Center LLC in Erie, for this magical dance workshop that will mix traditional jazz and modern hip-hop with the wizarding world. [Registration opens 12/28](#); Grades 6-12.

*Ms. Rohde is an award-winning teacher who is experienced, passionate, and versatile in many dance forms, ages, and abilities. She holds a BA in Dance from the UW, Stevens Point, and a MFA in Dance Performance and Choreography from CU Boulder.*





## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

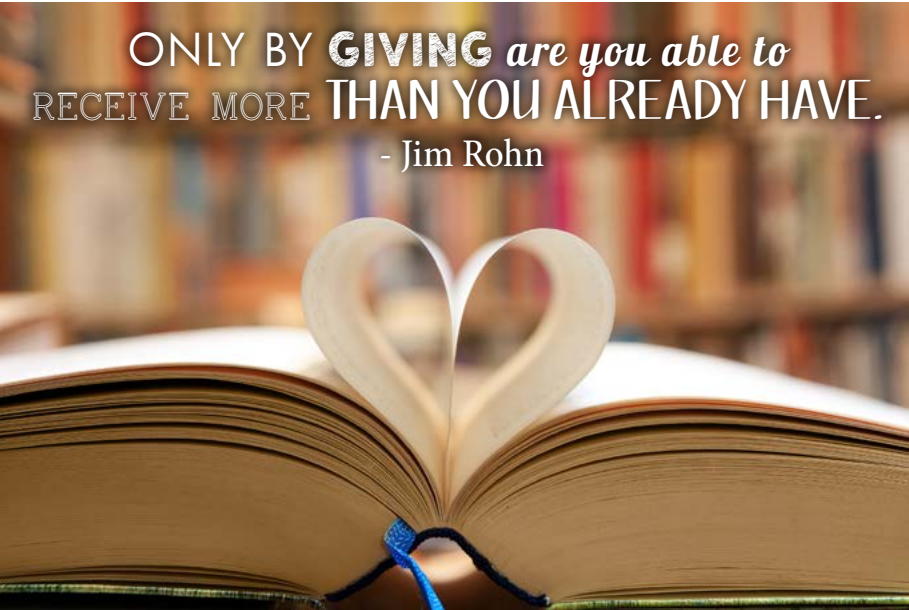
<b>Evans (Community Complex)</b> 1100 37th Street, Evans, CO 80620 (970) 475-1125	<b>Milliken</b> 1109 Broad Street, Milliken, CO 80543 (970) 660-5045
<b>Nunn (Town Hall/Community Center)</b> 185 Lincoln Avenue, Nunn, CO 80648 (970) 897-2385	

# AFFILIATED LOCATIONS

<b>Hazel E. Johnson Research Center at the City of Greeley Museum</b> 714 8th Street, Greeley, CO 80631 (970) 350-9220	<b>Poudre Learning Center</b> 8313 West F Street, Greeley, CO 80631 (970) 352-1267
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# BOOK DEPOSITS

<b>Briggsdale Library</b> 42089 WCR 70 Briggsdale, CO 80611	<b>Hill &amp; Park Senior Center</b> 4205 Yosemite Dr. Greeley, CO 80634	<b>Milliken Senior Center</b> 1101 Broad Street Milliken, CO 80543
<b>Pierce Senior Center</b> 321 Main Pierce, CO 80650	<b>Prairie View Senior Center</b> 1151 Main St. Hudson, CO 80632	





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# Newsletter | February 2019

## HPLD offers Kanopy - a free on-demand video streaming service



The popular on-demand film streaming service **Kanopy** is now available for *free* at High Plains Library District. Library card holders can access **Kanopy** and sign-up to start streaming films instantly by visiting [highplains.kanopy.com](https://highplains.kanopy.com). Films can be streamed from any computer, television, mobile device or platform by downloading the **Kanopy** app for iOS, Android, AppleTV, Chromecast or Roku.



**Kanopy** showcases more than 30,000 of the world's best films, including award-winning documentaries, rare and hard-to-find titles, film festival favorites, indie and classic films, and world cinema with collections from Kino Lorber, Music Box Films, Samuel Goldwyn, The Orchard, The Great Courses, PBS and thousands of independent filmmakers. **Kanopy's** collection is extremely unique and they offer content that not only entertains, but educates, enlightens, and inspires.



Some key genres include:

**Documentaries:** Over 15,000 documentaries on all topics from the environment to race and social justice.

**Foreign Films:** Over 2,000 foreign films in 180 languages

**Movies:** Over 9,000 movies including great selection of early cinema as well as recent and cult classics

**Learning Cinema:** Including the Great Courses collection, over 1,500 K-12 curriculum films, career development films, language learning, and lifestyle content (yoga, cooking, etc)



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## Kanopy continued

**Local content:** Access to a wide array of films from local filmmakers and on issues of local and regional relevance

**Kanopy Kids:** A collection of the best programs for children ages 2-12, launched in partnership with Common Sense Media, the leading rating/review source for parents

Here's how **KANOPY** works:

- Watch up to ten films per month.
- You have three days to watch each film. You can watch the film as many times as you wish within this three day period.
- Play credits reset on the first of each month.
- You can access Kanopy from any device.
- Most films include Public Performance rights for group showings (including classrooms) that do not charge admission.

Download the apps, or visit [highplains.kanopy.com](http://highplains.kanopy.com) to get started *TODAY!*

For more information, visit MyLibrary.us or call 1-888-861-7323.

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## Erie Community Library's hours are changing

Effective **March 4, 2019**, Erie Community Library will open an hour earlier Monday-Thursday.

Their hours will be:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 am - 8:00 pm  
Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 pm





## Helpful online resources for Tax Time

[Internal Revenue Service](#) - The official website of the IRS and the first stop for information relating to federal taxes. Includes tax forms, online services, refund tracking, and frequently asked questions.

[IRS Forms and Publications](#) - Direct link to the IRS forms page, this is where you can download tax forms, instructions, and more.

[IRS YouTube Channel](#) - Features IRS videos on a variety of tax topics, from explanations of the New Homebuyer Credit to how to track your refund.

[Colorado Department of Revenue-Taxation](#) - The starting point for all things related to Colorado taxes. Includes tax forms, online services, informational brochures and news updates.

[Free Tax Classes](#) - The Colorado Department of Revenue offers free tax classes throughout Colorado. Click on the link above for a listing of class descriptions, locations, and dates. Many classes are also available online. Pre-registration is required.

[State Tax Forms](#) - Direct link to Colorado's online tax forms.

[Colorado Property Tax/Rent/Heat Credit \(PTC\) Rebate Information](#) - Information about Colorado Property Tax/Rent/Heat Credit Rebate and eligibility

[Colorado Property Tax/Rent/Heat Credit \(PTC\) Rebate Forms](#) - Link to forms for Colorado Property Tax/Rent/Heat Credit

[Federation of Tax Administrators](#) - Use this site to locate tax forms for states other than Colorado.

[Get Ahead Colorado](#) - A partnership between The Piton Foundation and the Colorado Community College System, Tax Help Colorado offers free tax preparation assistance to families who earn less than about \$55,000 a year. This site contains a refund calculator, links and resources for filing online, and a map to locations offering their free tax preparation service.

[AARP Foundation Tax-Aide](#) - A map of locations providing free tax preparation provided by AARP.

[El IRS en Español](#) - El sitio oficial del IRS y el primer lugar acerca de información del impuesto federal. Incluye formularios, opciones electrónicas, información para cómo vigilar su reembolso, y preguntas frecuentes.

[IRS Canal de YouTube](#) - Contiene vídeos informativos del IRS que se tratan de una variedad de temas, desde reembolsos que no pueden ser entregados hasta créditos para quienes recientemente han comprado una vivienda.



WRITERS' WORKSHOP

# CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT

AGES 12+

**FEB. 5TH**  
**6:00-7:00P.M.**

**CARBON VALLEY  
REGIONAL LIBRARY**



## SPECIAL EVENTS

### ADULTS | VIDEO GAMES FOR SENIORS

February 1, 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.

### ADULTS | FREE TAX RETURN PREPARATION BY AARP TAX AIDE PROGRAM

Fridays, February 1 - April 12 by appointment  
\* no appointments on March 8  
Appointments at 12:00, 1:00, 2:00 or 3:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Trained and experienced Tax-Aide volunteers will be available to confidentially review your tax situation, and prepare and electronically file your Federal and Colorado state returns. Taxpayers with extremely complex tax returns that cannot be prepared by the volunteers will be referred to professional tax preparers. *Call 1-888-861-7323 for an appointment.* Click [here](#) for a list of documents to bring with you to the appointment.

*\*This program to provide free income tax return preparation is available to taxpayers with low to moderate income, with special attention to those 60 years and older.*

### CHILDRENS | BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

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

If you are a 3rd-5th grader who does not have school on Friday afternoons, please join us weekly for an array of interactive, enrichment activities.

#### #beyondtheclassroom

#### Feb. 1: Shaving Cream Art

Make marbled paper, puffy paint, and playdoh with shaving cream! [Registration required.](#)

#### Feb. 8: Black History Jeopardy

Learn new facts and compete for prizes during a fun and informative game of "Black History Month Jeopardy." [Registration required.](#)

#### Feb. 15: The Science of Sound

Find out how sound works. Make a Popsicle stick harmonica, cup telephones, and dancing oobleck. [Registration required.](#)

#### Feb. 22: Green Screen Art

Through the magic of the Green Screen you can picture yourself alongside the Avengers as they fight off an alien invasion! Film yourself touring the Grand Canyon, the Mariana Trench, or even Mars! Learn how to take the act of being in front of the green sheet and transforming it into the picture, or film, of your wildest imagination. [Registration required.](#)

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | RESUME WORKSHOP

February 2, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Looking for a career change? Want to land that perfect job? We'll give you tips and tricks that will make your resume stand out! This two-hour class will explain the necessary resume features for your industry and give you the crucial do's and don'ts of resume building. [Registration required.](#)

## CHILDREN | SCHOOL'S OUT, LIBRARY'S IN: PUFF MOBILES

February 4, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us for a STEM challenge in which you attempt to harvest the wind. Design, build and test a wind-powered sail car of your own creation. Compete to see which sail car travels the fastest. All materials provided. [Registration required:](#) Grades 2-5.

## CHILDREN & TEENS | SCHOOL'S OUT, LIBRARY'S IN: BUTTON IT

February 4, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Drop-in and use our button maker to create unique and fun buttons. We will have a variety of media to use but feel free to bring your own pictures. Grades K-12.

## ADULTS | EBOOKS 101

February 4, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Learn how to download free eBooks and Audio eBooks from the High Plains Library District! We'll explain how to find, check out, download and transfer them to any device. *For best results, please bring your device with you to class.*

## CHILDREN | AMERICAN GIRL CLUB

February 5, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Join us as we discover the world of Rebecca, an immigrant girl growing up in New York City in 1914. [Registration required:](#) ages 8-11.

## CHILDREN | LINCOLN PARK SINGERS

Tuesdays, February 5 - March 19  
4:30-5:15 pm - Lincoln Park Library

Join us for our Spring Session! Rehearse with us as we prepare three songs to perform for family and friends on March 19. Recommended for ages 8-10.

## TEENS & ADULTS | WRITER'S WORKSHOP: CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT

February 5, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

One of the most important skills for a writer is the ability to create characters that come to life for the reader. Fantasy author CK Miller will take you through the strategies she uses when developing her characters and offer suggestions on how to make your characters compelling and believable. For aspiring writers and literature fans alike, ages 12+.

## CHILDREN | CRAFTERSCHOOL

February 6, 3:30 - 5:30 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Join us for creative fun! Learn about mosaic art and create your own masterpiece. Supplies provided. [Registration opens 1/23:](#) Grades 3-5.

## ALL AGES | FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

February 6, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Join us for *Smallfoot* (Rated PG). *Bring your own water bottle or movie snacks.*

## ADULTS | TEA & COFFEE TASTING

February 7, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
Riverside Library

Tea and coffee lovers have never been more passionate about what's in their mug. There are seemingly endless variations on these two ubiquitous drinks and this is a great chance to deepen your appreciation for something you already love, or discover a new favorite. Taste samples of artisan teas and coffees and learn about their history, production and preparation from the owner of Cranford Cove Tea Tavern. [Registration required.](#)

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | THROWBACK THURSDAYS

Thursdays in February, 3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us for an afternoon at the movies. Throwback Thursdays will screen iconic films from select decades. A discussion of each film will follow the screenings. We can smell the popcorn already!

February 7 - *Casablanca* (1942)  
February 14 - *Roman Holiday* (1953)  
February 21 - *When Harry Met Sally* (1989)  
February 28 - *Shakespeare in Love* (1998)

## ALL AGES | HARRY POTTER BOOK NIGHT

February 7, 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Calling all witches and wizards! Make a date in your diary for Thursday 7th February to celebrate J.K. Rowling's wonderful series. First, get sorted, then make wands, drink butter beer, play Quidditch, and much more! Hogwarts apparel encouraged! Best for ages 6+. No registration required.

## NEW!! AT LINCOLN PARK LIBRARY

### TEENS | INDEPENDENCE! #ADULTING - RESCUE SEWING

February 7, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

Life doesn't have a manual. But that doesn't mean there isn't a guide! Join us each month as we learn the life hacks for maximum independence. This month we tackle Rescue Sewing: how to re-attach a button, hem a garment, or sew a tear.

## ALL AGES | FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

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

Join us for *Smallfoot* (Rated PG; 96 minutes). Bring your own water bottle or movie snacks. Adults must accompany children under the age of 12.

## ADULTS | WELD COUNTY 101

February 8, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Farr Regional Library

Where is the free emissions testing van this week? How do I register a vehicle? How do I find food/housing assistance? How do I get more information on my property boundaries or purchase history? What is the Weld County Goat Extravaganza? We'll show you how to find out in this class on navigating Weld County services and agencies. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | "THE CLOUD" FOR BEGINNERS

February 9, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

What is the cloud and how can you use it to access your documents, photos, and other files from almost anywhere? From your tablet, to your phone, to your desktop - you can easily sync and share your files across devices. We will teach you the basics of backing up your data to the cloud and discuss some popular options for storage. [Registration required.](#)

## CHILDREN | LITTLE EXPLORERS: MAKE IT WITH A HEART

February 9, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
Riverside Library

Join us for the best Valentine crafts for little ones to make and give. Limited to the first 30 children ages 3-6.

## TEENS | RESEARCH RENDEZVOUS

February 9, 1:00 - 4:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Are you working on a project for this year's National History Day - Triumph & Tragedy? Need help with your research? If you are looking for the perfect document or picture that will earn your project a perfect score, mark your calendar! We can help you find exactly what you need to make your project stand out. Sessions are drop-in; come anytime between 1-4 pm.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTOS | INTRODUCCIÓN A CORREO ELECTRONICO

February 11, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Regístrese para obtener una cuenta de correo electrónico de Gmail y aprenda como enviar y recibir correos electrónicos, practique adjuntar un archivo a un correo electrónico y descargar los archivos adjuntos que se le envíen. [Se requiere registro.](#)

## CHILDREN | STEAM CLUB: SCIENCE OF SOUND

February 13, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Discover how sound works. Make a Popsicle stick harmonica, cup telephone and dancing oobleck. Limited to the first 15 kids in Grades K-5.

## ADULTS | INTRO TO THE INTERNET

February 14, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Come and learn all about the internet. We'll teach you about browsers, search engines, searching the web and how websites work. We'll also show you how to interpret search results and avoid ads. [Registration required.](#)

## ADULTS | KEVIN COOK PRESENTS TWELVE DOZEN THINGS ABOUT COLORADO

February 14, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Looking at a mountain accounts for only one perspective; looking from a mountain provides an entirely different perspective. Geology and geography also provide two different perspectives and ecology yet another. Addressing questions seldom asked, "Purple Mountains Majesty" will explore the full character of Colorado's mountains.

## TEEN TECH SERIES: DIY CSI

February 14, 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

Join us this month for Do-It-Yourself Crime Scene Investigation.

## ADULTS | SHORT FILM FESTIVAL

February 14, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Join us as we continue the Short Film Festival with the 2018 Oscar nominated picks! Each month you will see an Animation, Documentary, and Live Action film. The movies for tonight are "Dear Basketball" "Heaven is a Traffic Jam on the 405" and "The Silent Child". *\*Movies are subject to change if availability changes.* [Registration required.](#)

## ADULT SPELLING BEE

February 15, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Farr Regional Library

Bring your team of 4 (or fewer, if you dare) to face a philological challenge of epic proportions! Pit your skills against other teams in the battle for the crown of ultimate geekdom. Team costumes encouraged. We'll have prizes for the winning and runner-up teams. Our Spelling Bee is for adults 18 and up. [Registration is required](#) prior to the event.

## TEENS | CANDY CHAMPIONS

February 16, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Test your skills in this sugary showdown! Ice the most decadent cookie imaginable, build the tallest marshmallow tower and compete in the new game of Pudding Pictionary to claim sweet, sweet victory! [Registration required;](#) ages 10-18.

## CHILDREN | READY, SET, CREATE! CLEAN UP OUR WORLD

February 16, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

In this engineering challenge, participants investigate sources of pollution and ways to cleanup our environment. All supplies are provided; parents/caregivers are encouraged to participate with their children. [Registration required;](#) Grades 2-5. *Presented by High Plains Library District, in conjunction with the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE).*



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | DEMENTIA CONVERSATIONS

February 19, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

When someone is showing signs of dementia, it's time to talk. Often, conversations with family about changing behaviors can be challenging and uncomfortable. This program provides tips for breaking the ice with your family so you can address some of the most common issues that are difficult to discuss: going to the doctor for a diagnosis or medical treatment, deciding when to stop driving, and making legal and financial plans for future care. [Registration required](#). Presented by the Alzheimer's Association.

## ADULTS | SBDC SMALL BUSINESS START-UP ORIENTATION SEMINAR

February 19, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Join us for a free comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business. [Registration opens 1/18](#).

## ADULTS | MAKE YOUR OWN WEBSITE

February 20, 1:15 - 3:15 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Join us as we take you through the step-by-step process to set up, customize and populate your own website, using Weebly. There's no need to own a domain, we will show you how to build a website with only a few hours of work. Whether you're looking to make a site for a small business, non-profit, or a travel blog, we'll get you started and on your way. [Registration opens 1/21](#).

## ADULTS | TECH CAFE

January 16, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## CHILDREN | MARSHMALLOW ENGINEERING

February 21, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Are you interested in exploring your engineering skills? Does constructing bridges, towers and buildings out of marshmallows sound fun? If so, please join us for this STEAM event. [Registration opens 1/21](#); Grades 3-5.

## ADULTOS | CONOZCA SUS DERECHOS

21 de febrero, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Riverside Library

¿Sabe qué hacer si lo detienen o si un oficial está tratando de detenerlo sin una causa probable o una orden judicial? Acompañe a la Coalición por los Derechos de los Inmigrantes de Colorado para participar en una presentación que cubrirá los derechos básicos que todas las personas, documentadas o indocumentadas, tienen en los Estados Unidos. También hablarán sobre las diferentes entidades de poder en nuestro estado (policía, alguaciles, ICE y patrulla estatal) y qué pueden hacer las personas para protegerse cuando se relacionan con cualquiera de estos grupos. Por último, hablaremos sobre qué hacer si es arrestado o detenido por ICE y cuáles son sus derechos en ese momento.

## ADULTS | KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

February 21, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Do you know what to do if you are detained or if an officer is trying to detain you without probable cause or a warrant? Join the Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition as they lead us in a presentation that will cover basic rights all people, whether documented or undocumented, have in the US. They will also discuss the different power entities in our state (police, sheriffs, ICE, and state patrol) and what people can do to protect themselves when engaging with any of these groups. Lastly we will talk about what to do if you are arrested or detained by ICE and what your rights are then. This presentation will be in English.



# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | 3D PRINTING & DESIGN

February 23, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Farr Regional Library

Come learn about 3D printing and design. Make and edit your own 3D designs using free software to make your designs come to life! [Registration opens 1/24](#); ages 18+.

## TEENS | TEEN LETTER WRITING FOR InCoWriMo

February 23, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library

February is International Written Correspondence Month, or InCoWriMo. When was the last time you received a handwritten letter, or wrote a card or letter? Did you know there is still such a thing as having a pen pal? Drop-in to learn how to craft a letter to a friend or family member, or introduce the Greeley community to someone from another country. All letter writing and decorating supplies, including postage, will be provided. Actual addresses will be added by staff after the program. No personal information will be shared. Teens may post their own letters if they wish to maintain a pen pal after the program. **#cpteens**

## ALL AGES | LITTLE AL DINOSAUR

February 23, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library  
[Registration opens 2/1](#)

February 28; 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Centennial Park Library  
[Registration opens 2/1](#)

Be a paleontologist for the day! Touch real dinosaur eggs, teeth and bones and help rebuild "Little Al" the Allosaurus and other dinosaurs. *Presented by Pearl Observatory of Gillette, NJ*

## ADULTS | CAREER EDGE: REVISIT YOUR RESUME

February 26, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Resumes have come a long way in the last few years and it's more important than ever to have an eye catching resume with well-organized information. Learn tips for selling yourself through your resume and update your resume on the spot.

## CHILDREN | LEAP INTO SCIENCE: DO YOU SEE WHAT I SEE?

February 26, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Have you ever wondered how your refrigerator magnets stick? It seems like magic, but it's science! We'll explore the magic of magnetic forces and create magnetic toys to take home. [Registration opens 1/22](#); Grades K-2.

## CHILDREN | ART FROM THE PAGE

February 28, 10:00 - 10:30 am  
Lincoln Park Library

Create your very own Art from the Page! This storytime with a crafty twist is sure to inspire your preschooler's inner artist.

## ADULTS | GROWING YOUR BRAND: INTRO TO MARKETING YOUR BUSINESS

February 28, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Social media is an important part of any marketing program and a dynamic tool for engaging supporters and the public at large. Realistically, it can take time to implement and maintain an effective social media campaign. This class is designed so that participants can learn to make savvy social media choices that earn the maximum results possible. We will cover basic to intermediate paid Facebook campaigns but a majority of this class will be devoted to understanding how Facebook's algorithm works and how to maximize engagement at no cost.

## TEENS | CUPCAKE WARS

February 28, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Erie Community Library

Compete to create the best decorated cupcakes! Each round the cupcakes will have to fit a specific theme and the judges will decide who wins. Wow the judges and walk away the winner! Who needs love, when you've got cupcakes? [Registration opens 1/28](#); Grades 6-12.

# SPECIAL EVENTS

## ADULTS | MONEY MATTERS: DO THE SIDE HUSTLE

February 28, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

Earning extra cash on the side has never been easier. Empower your full earning potential with a Side Hustle, a way to make money outside of your nine-to-five grind. Maybe you're ready to turn a hobby or craft into a revenue-generating side business? Or, maybe you just want to know ways you can increase your income? This seminar will cover a variety of Side Hustle options that can bring in more cash for the short term, or possibly become your new entrepreneurial business! [Registration required](#). Presented by Nancy Patton, Community Involvement Specialist with Public Services Credit Union.

## TEENS | OUTSpoken POETRY SLAM

February 28, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Riverside Library

A Poetry Slam is an opportunity for people to share their original poetry with a wider audience. Teens ages 13 and up are invited to share your original poetry in three minutes or less and take a shot at winning a prize.



## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

**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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

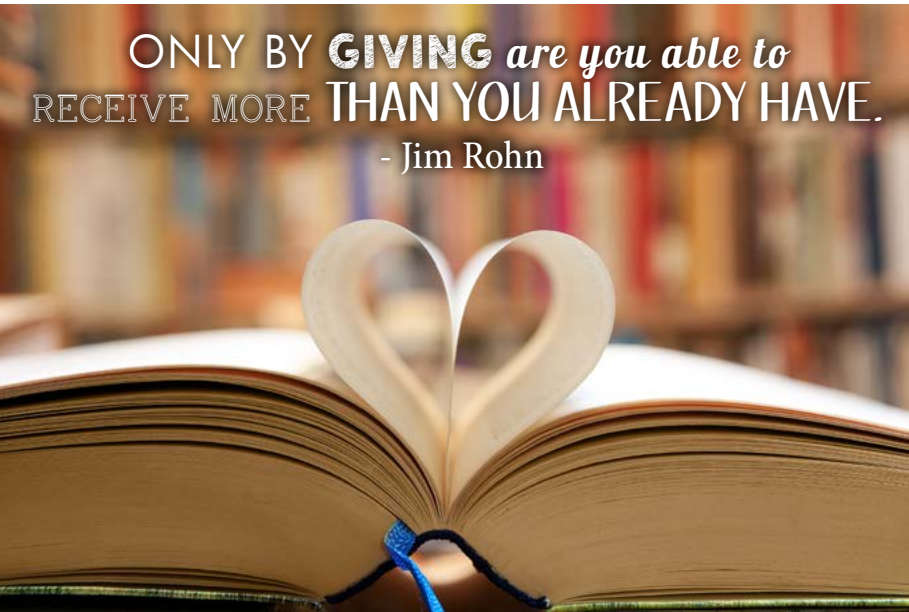
**Briggsdale Library**  
42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

**Hill & Park Senior Center**  
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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- Jim Rohn



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## *A unique way to support women in all stages of breast cancer*

When I first met Deanna Krausse from Colorado Knitted Knockers, I thought to myself, “Wow...this is one spirited and energetic woman!” It wasn’t until Deanna shared her own experience with breast cancer that I was instantly inspired to get involved—as a volunteer knitter and an advocate.

What are **Knitted Knockers**? Knitted Knockers are a lightweight, handknit breast prosthesis designed for women who have experienced mastectomies, lumpectomies and radiation, and/or are undergoing reconstruction due to breast cancer. Typically, women are offered a silicone or latex prosthesis that many women say is uncomfortable to wear and can be quite expensive. A Knitted Knocker is knit (or crocheted - patterns are available in either version) from high quality yarn that has been tested for comfort, appearance, and durability—especially when worn against sensitive skin and incisions after surgery.

What is important to mention here is that Knitted Knockers are handknit, often by women who also wear them. They are free for the wearer and can be requested directly through [KnittedKnockers.org](http://KnittedKnockers.org) or from physician offices and cancer care facilities. Colorado Knitted Knockers supplies many providers across Northern Colorado with Knitted Knockers. They come in a full range of sizes, and the wearer can adjust them for a custom fit. They can be machine washed and air dried and can even be worn for a variety of watersports.

[KnittedKnockers.org](http://KnittedKnockers.org) is an all-volunteer organization that operates solely on donations of supplies, like yarn and PolyFiberFil for stuffing, and monetary donations for things like shipping and office supplies. Grants and donations also help support their outreach programs like traveling to Botswana where breast cancer rates are at epidemic levels. Locally, Colorado Knitted Knockers has received grants from organizations like UC Health Northern Colorado Foundation and My Sister Knits yarn shop in Fort Collins for yarn and supplies.

Immediately after meeting Deanna, I began sharing information about Knitted Knockers with my friends and family and asked the knitters in my life to get involved. It wasn’t long before I started hearing from women around me that they are currently wearing Knitted Knockers themselves and how the handknit prostheses were making a huge impact in their lives. From Colorado to Germany, I have shared Knitted Knocker patterns and stories from the strong, brave women I have had the pleasure of meeting.

Are you looking for a way to get involved? On [March 23, 10am to 4pm, Centennial Park Library](#) will host an all-day knit-a-thon with Colorado Knitted Knockers. Whether you knit or crochet, or don’t do either, members from Greeley, Fort Collins, Loveland, and the Denver area will join with patrons from around Weld County to knit, stuff, and package Knitted Knockers that will be distributed to women locally. Please join us for an hour or two (or more) to meet and talk with the women of Colorado Knitted Knockers and join other like-minded crafters who combine their love of knitting and crocheting to support women in all stages of breast cancer.

Bethany, Librarian, Centennial Park Library



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## Erie Community Library's hours are changing

Effective **March 4, 2019**, Erie Community Library will open an hour earlier Monday-Thursday.

Their hours will be:

Monday - Thursday: 9:00 am - 8:00 pm

Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday: 1:00 - 5:00 pm

## 2019 Writer In Residence applications are now being accepted!

### Calling all Writers!

The High Plains Library District Foundation is proud to announce the opening of our 2019 Writer In Residence program.

Applications will be accepted **January 28, 2019 - March 1, 2019**.



[mylibrary.us/writer-in-residence](http://mylibrary.us/writer-in-residence)

# programs

## ADULT | Free Tax Return Preparation

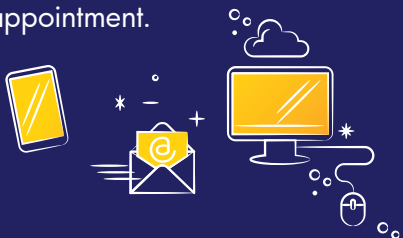
Fridays, February 1 - April 12  
Appointments at 12:00, 1:00,  
2:00 or 3:00 pm  
\* no appointments on March 8  
**Erie Community Library**

Trained and experienced Tax-Aide volunteers will be available to confidentially review your tax situation, and prepare and electronically file your Federal and Colorado state returns. Taxpayers with extremely complex tax returns that cannot be prepared by the volunteers will be referred to professional tax preparers. **Call 1-888-861-7323 for an appointment.** Click [here](#) for a list of documents to bring with you to the appointment.

*\*This program to provide free income tax return preparation is available to taxpayers with low to moderate income, with special attention to those 60 years and older.*

## Book a Librarian

Book a Librarian Appointments are free, one-on-one computer help sessions with tech specialists that are designed to answer all of your in-depth questions! They are available in English and Spanish. Visit [MyLibrary.us/services/#book\\_a\\_librarian](http://MyLibrary.us/services/#book_a_librarian) or call us at 1-888-861-7323 to request a Book a Librarian appointment.



## CHILDREN | Beyond the Classrooms

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

If you are a 3rd-5th grader who does not have school on Friday afternoons, please join us weekly for an array of interactive, enrichment activities.

### March 1: Popsicles and Catapults [Registration required](#)

Test your engineering skills by building a catapult.

### March 22: Optical Illusion Studio [Registration required](#)

Discover amazing illusions that will mystify your mind, baffle your brain, and perplex your perception.

### March 29: Detective Science [Registration required](#)

Solve a crime with data you collect from the scene!

## District 6 Art Walk

March 1, 5:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

Lincoln Park Library and the Greeley downtown businesses will be hosts for the District 6 Art Walk celebrating Youth Art Month. The opening reception on March 1 will feature the school-aged artists. Art work will be displayed through the month of March.

## TEEN | March of the Zombies

March 1, 5:30 - 7:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

March 29, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration begins March 29](#)

Grades 6-12. Grab your gear and survive the zombie apocalypse! Join us for an after-hours lock-in featuring a zombies vs. humans nerf gun battle. Feel free to dress in an undead fashion!

## ADULT | Intro to the Internet

March 2, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Come and learn all about the internet. We'll teach you about browsers, search engines, searching the web and how websites work. We'll also show you how to interpret search results and avoid ads.



## CHILDREN | Seuss Celebration

March 2, 10:30 am - 12:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

March 2, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

Dr. Seuss is on the loose! Come join us for a Seuss-ibration and enjoy a story or two, special crafts and other fun activities!

## programs

### ADULT | Intermediate Excel

March 4, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Excel is a tool that is always in demand in the workforce. This class is designed for intermediate users. Participants should be comfortable with using Windows.

### CHILDREN | Dr. Seuss Paper Landscapes

March 4, 4:15 - 5:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Registration required

Grades K-2. Join educators from the Arvada Center to bring the landscapes and narratives from your favorite Seuss stories to life using 2D and 3D elements and lots of colorful materials.

### CHILDREN | Baby Sensory: Make-It and Play

March 6, 9:30 am - 10:30 am

**Riverside Library**

Ages 0-2 and caregivers. Sensory activities encourage babies to play, investigate and explore while caregivers create Sensory Jars and Gel Bags to take home. Limited to the first 25 people.

### CHILDREN | Early Literacy Fair

March 6, 10:00 - 11:30 am

**Erie Community Library**

March 7, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Birth to PreK. Drop-in with your child during our free Early Literacy Fair to enjoy imagination and musical games, fun crafts, and much more!

## movies

### Wednesday Night at the Movies - Riverside Library, 6 - 7:30 pm

March 6 - *Incredibles 2*

### Family Movie Night - Carbon Valley Regional Library, 6 - 8 pm

March 7 - *Born in China*

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park, 3 - 5 pm

March 7 - *Gaslight* (1944)

March 14 - *Vertigo* (1958)

March 21 - *Dangerous Liaisons* (1988)

March 28 - *The Usual Suspects* (1995)



### CHILDREN | Crafterschool: Cool Cross Stitch

March 6, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 20](#)

Grades 3-5. Learn new skills and have fun creating your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.

### ADULT | Job Connection

Thursdays, March 6 - 27

4:00 - 6:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

We'll provide book and database resources, resume samples and interview question samples. We will also help with online job applications, resume and cover letter preparation.

### ADULT | Wall Piece Pottery

March 7, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Make a clay sun face wall hanging for the garden using slab and sculpture techniques.



### TEEN | Independence! #Adulting

March 7, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Life doesn't have a manual. But that doesn't mean there isn't a guide! This month we tackle **Demystifying Taxes** and learn how to fill out, prepare, and submit your taxes.

### ADULT | Money Matters: Long-Term Care Planning

March 7, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

March 21, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 20](#)

March 28, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 27](#)

Learn what long-term care is, where it is provided, strategies to pay for it, key features and government incentives for long-term care insurance, and how Medicare and Medicaid factor into long-term care planning.

# programs

## ADULT | Craigslist 101

March 9, 10:00 - 11:00 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn how to post ads, reply to another poster's ad, and how to search safely and strategically.

## TEEN | Research Rendezvous

March 9, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Need help with your research for National History Day? We can help you find exactly what you need to make your project stand out. Sessions are drop-in.



## CHILDREN | Canvas & Candy

March 9, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 15](#)

Grades K-5. Enjoy an afternoon of painting with acrylics on canvas while eating CANDY! Please wear an old shirt that can get paint on it.



## SPRING BREAK AT CENTENNIAL PARK LIBRARY

### CHILDREN - STEAM Into Spring, 1:00 - 2:00 pm - Grades K-5

Monday, March 11

**Float Your Boat** with foil and clay boats

Tuesday, March 12

Explore **Pendulum Painting** and learn about the forces of motion and gravity when you exchange a paint brush for a pendulum

Wednesday, March 13

Learn about earthquake resistant structures in **Seismic Shakedown**

Thursday, March 14

**Celebrate Pi** with games and activities!

Friday, March 15

[Registration required](#) - Ann Lincoln presents **Magic is from Mars, Juggling is from Jupiter.**

### TEEN - Spring Break Fun Week, 2:30 - 4:30 pm - Ages 12-18

Monday, March 11

[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

**Mario Kart Trivia Tournament** - As you put pedal to the metal in this Wii classic, answer trivia questions that will determine whether you get a bonus or a penalty! Compete until only one remains...victorious!

Tuesday, March 12

[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

**Crafternoon** - Customize a t-shirt using screen printing or a tumbler with a vinyl monogram.

Wednesday, March 13

[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

**Smoothie Island** - Learn how to combine healthy, fruity flavors into a delicious smoothie.

Friday, March 15

[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

**Animated Afternoon** - Come in and enjoy the adventures of the iconic DC hero, Wonder Woman! Watch the the animated movie, *Wonder Woman*, and join a discussion on how she has changed the comic book and real world.

Saturday, March 16

[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

**Spring Break Wrap Up** - Did you miss out on a maker program this week? Drop by and make yourself a customized item, join us for a smoothie (while supplies last)! AND the "Green Screen" is back! You don't need to leave home to get a great picture of you and your friends on the beach! We will help you make your Spring Break dreams a reality with our green screen photo booth.



# programs



## ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

March 11, 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. Walk-ins are welcome; no appointment necessary. Everyone will be helped on a first-come, first-served basis. The volunteer attorneys do not represent you just because they help you at this clinic. This clinic is information only, and is no substitute for legal representation.

## ADULT | Money Transfer Apps

March 11, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Curious about transferring money person to person but not ready to jump in? This class will teach you about the different money transfer apps, like Paypal and Venmo, and how to safely use them.

## CHILDREN & TEEN | School's Out, Library's In: Perlier Beads

March 12, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Grades K-12. Drop-in and make your own Perlier Bead creation!

## ADULT | SBDC Seminar: Grants

March 12, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grants can come from numerous sources including state and federal agencies, private corporations and foundations. It is also important to know that many of these entities have deadlines for their application process. It is difficult many times to understand how to access and how to apply. This seminar will provide information from all these different sources.

## CHILDREN | STEAM Club: Marble Mazes & Runs

March 13, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Grades K-5. Got marbles? You've got to try these really fun, creative and unique homemade marble runs and mazes.

## ADULT | Intro to Email

March 14, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Sign up for a Gmail email account and learn how to send and receive email, attach a file to an email, and download attachments that have been sent to you.

## ADULT | Dave Lively Tours: 'Sisters of Courage'

March 14, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

Dave Lively will take us back to the late 1800's and talk about Kittie and Annie Harbison, their difficult lives and the amazing story of their work in the development of Rocky Mountain National Park.

## ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado

March 14, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

Mountains and gravity partner to direct water from rain and melting snow ever downward. Some water collects in pools, and some water just keeps moving in streams. "Mother of Rivers" will explore the diversity of Colorado's creeks and rivers and what makes them so special.

## CELEBRATE PI!

March 14, 2:00 - 3:14 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#) - All ages

March 14, 4:15 - 5:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#) - Grades 3-5

Many around the world love celebrating this infinitely long, never-ending number on 3/14 because 3.14 are the first digits of pi. Celebrate Pi with games, crafts, and of course, PIE!



## ADULT | Apps for Seniors

March 15, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Tired of Candy Crush? Looking for new apps? Try out new tablet/smartphone games and learn how to browse, evaluate and download apps.



## programs

### **ADULT | The Mediterranean Diet**

March 15, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn the key characteristics of the Mediterranean diet and how the foods contribute to improved health. Determine if the Mediterranean diet is right for you and the strategies for incorporating its foods and habits into your everyday life. You will also be able to try fresh homemade hummus and olive oil salad dressing. Presented by the Colorado State University Extension.

### **Coffee with a Cop**

March 16, 9:00 - 10:30 am

**Riverside Library**

All ages. Coffee with a Cop brings police officers and the community members they serve together - over coffee - to discuss issues and learn more about each other. Come by for free coffee and donuts, and talk to a cop!

### **ADULT | Convert Your Old Media**

March 16, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 14](#)

Preserve your memories by migrating them to digital format. We'll show you how to use library equipment to convert your VHS to digital, and we'll also discuss converting other format types - records, cassettes, slides, negatives, and more. Participants who have a basic comfort level with computer storage, cards, and drives will get more out of this class.

### **ADULTO | Lo que necesita saber:**

**servicios gratuitos de voz y videollamadas por Internet**

March 17, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

¿Desea conocer las diferentes formas de hacer llamadas de voz y video gratuitas en Internet? En esta clase aprenderemos sobre tres servicios diferentes disponibles para realizar llamadas de voz y video desde su computadora o dispositivo móvil. Aprenderemos sobre Skype, Facebook Messenger y Whatsapp y las ventajas y desventajas de cada servicio. Tenga en cuenta: Skype requerirá una dirección de correo electrónico y Facebook Messenger requerirá una cuenta de Facebook.

### **ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Introducción a las Computadoras**

March 18, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Se requiere registro-16 de febrero](#)

Acompañenos a un cafecito y pan dulce y aprenda mas sober la tecnología. 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.

### **Lincoln Park Singers Performance**

March 19, 4:30-5:15 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Enjoy the Spring Performance of the Lincoln Park Singers.

## recurring gaming programs

### **Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)**

March 6; 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### **Game On!**

**(ages 14+) -**

March 10; 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### **JV Game Club**

**(ages 10+\*)**

March 10 and 24; 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

*\*children younger than 10*

*welcome with adult supervision*

### **Carbon Valley Chess Club**

**(ages 10-18)**

March 12; 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### **Juguemos Lotería**

**Let's Play Loteria**

March 12; 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library

### **Active Adults Games and Coffee**

March 14; 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library



# programs

## **ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**

March 19, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Join us for a comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

## **ADULT | eBooks 101**

March 20, 1:15 - 3:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 18](#)

Learn how to download eBooks and Audio eBooks for free from the High Plains Library District! We'll explain how to find, check out, download and transfer them to any device. *For best results, please bring your device with you to class.*

## **CHILDREN | Crafterschool: Super Spool Knitting**

March 20, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 3-5. Learn new skills and have fun creating your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.



## **ADULT | Tech Cafe**

March 20, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Need help learning to use a computer or new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## **ADULT | Understanding Your Financial Documents: Business Plan & Beyond**

March 21, 5:30 - 7:00 pm

March 28, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

When you're writing a business plan to submit to lenders, there are several elements that the lender will take into consideration. Along with components such as the business description, operational plans, and marketing tactics, they'll be looking at financial projections. This workshop will take you through the various financial documents that you should understand as a business owner.

## **ADULT | Local History Series: In Our Backyard**

March 21, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Center**

450 Powers Street, Erie

More than 2,700 years ago, Archaic-era people of the region directed bison into creek's arroyo, where they were trapped, killed, and butchered. The site, known as Kaplan-Hoover, is remarkable as the largest bison kill site in America from the Archaic era. *Presented by Sharon Danhauer, a member of the Loveland Historical Society and several other historic-minded organizations.*

## **Knit-a-thon for Colorado Knitted Knockers**

March 23, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Knitted Knockers are special, handmade breast prosthesis for women who have undergone mastectomies or other procedures to the breast. Through support from UCHHealth, all of the supplies will be available to help knit, stuff, and package Knitted Knockers that will stay in the Northern Colorado community. Come join us for the day, or an hour or two, of knitting, sharing, and caring for the women in your life, and your community, experiencing breast cancer.



## **TEEN | Adventures in Board Games**

March 23, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Grades 6-12. Come to play a plethora of board games. Bring a team or come alone!

## **CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Marble Run**

March 25, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration begins Feb. 25](#)

Grades 2-5. Join us for an engineering design challenge. Build and test a marble run prototype. Compete against other design teams to see who can keep their marble rolling the longest.

# programs

## Citizenship Workshop - Hagase Ciudadano: Taller de Ciudadanía

March 26, 3:00 - 8:00 pm, **Riverside Library**

Join the Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition as they assist eligible legal permanent residents in filling out their N-400 (Citizenship) forms at no cost. Lawyers will review applications to ensure that applicants are ready to submit their naturalization form. The Colorado Immigrant Rights Coalition will keep in contact with participants up to their naturalization testing and ceremony. This includes assistance in submitting the application. The program is drop in. Anyone who is a legal permanent resident can access these services. **For eligibility:** *Applicants must fill out a pre-screening form and will be informed of what paperwork to bring into their appointment as well as being prescreened for full or partial assistance in paying for the N-400 application process. To get pre-screened, please contact Maggie Shawcross at 970-506-8488 or fill out the pre-screening form at <http://bit.ly/ColoradolsHome>*

Acompañe a la Coalición por los Derechos de los Inmigrantes de Colorado para ayudar a los residentes permanentes legales elegibles a completar sus formularios N-400 (Ciudadanía) sin costo. Los abogados revisarán las solicitudes para asegurar que los solicitantes estén listos para enviar su formulario de naturalización. La Coalición por los Derechos de los Inmigrantes de Colorado se mantendrá en contacto con los participantes hasta su prueba y ceremonia de naturalización. Esto incluye asistencia para enviar la solicitud. El programa no requiere cita. Cualquier persona que sea un residente legal permanente puede acceder a estos servicios. **Para elegibilidad:** *Solicitantes necesitan completar la forma de evaluación previa, ya que se informará a los solicitantes de los documentos que deben llevar a su cita, así como de la evaluación previa para obtener asistencia total o parcial para pagar el proceso de solicitud N-400. Para obtener una evaluación previa, comuníquese con Maggie Shawcross al 970-506-8488 o complete el formulario de evaluación previa en <http://bit.ly/ColoradolsHome>*

## CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Cupcake Decorating

March 25, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Grades K-12. Drop-in and decorate a cupcake using frosting and a variety of toppings.

## CHILDREN | LEAP Into Science: Catch the Wind

March 26, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration begins Feb. 19](#)

Grades K-2. Air is all around us, but it is most noticeable in the form of wind. Learn a lot about wind by simply observing and experimenting with it. Build a wind catcher to take home and describe the effects different wind speeds have on your creation.

## ADULT | SBDC Seminar: Website Development & Design

March 26, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
Erie Community Library  
[Registration begins Feb. 26](#)

Having a website and a presence on the Internet are essential and critical elements for promoting your start-up business. Come learn the components of building and designing a website using Wix and other online website building models.

## CHILDREN & TEEN | Detective Science

March 27, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 8-18. Collect evidence from a crime scene and use scientific

methods to identify the culprit!  
Presented by CSU Extension.

## ADULT | Bead Therapy Thursdays: Earring Extravaganza

March 28, 6:30 - 8:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration begins Feb. 28](#)

Beading is a proven way to de-stress. Come join us for an evening of learning, creativity and relaxation. Learn wire wrapping with headpins. Leave with a smile and some new spring earrings to wear or share. All materials are provided.



# programs

## **Legendary Ladies: Unconventional Women of the West**

March 29, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

All ages. Back by popular demand, Colorado's Legendary Ladies present their Unconventional Women of the West performance. Celebrate Women's History Month and meet characters who have stepped right out of Colorado's History's pages to spend the afternoon chatting with you. The line up will include Bertha Spears: a Harvey Girl; Elaine Goodale Eastman: Sister to the Sioux; Mary Elitch: Businesswoman & First Female Owner of a Zoo; Frances Jacobs: Mother of Charities; and Mother Jones: Labor Rights Activist.

## book clubs

### **Non Fiction Book Club**

#### **First Monday of the Month**

Farr Regional Library

March 4; 1 - 2 pm

*The Innocent Man: Murder and injustice in a small town*  
by John Grisham

### **American Girl Club (Ages 8-11)**

#### **First Tuesday**

Erie Community Library

March 5; 4 - 5 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

### **Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library**

#### **Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

#### **First and Third Tuesday**

March 5 and 19

4:30 - 5:30 pm

### **Carbon Valley Regional Library**

#### **Prefects (ages 12-17)**

#### **First and Third Tuesday**

March 5 and 19

6:30 - 7:30 pm

### **Harry Potter Book Clubs at**

#### **Erie Community Library**

#### **Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

#### **Second Tuesday**

#### **Third Wednesday**

March 12 and 20

4:30 - 5:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

#### **Prefects (ages 12-17)**

#### **Second Tuesday**

March 12; 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

### **Reading Team! - (Grades 3-5)**

#### **Second Monday**

Erie Community Library

March 11; 4:00 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

### **Pints & Pages**

#### **Second Monday**

Call 1-888-861-7323 for location

March 11; 7 - 8 pm

The theme this month is *Bizarre*: let's explore some of the odder, stranger books in existence

### **Middle School Book Club**

#### **(Grades 6-8)**

#### **Second Wednesday**

Erie Community Library

March 13; 4 - 4:45 am

*\*\*Registration is required*

### **Kersey Book Club**

#### **Second Wednesday**

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

March 13; 6 - 7:30 pm

*Lab Girl* by Hope Jahren

### **Centennial Park Teen Book Club (Grades 6-12)**

#### **Third Saturday**

Centennial Park Library

March 16; 11 am - 12 pm

### **Farr Afternoon Book Club**

#### **Third Tuesday**

Farr Regional Library

March 19; 1:30 - 3 pm

*The Late Bloomers' Club*  
by Louise Miller

### **Mead Community Book Club**

#### **Third Thursday**

Mead Town Hall

441 3rd St., Mead

March 21; 10:30 - 11:30 am

### **Reading the West Book Group**

#### **Fourth Monday**

Centennial Park Library

March 25; 3 - 4 pm

*Whiskey When We're Dry*  
by John Larison

### **Riverside Readers**

#### **Fourth Monday**

Riverside Library

March 25; 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*The Sun Does Shine: how I found life and freedom on death row*  
by Anthony Ray Hinton

### **Book Lover's Club**

#### **Last Tuesday**

Carbon Valley Regional Library

March 26; 6 - 7 pm

### **Muse: A Poetry Circle**

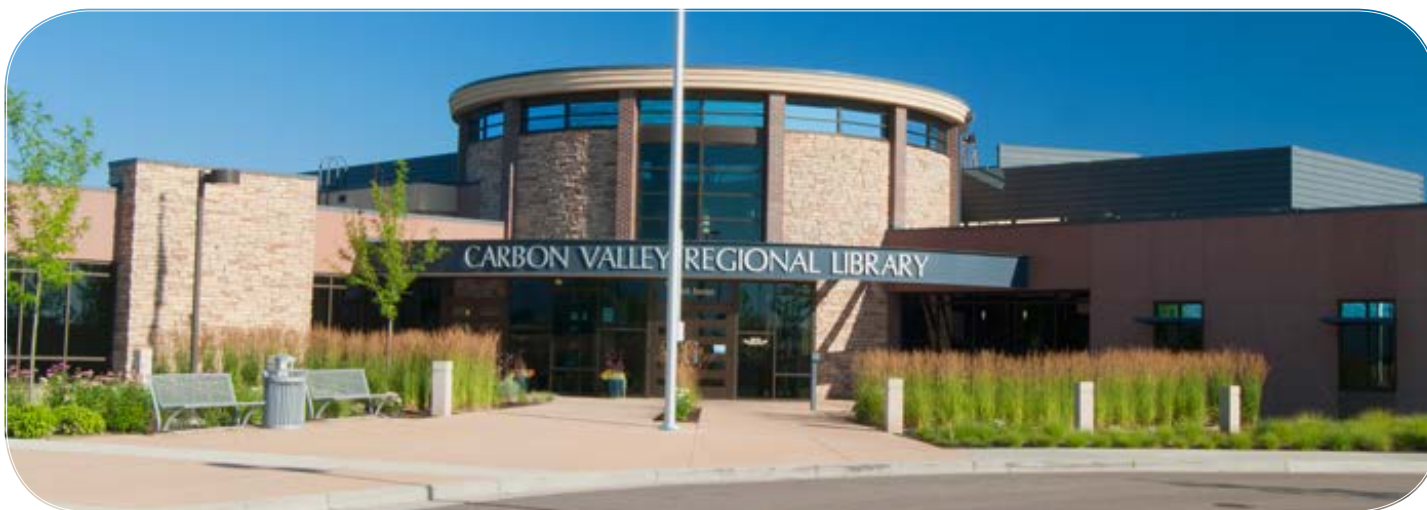
#### **Fourth Wednesday**

Farr Regional Library

March 27; 7 - 8:30 pm







## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

## **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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

## **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

## **Hill & Park Senior Center**

4205 Yosemite Dr.  
Greeley, CO 80634

## **Milliken Senior Center**

1101 Broad Street  
Milliken, CO 80543

## **Pierce Senior Center**

321 Main  
Pierce, CO 80650

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## Instant Cooking

What is an instapot, multipot, or Instant Pot® and why is it so popular? Many multipot models can steam, sauté, slow-cook, pressure cook, and even make yogurt. The instapot is known for helping you throw together a dinner at the last minute as it can cook a chunk of meat fast (40-90 minutes). The pressure cook function allows for short cuts, such as cooking dry beans without first soaking them overnight or for several hours. But you can cook just about anything in a multipot including cheesecake, pancakes, mac & cheese and much more.

Although instapots have been around for a long time, their popularity has skyrocketed in recent years due to its ease and multiple conveniences. The key to success with your instapot is selecting recipes in which softness and tenderness is the goal and which traditional cooking methods take hours. However, it is important to remember that although called an 'instant pot', there is still the usual prep time associated with cooking - vegetables must still be washed and chopped. Plus, the pot takes time to reach and release pressure, usually 10-30 minutes. While cooking traditional spaghetti and meatballs, the multipot may not be any faster than traditional methods; however, the meal can be made all in one pot instead of the normal two or three pots required with traditional methods. Many recipes can be cooked using the pressure cook or the slow cook feature depending on what works best for your schedule. Another great feature of the multipot is using the pot-in-pot method in which a side dish is cooked in the multipot at the same time as the main dish in a separate baking dish or steamer basket. All these factors add up to time saved which is why the instapot has become so common in many households.

Looking for recipes and tips and tricks to using your multipot? The library has loads of cook books geared specifically toward cooking with multipots, many of which feature healthy recipes. Go to our [catalog](#) for available titles or to put your copy on hold. In addition, the Riverside Library has an Instant Pot® 101 program on [April 14th from 1:00 – 2:30pm](#). Join Instant Pot® Enthusiast Kay Lucas as she shares techniques to help you get the most out of your cooker. Kay will also demonstrate recipes followed by tasty samples for participants. Register to save your spot or give us a call at 1-888-861-7323.

~ Megan Lowery, Outreach Librarian



### Maggie's Baked Potatoes

#### Ingredients:

Potatoes  
1 cup Water

#### Instructions:

1. Scrub potatoes
2. Pour 1 cup of water in the bottom of a 6-quart multipot and add a trivet. Follow the manufacturer's guide for locking the lid and preparing to cook.
3. Set the pot to pressure cook on high for 10 minutes.
4. After the pressure cook cycle is complete, follow the manufacturer's guide for quick release and wait until the quick release cycle is complete.

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# programs

## Stitches & Stories Quilt Show

April 1 - 30

**Lincoln Park Library**

View the quilts (and their stories) that were entered in the small quilt contest (a partnership between Lincoln Park Library and Sew Downtown).

## ADULT | "The Cloud" for Beginners

April 1, 1:00 - 2:30 pm

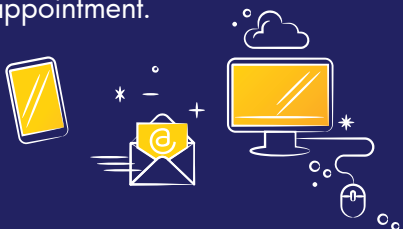
**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

What is the cloud and how can you use it to access your documents, photos, and other files from almost anywhere? From your tablet, to your phone, to your desktop - you can easily sync and share your files across devices. We will teach you the basics of backing up your data to the cloud and discuss some popular options for storage.

## Book a Librarian

Book a Librarian Appointments are free, one-on-one computer help sessions with tech specialists that are designed to answer all of your in-depth questions! They are available in English and Spanish. Visit [MyLibrary.us/services/#book\\_a\\_librarian](http://MyLibrary.us/services/#book_a_librarian) or call us at 1-888-861-7323 to request a Book a Librarian appointment.



## ADULT | Landscaping Boot Camp

April 1, 8 and 15, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Do you have a lawn and landscape that you're not sure how to take care of? Are you new to Colorado and confused about how our climate affects your landscape? CSU Extension is offering a series of three classes to help you better understand how to manage your home landscape.

### April 1: Lawn Care Basics

[Registration required](#)

### April 8: Tree Planting & Tree Care

[Registration required](#)

### April 15: Water-wise Plants & Xeriscaping

[Registration required](#)

## TEEN & ADULT | Writers' Workshop: Worldbuilding

April 2, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 12+. No matter what genre you want to write, creating a universe in which readers feel totally immersed is an important part of the writing process. In this session, author CK Miller will lead you through her process of worldbuilding including elements like maps, backstory and how to decide on the physical limitations of your world. **Bring your works in progress to share with your fellow authors.**

## CHILDREN | Crafterschool:

### Recycle! Paper

April 3, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration opens 3/20](#)

Grades 3-5. Learn new skills and have fun creating your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.



## ADULT | Job Connection

Wednesdays, April 3 - 24

4:00 - 6:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

We'll provide book and database resources, resume samples and interview question samples. We will also help with online job applications, resume and cover letter preparation.

## ADULT | Canvas & Coffee: Welcome Spring

April 4, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

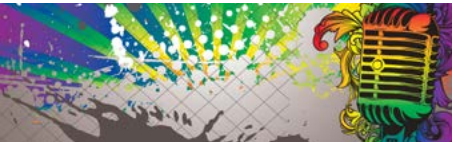
April 25, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration opens 3/21](#)

Paint your own masterpiece on canvas while enjoying some coffee and treats. Taught by The Art Spot guide Darlene Ruyle.

# programs



## TEEN | Speak Out! Poetry Workshop & Open Mic

April 4, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Speak out! Join author Bhanu Kapil for a poetry-writing workshop where you will create your own "I Remember" in the style of the poet Joe Brainard. After a one-hour workshop, there will be an Open-Mic session where you can read your "I Remember" or share something that you have brought with you. Snacks will be provided.

## ADULT | Facebook: Beyond Basics

April 5, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

You know how 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.**

## ADULT | Free Tax Return Preparation

Fridays, February 1 - April 12  
Appointments at 12:00, 1:00, 2:00 or 3:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Trained and experienced Tax-Aide volunteers will be available to confidentially review your tax situation, and prepare and electronically file your Federal and Colorado state returns. **Call 1-888-861-7323 for an appointment.** Click [here](#) for a list of documents to bring with you to the appointment.

*\*This program to provide free income tax return preparation is available to taxpayers with low to moderate income, with special attention to those 60 years and older.*

## CHILDREN | Beyond the Classroom

Fridays, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

If you are a 3rd-5th grader who does not have school on Friday afternoons, please join us weekly for an array of interactive, enrichment activities.

### April 5: Magic Principles and Sleight of Hand

[Registration required](#)

### April 12: Card Magic

[Registration required](#)

### April 19: Magic with Everyday Items

[Registration required](#)

### April 26: Graduation & Big Show

[Registration required](#)

## ADULT | Download Books, Music and More!

April 6, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

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

## CHILDREN | Little Explorers:

### Animals in Nature Meet and Greet

April 6, 10:30 - 11:30 am

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Birth-PreK. Join Nature's Educators for a preschool Meet and Greet! Meet all three animal ambassadors and learn general information about them. What is a reptile? What makes a bird? Why do amphibians like water? Make an animal craft to take home.

## sensory & spectrum storytimes



### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday

April 6, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

*\*Registration required*

### Storytime for the Spectrum

Third Saturday

April 20, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Centennial Park Library

*\*Registration required*



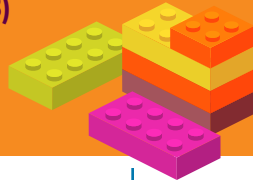
# programs

## recurring make-it programs

**Knitters Circle**  
(all skill levels welcome; adult)  
First Monday  
April 1; 6 - 8 pm  
Centennial Park Library

**Crafternoons**  
(all skill levels welcome; adult)  
Meets every 2 weeks  
April 2, 16 and 30; 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

**Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13)**  
First Saturday  
April 6; 10 - 11:30 am  
Erie Community Library



**LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)**  
Third Wednesday  
April 7; 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library

**Carbon Valley Quilters**  
(all skill levels welcome; ages 16+)  
Second Wednesday  
April 10; 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required.

**Open Sewing Sessions**  
(basic instruction and assistance  
is available; adult & teen)  
Second Friday  
April 12; 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library



**Artmakers (ages 12+)**  
Third and Fourth Thursdays  
April 18 and 25; 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library



**Camera Club (ages 8-11)**  
Fourth Monday  
April 22; 4 - 4:45 pm  
Lincoln Park Library  
\*registration required

**Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books**  
Fourth Wednesday  
April 24; 6 - 6:45 pm  
Riverside Library

### FAMILIES | Build It Together Birdhouse

April 6, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

April 14, 1:00 - 2:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 3/18](#)

April 14, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 3/18](#)

April 29, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

Get ready for Spring and build your feathered friends a Home Tweet Home! Bring the whole family to build, paint and decorate a birdhouse to use in your yard. All supplies will be provided; all you need is your creativity. Fun for all ages!

### ADULT | Starting a Garden from Scratch

April 6, 2:30 - 3:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join Serapio Ayala, Master Gardener, as he presents a class designed to make growing vegetable gardens easy and fruitful! Learn how to identify your soil type and make improvements, irrigation choices, and organic vs. non-organic gardening, as well as the benefits of seeds vs. plants.



### ADULT | Vision Boards: Manifest Your Future

April 7, 1:30 - 3:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Kick off National Library Week by manifesting your future, your dreams, and your goals through the creation of a decorative and personalized inspirational collage. Vision or future boards are powerful visualization tools that can help you attract the people and things into your life that you want! Use affirmations, inspirational words, pictures, and quotations to map out your future, discover your dreams and set your goals. All supplies provided, but feel free to bring favorite quotes or pictures that inspire or energize you.



## programs

### CHILDREN | Books & Bears with UNC

April 7 and 14, 3:00 - 4:00 pm  
[Centennial Park Library](#)

Storytimes presented by UNC's SPSO and Sigma Kappa students.  
***A parent/caregiver must be present with the child during the storytime.***

### ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

April 8, 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. Walk-ins are welcome; first-come, first-served. The volunteer attorneys do not represent you just because they help you at this clinic. This clinic is information only.

### ADULT | Spirits of the High Plains: Whisky and Chocolate

April 8, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
[Erie Community Library](#)  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 21+. Nuance Chocolate from Fort Collins and Spirit Hound Distillery from Lyons come together to talk about the processes needed to produce their products. They will offer a sampling of their products to show how these wonderful products can be combined for an amazing experience.

### ADULT | New to Medicare?

April 9, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
[Lincoln Park Library](#)  
[Registration required](#)

April 23, 4:00 - 5:00 am  
[Centennial Park Library](#)  
[Registration opens 3/23](#)

Turning 65? You have important decisions to make when you become eligible for Medicare. Our goal is to guide you through your options and help you feel confident when choosing your Medicare coverage for the first time and every year after that.

### ¿Nuevo a Medicare?

23 de abril, 5:00 - 6:00 pm  
[Centennial Park Library](#)  
[Se requiere registro 23 de marzo](#)

¿Esta cumpliendo 65 años?  
Usted tiene que tomar decisiones importantes ya que puded calificar para Medicare. Nuestra meta es guiarlo por sus opciones y hacerlo sentir seguro al elegir su covertura de medicare por la primera vez y end cada siguiente año.

### ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Introducción a las Computadoras

April 9, 12:00 - 2:00 pm  
[Riverside Library](#)  
[Se requiere registro](#)

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.

### ADULT | Make Your Own Website

April 9, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
[Farr Regional Library](#)  
[Registration required](#)

This class will take you through the step-by-step process to set up, customize and publish your own website. There's no need to own a domain, we will show you how to build a website with only a few hours of work. Whether you're looking to make a site for a small business, non-profit, travel blog, or just for fun, we'll get you started and on your way.

## movies

### Wednesday Night at the Movies - Riverside Library, 6 - 7:30 pm

April 3 - *Spiderman: Into the Spider-verse*

### Family Movie Night - Carbon Valley Regional Library, 6 - 8 pm

April 4 - *Ralph Breaks the Internet*

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park, 3 - 5 pm

April 4 - *The Big Sleep* (1946)

April 11 - *The Heart is a Lonely Hunter* (1968)

April 18 - *Stand by Me* (1986)

April 25 - *The Remains of the Day* (1993)



# programs

## recurring gaming programs

### Chess Club

(3rd-5th Grade)

April 3 and 17; 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Erie Community Library

\*Registration required.

### Battle Card Club

(Children & Teens)

April 3; 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Chess Club

(ages 10-18)

April 9; 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Lotería

9 de abril; 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library

### Active Adults Games and Coffee

April 11; 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

### Game On!

(ages 14+) -

April 14; 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

April 14 & 28; 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10

welcome with adult supervision



### CHILDREN | STEAM Club: Poultry and Embryology

April 10, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

[Riverside Library](#)

Grades K-5. Learn about the development of chickens from egg to adult. Create your very own bouncy egg and learn about DNA.

### ADULT | Medicare Options

April 10, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

April 11, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Planning your retirement and new to Medicare, or just need a refresher? Please join us for an informative and educational session. Learn about the four Medicare parts and Medicare Supplement insurance. Whether you have already enrolled, or are just starting to think about signing up, this seminar will help. Whatever your situation, this class will help you understand Medicare and your choices.

### ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado

April 11, 12:00 - 1:30 pm

[Farr Regional Library](#)

Stories about Colorado could fill an encyclopedia; details behind those stories could fill an entire library. Important dates, famous people, and iconic landmarks are generally well known; but Colorado both as a place and as a home amounts to more than just these things.

### CHILDREN | Baby Open Play

April 11, 2:00 - 2:45 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

Infants and babies, along with their caretakers, are welcome to drop-in to play and explore with all their senses. Activities will stimulate their senses and allow babies to learn while they play. Babies will have the freedom to feel new textures, hear interesting sounds and see new sights. Caregivers will learn about novel ways to interact with their young ones and make playtime educational.

### TEEN & ADULT | Learn the Ukulele

April 11, 18 and 25

4:00 - 5:00 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Ages 13+. Grab your ukulele or borrow one of ours and come learn how versatile the ukulele can be! This is a perfect beginner class taught by Kay Miller from the Rocky Mountain Ukulele Orchestra. In the first session you'll learn the basics of the instrument, and in the second and third sessions you'll play real tunes! Please attend all three sessions if possible.

### TEEN | Vinyl Records Recycled

April 11, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

April 20, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

[Riverside Library](#)

Grades 6-12. Come to the library to upcycle old records into clocks, dream catchers and more!

# programs

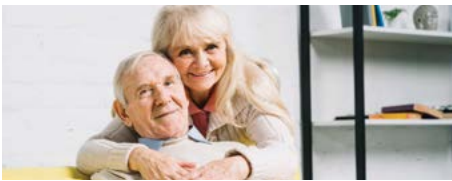
## ADULT | Publish your eBook on Amazon

April 12, 10:00 - 11:30 am

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Always wanted to try your hand at self-publishing? We'll show you how to upload your manuscript and cover art to Amazon. We'll talk about how to reach your audience, other options for self-publishing, and more. **Participants should be comfortable with basic computer operation and bring their materials to class on a flash drive or their personal computer.**



## Carbon Valley Older Adult Resource Fair

April 13, 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join us for our inaugural resource fair for older adults and their families. Information and local resources on aging will be provided. Presentations include:

**10:15 am** - Clinton Carlisle, Attorney - "Estate Planning: what you need to know"

**11:30 am** - Jessica O-Leary, MSW - "The Savvy Caregiver"

Free breakfast and refreshments will be provided.

Sponsors include First Light Home Care, Weld County Area Agency on Aging, and Tru Pace

## ADULT | Instant Pot 101

April 14, 1:00 - 2:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

The Instant Pot craze is here, are you on-board? Sign up for a tasty introduction to cooking in an electric pressure cooker with Instant Pot enthusiast, Kay Lucas. Whether your Instant Pot is still in the box or you just want to expand your repertoire, this class will give you the techniques to help you get the most from your cooker. Most of these techniques can be used with any brand of electric pressure cooker. Kay will demonstrate several recipes that you can recreate at home. Following the demonstration, tasty samples will be available for participants.

## ALL AGES | Spring Chickens

April 15

**Erie Community Library**

Our eggs and incubator from CSU Extension arrives today!

## ADULT | The Mediterranean Diet

April 16, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn the key characteristics of the Mediterranean diet and how the foods contribute to improved health. Determine if the Mediterranean diet is right for you and the strategies for incorporating its foods and habits into your everyday life. You will also be able to try fresh homemade hummus and olive oil salad dressing. Presented by the Colorado State University Extension.

## CHILDREN | Learn the Ukulele

April 16, 23 and 30

5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Children ages 8-12 paired with an adult. Grab your ukulele or borrow one of ours and come learn how versatile the ukulele can be! This is a perfect beginner class taught by Kay Miller from the Rocky Mountain Ukulele Orchestra. In the first session you'll learn the basics of the instrument, and in the second and third sessions you'll play real tunes! Please attend all three sessions if possible.

## ADULT | Recognize and Respond to Opioid Abuse

April 16, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**



According to the National Institutes of Health, more than 130 people in the United States die after overdosing on opioids every day, and their use in Weld County is on the rise. Naloxone (Narcan) is a medication designed to rapidly reverse an opioid overdose. Learn how to administer this lifesaving drug, as well as risk factors and signs of an overdose; where Naloxone can be purchased, and more information about opioid use in Colorado and Weld County. Join us for this informative and important discussion presented by AmeriCorps and the Community Opioid Response Program.

## programs

**ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**  
April 16, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Join us for a comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

**CHILDREN | Crafterschool: Upcycle! DVDs**  
April 17, 3:30 - 5:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 4/3](#)

Grades 3-5. Learn new skills and have fun creating your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.

**ALL AGES | Poetry Open Mic Night**  
April 17, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 3/17](#)

April is National Poetry Month, and all ages are invited to share their poetry. New poets, experienced poets, experimental poets, spoken word poets, slam poets, lyrical poets and all other types of poets are encouraged to attend and share their work. Please keep poems under 5 minutes, and the content should be appropriate for all ages. The first 15 poets to sign up are guaranteed a spot. The last 30 minutes of the poetry open mic night will be reserved for same day sign-ups at Centennial Park Library.



**CHILDREN | Poultry & Embryology**  
April 18, 3:30 - 4:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 4/1](#)

Grades K-5. Join us for fun at the library with Colorado State University! Learn about the development of chickens from egg to adult. Create your very own bouncy egg and learn about DNA.

**ADULT | Bead Therapy Thursdays: Learn Peyote Stitch**  
April 18 and 25, 6:30 - 8:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 3/28](#)

In this two-part class, learn Peyote Stitch - considered to be the most versatile of all the off-loom bead weaving stitches. It has been used worldwide for thousands of years by many different cultures including many native American peoples. Peyote-stitched pieces have even been found in ancient Egyptian tombs! Bead weaving is a fabulous way to de-stress. Working with your hands, the repetition of the stitching and the colors all combine to focus the mind and relax the body. So come join us for this peyote stitch mini series. We will be creating a bracelet in cheerful Spring colors. All materials and tools are provided.

## paws to read

Paws to READ dogs will curl up on the floor to share stories with anyone wanting to read to them. Therapy dogs sit quietly and calmly while children read aloud to them, allowing children to become more relaxed and confident about reading.

**Centennial Park Library**  
Second Monday  
April 8, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**  
Second Wednesday  
April 10, 6 - 7 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
Second Wednesday  
April 10; 6:30 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**  
Fourth Wednesday  
April 24  
4:30 - 5:45 pm



**ADULT | Local History Series: Rocky's West Side Stories**  
April 18, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Center**  
450 Powers Street, Erie

Do you ever wish you had lived in the pioneer days? People have been living in and around Rocky Mountain National Park for over 11,000 years. Experience history with exciting, inspirational stories of human nature versus Mother Nature in Rocky Mountain National Park.



## programs

# TEENS

## recurring teen programs

### **Independence! #Adulging Budgets that Make Cents.**

April 4, 4 - 5:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### **Illuminateens: Teen Advisory Board**

April 9, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### **Teen Advisory Board**

April 16, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library

### **Teen Tech Series**

#### **Making Games with Makey-Makey**

April 11, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### **Teen Engineering Community Hub Hub Comunitario de Ingeniería para Adolescente**

April 10, 5:30 - 6:30 pm  
Riverside Library

### **Teen Advisory Board**

April 20, 10 - 11 am  
Centennial Park Library  
*\*Registration required for  
Community Service Hours credit*

### **ADULT | What is AR (Augmented Reality)?**

April 19, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration begins 3/20](#)

Learn a little about the history of AR, where it is projected to go, and how it is being used today.

### **ADULT | Intro to Excel**

April 20, 2:00 - 4:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration begins 3/21](#)

Excel is a workplace tool that is always in demand. This class is designed for beginners. We will get you comfortable with the basics and give you the tools to learn more advanced functions. ***Participants should be comfortable with using Windows computers, a mouse, and keyboard.***



### **Teen Trivia: Harry Potter**

April 22, 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 3/22](#)

Do you love Harry Potter? Are you ready to prove your deep knowledge of all seven books? Do you solemnly swear you're up to no good? Get your teams of Potter heads together and come ready to play. Costumes and wizarding apparel encouraged! Mischief managed!

### **ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Intro a Internet**

22 de abril, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Se requiere registro 23 de marzo](#)

Venga y aprenda todo sobre el Internet - o en realidad, la Red! Aprenda como usar los navegadores, motores de búsqueda, buscando en las red y como los sitios funcionan. También le mostraremos como interpretar los resultados de búsqueda y evitar los anuncios.

### **ADULT | Career Edge: Coding Basics**

April 23, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Explore basic principles fundamental to every coding language through hands-on activities and games. No coding experience required and technology will be provided.

### **CHILDREN | LEAP Into Science: Make a Splash!**

April 23, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 3/19](#)

Grades K-2. Water is all around us. It's in our showers and baths, in our drinking glasses, in the clouds, and in oceans and lakes. We will explore and test the unique properties of water.

## ukulele

### **Strumming Circle (ages 12+)**

Third Thursday  
April 18, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library



# programs

## ADULT | SBDC Seminar: Website Development & Design

April 23, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
[Registration required](#)

Having a website and a presence on the Internet are essential and critical elements for promoting your start-up business. Come learn the components of building and designing a website using Wix and other online website building models.

## ADULT | Acrylic Pouring for Beginners

April 24, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library  
[Registration opens 3/27](#)

Discover your inner artist and a new relaxing hobby as we explore acrylic pour painting. All materials provided, but wear old clothes and shoes. Each participant will take home a finished canvas.

## ADULT | Money Matters: Home Buying in a Hot Market

April 25, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
[Registration required](#)

Ready to buy your first home or maybe refinance your existing mortgage? Invest an hour with us before investing in a mortgage. We'll make it worth your while. Discover the current local market, the cost of renting versus buying, how to choose a realtor, different loan types, down payment options, closing costs, fees, and more. *Presented by Nancy Patton, Community Involvement Specialist with Public Services Credit Union.*

## ADULT | Tech Cafe

April 26, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
Erie Community Library

Need help learning to use a computer or new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## Teen Self-Care Workshop

April 27, 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library  
[Registration opens 4/1](#)

Ages 12-18. Final exams, job and college interviews, and life in general, will be a breeze once you learn about relaxation and stress-reduction at our Teen Self-Care Workshop. We will have experts on-hand to give you all the skills you need to keep your teenage years stress-free.



**Family FUN Saturdays**

Every Saturday All Year Long!

1st Saturday: Learn how to play the ukulele  
2nd Saturday: STEAM related fun for the whole family  
3rd Saturday: "You are amazing" Theater Play  
4th Saturday: Open Mic Karaoke  
5th Saturday: SURPRISE!

**2:00-4:00p.m.**

Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th St. Greeley

## CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Mission to Mars

April 29, 1:00 - 2:00 pm  
Centennial Park Library  
[Registration opens 4/1](#)

Grades 2-5. In this engineering challenge, design and build a model spaceship frame that can withstand the rigors of space travel. Experience the difficulty of guiding a rover over distant terrain from earthbound Mission Control.

## ADULT | Finding and Downloading Podcasts

April 29, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
[Registration opens 3/30](#)

Over the past few years podcasts have grown to rival or even outpace traditional forms of media and this is your chance to find out what all the fuss is about. Learn how to find and download a variety of free podcasts on the subjects you enjoy. **Bring your phone or other device and leave with a podcast.**



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# programs

## book clubs

### **Non Fiction Book Club First Monday of the Month**

Farr Regional Library  
April 1; 1 - 2 pm  
*Rising Out of Hatred: The  
awakening of a former white  
nationalist*  
by Eli Saslow

### **American Girl Club (Ages 8-11) First Tuesday**

Erie Community Library  
April 2, 4 - 5 pm  
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\*\*Registration is required

### **Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library**

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)  
First and Third Tuesday**  
April 2 and 16  
4:30 - 5:30 pm

### **Carbon Valley Regional Library Prefects (ages 12-17)**

**First and Third Tuesday**  
April 2 and 16  
6:30 - 7:30 pm

### **Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library**

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)  
Second Tuesday  
Third Wednesday**  
April 9 and 17  
4:30 - 5:30 pm  
\*\*Registration is required

### **Prefects (ages 12-17)**

**Second Tuesday**  
April 9; 6:30 - 7:45 pm  
\*\*Registration is required

### **Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)**

**Second Monday**  
Erie Community Library  
April 8; 4:00 - 4:45 pm  
\*\*Registration is required

### **Pints & Pages**

**Second Monday**  
Call 1-888-861-7323 for location  
April 8; 7 - 8 pm  
The theme this round is the five  
senses. April is *Phantom of the  
Opera* (nothing like the smell of  
old books)

### **Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)**

**Second Wednesday**  
Erie Community Library  
April 10; 4 - 4:45 pm  
\*\*Registration is required

### **Centennial Park Teen Book Club (Grades 6-12)**

**Third Saturday**  
Centennial Park Library  
April 20; 11 am - 12 pm  
\* Registration is required

### **Farr Afternoon Book Club**

**Third Tuesday**  
Farr Regional Library  
April 16; 1:30 - 3 pm  
*The Whistling Season*  
by Ivan Doig

### **Mead Community Book Club**

**Third Thursday**  
Mead Town Hall  
441 3rd St., Mead  
March 21; 10:30 - 11:30 am

### **Reading the West Book Group**

**Fourth Monday**  
Centennial Park Library  
April 22; 3 - 4 pm  
*Rough Animals*  
by Rae DelBianco

### **Riverside Readers**

**Fourth Monday**  
Riverside Library  
April 22; 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
*The Woman in the Window*  
by A.J. Finn

### **Book Lover's Book Club**

**Last Tuesday**  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
April 30; 6 - 7 pm





## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

## **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

## **Nunn Town Hall**

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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

## **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

## **Hill & Park Senior Center**

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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- Jim Rohn



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## Summer Reading Spoilers

Spoilers! It's a touchy word. Perhaps a word to avoid in polite company. There are few faster ways to find yourself ostracized at a party than by talking about how a popular new movie ended.

Not all spoilers are bad though.

If somebody spoiled the winning lottery numbers for you, that could turn out very nicely. If you were boarding an airplane, and the pilot asked whether you'd like to know if you'd reach your destination safely, you might take her up on a spoiler. Or maybe you're curious what would make your car look a little more sporty. Yep, that's a spoiler too.

Well, I've got some choice spoilers concerning 2019's Summer Reading Adventure that I think you might enjoy. What do you say? Want the scoop? Read on!

**The Theme:** This year's theme is *A Universe of Stories*. What does that mean? It speaks of vastness. But it's more than just space travel and shooting stars. It is the bottomless depths of our imaginations, the endless horizon of our curiosity. And, hey! It's also space travel and shooting stars.

The idea is that there are so many stories to explore that, like the universe, we'll never reach the end of them. Some of them exist in books. Great! The library has tons of those. Some of them exist in people. Libraries are a great place to make new friends! Some of them are experiences and adventures you haven't yet had. The High Plains Library District has a full menu of exciting programs, presenters and new adventures for you to explore this summer.

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## Summer Reading Spoilers *continued*

**The Participants:** Any and all patrons of the High Plains Library District. Nine days old? Yes! You're never too young for people to read to you. Ninety years old? Absolutely! You never outgrow a good story. Any and every other possible age? Of course! Infants, children, teenagers and adults are all welcome.

Last year, we opened the Summer Reading Adventure to all ages. And we didn't regret it! Let's keep a good thing going!

**The Fun:** Another item we kept from last year is the Discovery Card. Let's be honest. Reading logs can feel like doing literary taxes. However, the Summer Reading Discovery Card is your passport to exciting projects, challenges and adventures this summer. Interact with the world in a different way. Discover a new hobby. Or indulge in a reading-spree of your favorite authors.

We are more interested in our patrons savoring their reading than tracking it. Save the itemizing for your 1040.

And then? Oh, should I give away the end? No! I must keep some secrets. Okay. I'll tell. But this mustn't reach beyond you and I and everybody else who reads this newsletter.

**Parties.** At each SRA location. Wild rumpuses to end off the Summer Reading Adventure. Summer Reading Celebrations done right! Complete the program and get your invitation to the biggest summer reading shindig in town!

Oh, and you're going to discover that a future version of you built a time machine, traveled back to the year 2019 and wrote this article to tell you what an awesome summer you were about to have.

How's that for a spoiler?

*~ David E. Sharp is not a librarian, but a pseudonym used by a time traveling article writer.*

# programs



## Terrariums and Plants

May 1, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Grades K-5

**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

May 6, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Grades 3-5

**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

May 9, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
Grades 6-12

**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

May 11, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm  
Ages 12-18

**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

May 30, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Grades K-5

**Riverside Library**  
[Registration opens 4/30](#)

Join us for fun at the library with Colorado State University Extension! Dream and build your very own terrarium world and learn about mini-eco systems. All supplies provided.

## CHILDREN | Families N Jammies

May 1, 6:00 - 6:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**

Families, jump into your jammies, grab your favorite stuffed animal and head to the library for a special evening storytime on the first Wednesday of every month. The whole family is welcome.

## ADULTS | Tea Time with the Butterfly Pavilion

May 2, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Can't make it to the Butterfly Pavilion? Come enjoy some tea and scones as the Butterfly Pavilion comes to you with live invertebrates from around the world! We'll take you on a virtual adventure to explore our incredible residents - insects, spiders and more. You can even hold Rosie the tarantula!

## Spring Chickens at Erie: Chick Egg Candling

May 2, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Experience candling, where we shine a bright light through the eggs to see the embryos. Learn more about the stages of the chicks' growth and how we will know when they're ready to hatch. *This is a partnership with CSU Extension Office.*

## ADULT | English Hour/Hora de Inglés

Thursdays in May  
5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Learn English in a casual environment.  
*Aprenda inglés en un ambiente informal.*

## ADULT | CSU Extension Yard and Garden Class

May 2, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Join Amy Lentz, CSU Extension Horticulture Agent, and learn how you can have the best lawn on the block! Topics covered in this beginner-level class include recommended lawn watering schedules, aeration, fertilization and troubleshooting various lawn problems.



## ADULT | Money Matters: Social Security Retirement Benefits

May 2, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

May 23, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 4/22](#)

In this seminar you will learn what your full retirement age is and how your benefit is determined; how retiring earlier than, or later than, your full retirement age will affect your Social Security benefit; why it's important to plan together with your spouse, and strategies you can use to boost retirement and survivor's benefits; and how working after you begin receiving Social Security could affect how much you receive.



# programs

## **ADULT | Smartphone Clinic - Drop-in Help**

May 3 and 17, 10:00 - 11:30 am  
**Farr Regional Library**

The librarian is in! Drop by and ask us all of the questions that keep you up at night, like what's airplane mode, or how do I limit the amount of data apps use?

## **CHILDREN | Beyond the Classroom**

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

If you are a 3rd-5th grader who does not have school on Friday afternoons, please join us weekly for an array of interactive, enrichment activities.

### **May 3: Poultry**

[Registration required](#)

### **May 10: Terrariums and Plants**

[Registration required](#)

### **May 17: Drip Painted Flower Pots**

[Registration required](#)

## **DIY Day**

May 4, 8:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Frederick Recreation Area**  
**8201 Colorado Blvd., Frederick**

The fifth annual DIY Day will feature a whole morning of non-stop do-it-yourself action on topics like looming, nature photography, gardening and more! Learn how to do lots of things in one morning, including activities for all ages. Presented by the Carbon Valley Regional Library and the Town of Frederick. The event will take place in conjunction with the Frederick Fishing Clinic. [www.frederickco.gov/695/DIY-Day](http://www.frederickco.gov/695/DIY-Day).

## **ADULT | Introduction to PowerPoint**

May 4, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Using PowerPoint to convey your ideas can be a great tool... or snooze-inducing. Get tips on how to transform an everyday presentation to one your audiences will never forget! This class is for PowerPoint beginners and those looking to refresh themselves on the latest version. **Attendees should be familiar with Windows-based computers, mouse and keyboard.**

## **Little Explorers: May the Fourth Be With You**

May 4, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
**Riverside Library**

Families and children of all ages. May the Fourth Be With You at this special *Star Wars* themed family storytime. Enjoy books, stories and crafts with your favorite characters from a galaxy far, far away. This storytime is limited to the first 25 people.

## **CHILDREN | On the Road to Reading: Early Literacy Fair**

May 7, 9:30 - 11:00 am  
**Centennial Park Library**

Birth-PreK. Read, Write, Sing, Talk and Play with your children! Visit any time during our free Early Literacy Fair for lots of fun, interactive learning activities based on the 5 practices of Every Child Ready to Read. You and your child will enjoy imagination and musical games, fun crafts, and do much more!

## **CHILDREN | You and Me Yoga: Toddlers**

**Erie Community Library**

May 7, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 14, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 21, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

Have fun doing yoga alongside your little one at You and Me Yoga. Caregivers and children will move together and explore yoga in a way that's specifically designed with young children in mind. This class promotes social, emotional, and cognitive development as we connect movement to breath and mindfully move our bodies. Feel free to bring your own yoga mat, but it's not necessary to enjoy the program.

## **sensory & spectrum storytimes**



### **Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs**

First Saturday  
May 4, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library  
*\*Registration required*

### **Storytime for the Spectrum**

Third Saturday  
May 18, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
Centennial Park Library  
*\*Registration required*

# programs

## CHILDREN | Baby Sensory: Make-It and Play

May 8, 9:30 - 10:30 am  
[Riverside Library](#)

Ages 0-2 and caregiver. Sensory activities encourage exploration while babies play and investigate. Babies can play while caregivers create a Sensory Book to take home. Limited to the first 25 children.

## CHILDREN | Crafterschool: Artistic Acrylic Painting

May 8, 3:30 - 5:30 pm  
[Farr Regional Library](#)  
[Registration opens 4/24](#)

Grades 3-5. Learn artistic acrylic painting and have fun creating your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.

## CHILDREN | Riverside STEAM Club: The Science of Ice Cream

May 8, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
[Riverside Library](#)

Grades K-5. Limited to the first 15 children.



## Spring Chickens at Carbon Valley

May 8, 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

Come watch as the incubator is set up and the eggs are placed inside. Learn about the life cycle of a chicken from egg to hatchling. *This is a partnership with CSU Extension Office.*

## CHILDREN | STEAM Storytime

May 9, 16 and 23  
9:30 - 10:30 am  
[Riverside Library](#)

Ages 2-5. Enjoy a storytime with books, rhymes and songs and then experience hands-on activities to explore STEAM topics. Limited to the first 25 people.

## CHILDREN | You and Me Yoga: Preschoolers

[Erie Community Library](#)

May 9, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 10, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 16, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 17, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 18, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

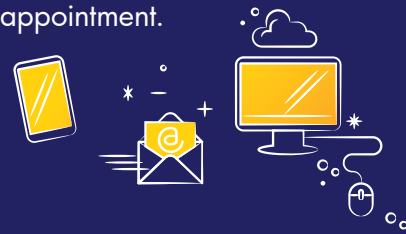
May 23, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

May 24, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
[Registration required](#)

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## Book a Librarian

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## ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado

May 9, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
[Farr Regional Library](#)

Fur-trapping lured people to Colorado for half a century. Gold and silver took command and lured many more people causing the area to develop industrially before it developed agriculturally. From trees for lumber, timbers, and ties to animals for food, wildlife made Colorado's settlement possible.

## CHILDREN | Baby Open Play

May 9, 2:00 - 2:45 pm  
[Erie Community Library](#)

Infants and babies, along with their caretakers, are welcome to drop-in to play and feel new textures, hear interesting sounds and see new sights. Caregivers will learn about novel ways to interact with their young ones and make playtime educational.

## programs

### recurring make-it programs

#### Knitters Circle (all skill levels welcome; adult)

First Monday  
May 6; 6 - 8 pm  
Centennial Park Library

#### Carbon Valley Quilters (all skill levels welcome; ages 16+)

Second Wednesday  
May 8; 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required.

#### Open Sewing Sessions (basic instruction and assistance is available; adult & teen)

Second Friday  
May 10; 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

#### Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13) - limited to the first 20 children.

First Saturday  
May 11; 10 - 11am  
Erie Community Library  
**\*\*Parents of children younger than  
12 MUST remain in the library.**

#### Crafternoons (all skill levels welcome; adult)

Meets every 2 weeks  
May 14 and 28; 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

#### LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)

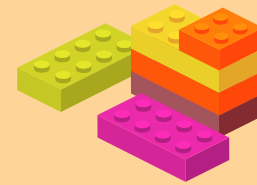
Third Wednesday  
May 15; 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library

#### Artmakers (ages 12+)

Third and Fourth Thursdays  
May 16 and 23; 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

#### Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books

Fourth Wednesday  
May 22; 6 - 6:45 pm  
Riverside Library



#### ADULT | Download Books, Movies, Music, and More

May 10, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

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

#### CHILDREN & TEEN | 3rd Annual Mario Kart Tournament

May 11, 2:00 - 4:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 10-18. Compete to be crowned the Mario Kart champion of Carbon Valley Regional Library as you drop banana peels, dodge shells and try to outmaneuver your fellow racers. Snacks and refreshments will be served and prizes awarded for top spots.

#### ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

May 13, 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. Walk-ins are welcome; first-come, first-served. The volunteer attorneys do not represent you just because they help you at this clinic. This clinic is information only.

#### ukulele

##### Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday  
May 16, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library



#### ADULT | Spirits of the High Plains: Cider and Cheese

May 13, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 21+. The Truffle Cheese Shop from Denver and The Old Mine Cidery from Erie come together to talk about the processes needed to produce their amazing products. They will then offer a sampling of cider and cheese to show how both of these wonderful products can be combined for an amazing experience.

#### CHILDREN | STEAM for Little Learners

May 14, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
**Farr Regional Library**

Ages Birth-PreK. Explore STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, and math) concepts through fun and engaging hands-on activities.

# programs

## recurring gaming programs

### Chess Club

(3rd-5th Grade)

May 1 and 15; 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Erie Community Library

\*Registration required.

### Battle Card Club

(Children & Teens)

May 1; 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Active Adults Games and Coffee

May 9; 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

### Game On!

(ages 14+) -

May 12; 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

May 12 & 26; 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10  
welcome with adult supervision

### Carbon Valley Chess Club

(ages 10-18)

May 14; 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Lotería

14 de mayo; 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library



### ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Intro a Internet

14 de mayo, 12:00 - 2:00 pm

[Riverside Library](#)

[Se requiere registro](#)

Venga y aprenda todo sobre el Internet - o en realidad, la Red! Aprenda como usar los navegadores, motores de búsqueda, buscando en la red y como los sitios funcionan. También le mostraremos como interpretar los resultados de búsqueda y evitar los anuncios.

### ADULT | SBDC Small Business Semimar: Grants Available to Small Businesses

May 14, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Grants can come from numerous sources including state and federal agencies, private corporations and foundations. It is also important to know that many of these entities have deadlines for their application process. It is difficult many times to understand how to access and how to apply. This seminar will provide information from all these different sources.

### CHILDREN | Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime

May 14, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Ages 3-6 and their grownups. Let's build literacy skills and healthy bodies! This interactive and playful storytime integrates yoga poses and movement with stories and songs.

### ADULT | Resume Workshop

May 15, 9:15 - 11:15 am

[Centennial Park Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

We'll give you tips and tricks that will make your resume stand out. Learn the necessary resume features for your industry, give you the crucial "dos" and "don'ts" of resume building, and have time for Q&A on specific topics.

### CHILDREN | Crafterschool: Mosaic Masterpiece

May 15, 3:30 - 5:30 pm

[Farr Regional Library](#)

[Registration opens 5/1](#)

Grades 3-5. Create your own mosaic masterpiece. Supplies provided.



### TEEN | Bee Aware: The Importance of Bees

May 16, 4:30 - 5:30 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Bees are crucial pollinators that play a key role in biodiversity, but did you know that many bees don't live in a hive and make honey? Liana Street, a member of the People & Pollinators Action Network, will teach us about Colorado's solitary bee populations, and why they are so important. We'll learn ways everyone can help save the bees and create "seed bombs" to take in order to grow bee friendly plants.



# programs

## movies

**Wednesday Night at the Movies - Riverside Library, 6 - 7:30 pm**  
May 1

**Family Movie Night - Carbon Valley Regional Library, 6 - 7:30 pm**  
May 2 - *Hedgehogs*

**Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park, 3 - 5 pm**  
May 2 - *Moulin Rouge* (1952)  
May 9 - *My Left Foot* (1989)  
May 16 - *Basquiat* (1996)  
May 23 - *Frida* (2002)  
May 30 - *At Eternity's Gate* (2018)



**ADULT | Local History Series:**  
**Colorado Wildlife History**  
May 16, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Center**  
450 Powers Street, Erie

Colorado has its own nature, and that nature is worth engaging. From lesser prairie-chickens in Baca County to cliff chipmunks in Moffat County, Colorado hosts a fabulous diversity of wildlife. Kevin J. Cook will share the what, when, where and by whom the first wildlife was documented in Colorado, and for that matter, what qualifies as wildlife? Kevin J. Cook is a freelance writer and naturalist based in Loveland.

**Tonks & the Aurors: A Harry Potter Concert**  
May 17, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Come and enjoy the Harry Potter fan band, Tonks & the Aurors! There will also be HP related games, snacks and a photo booth.

**ADULT | Intro to Excel**  
May 20, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration begins 4/20](#)

Excel is a workplace tool that is always in demand. This class is designed for beginners. We will get you comfortable with the basics and give you the tools to learn more advanced functions. ***Participants should be comfortable with using Windows computers, a mouse, and keyboard.***

**ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Intro a Craigslist**  
20 de mayo, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Se requiere registro 20 de abril](#)

Venga y aprenda sobre como navegar de una manera segura este sitio popular. Aprenderas como publicar un anuncio y daremos consejos para que puedes comprar y vender todo desde auto hasta muebles, e incluso buscar empleo.

**ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**  
May 21, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Join us for a comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

**CHILDREN | Pajamarama**  
May 22, 6:30 - 7:15 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 2 ½ - 6. Cuddle up in your PJs and enjoy sleepytime tales and tunes during our evening storytime.

**ADULT | SBDC Boot Camp**  
Thursdays, May 23, 30, June 6, 13 and 27  
6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 4/22](#)

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### Spring Chickens at Carbon Valley

May 28 - June 4

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Drop-in to see the hatched chicks and learn about caring for them. *This is a partnership with CSU Extension Office.*

### ADULT | Career Edge: Presentation Pitfalls

May 28, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Learn some tips on popular presentation software like PowerPoint, Google Slides, and Prezi as well as some of the most common mistakes made when creating and giving presentations.

### CHILDREN & TEEN | Make It DIY Series

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 10-18. Try your hand at some DIY projects with impressive results.

May 28, 2:30 - 3:30 pm

[Registration opens 5/1](#)

Marshmallow Shooter

May 29, 2:30 - 3:30 pm

[Registration opens 5/1](#)

Screen Printing

May 30, 2:30 - 3:30 pm

[Registration opens 5/1](#)

Stamp out Custom Buttons

### ADULT | Tech Cafe

May 31, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer or new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

### ADULT | Random Fandom Trivia

May 31, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 4/30](#)

Ages 18+. Calling all adult Disney fans! Do you think you have what it takes to out-Disney other superfans? Grab your friends, freshen up on those favorite classic Disney films and come prepared for a magical night of Disney Trivia. Come in costume! Best dressed wins a special prize.

## paws to read

### Riverside Library

Second Wednesday

May 8, 6 - 7 pm

### Carbon Valley Regional Library

Second Wednesday

May 8; 6:30 - 7:45 pm

### Centennial Park Library

Second Monday

May 13, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

### Erie Community Library

Fourth Wednesday

May 22

4:30 - 5:45 pm



# TEENS

## recurring teen programs

### Independence! #Adulting Container Gardening

May 2, 4 - 5:30 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Engineering Community Hub Hub Comunitario de Ingeniería para Adolescente

May 8, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

Riverside Library

### Teen Tech Series Balance Sculptures

May 9, 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

May 14, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Teen Advisory Board

May 18, 10 - 11 am

Centennial Park Library

*\*Registration required for  
Community Service Hours credit*

### Teen Advisory Board

May 21, 4 - 5 pm

Erie Community Library

# programs

## book clubs

**Non Fiction Book Club**  
**First Monday of the Month**  
Farr Regional Library  
May 6, 1 - 2 pm  
*My Own Words*  
by Ruth Bader Ginsburg

**Harry Potter Book Clubs at**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**  
**First and Third Tuesday**  
May 7 and 21  
4:30 - 5:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
**Prefects (ages 12-17)**  
**First and Third Tuesday**  
May 7 and 21  
6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Middle School Book Club**  
**(Grades 6-8)**  
**Second Wednesday**  
Erie Community Library  
May 8, 4 - 4:45 pm  
*\*\*Registration is required*

**Kersey Book Club**  
**2nd Wednesday**  
**Platte Valley Fire Station**  
**27128 CR 53, Kersey**  
May 8, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
*Zoo Keeper's Wife*  
by Diane Ackerman

**Erie Evening Book Club**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Erie Community Library**  
May 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)**  
**Second Monday**  
Erie Community Library  
May 13; 4:00 - 4:45 pm  
*\*\*Registration is required*

**Pints & Pages**  
**Second Monday**  
Call 1-888-861-7323 for location  
May 13, 7 - 8 pm  
The theme this round is the five senses. May is Making Books (*putting the personal touch on books*)

**Harry Potter Book Clubs at**  
**Erie Community Library**  
**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**  
**Second Tuesday**  
**Third Wednesday**  
May 14 and 15  
4:30 - 5:30 pm  
*\*\*Registration is required*

**Prefects (ages 12-17)**  
**Second Tuesday**  
May 14, 6:30 - 7:45 pm  
*\*\*Registration is required*

**Centennial Park Teen Book Club**  
**(Grades 6-12)**  
**Third Saturday**  
Centennial Park Library  
May 18, 11 am - 12 pm  
*\* Registration is required*

**Reading the West Book Group**  
**Fourth Monday**  
Centennial Park Library  
May 20, 3 - 4 pm  
*Plundered Skulls and Stolen Spirits: Inside the Fight to Reclaim Native America's Culture*  
by Chip Colwell

**Riverside Readers**  
**Fourth Monday**  
Riverside Library  
May 20, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
*Driving Miss Norma: one family's journey saying "yes" to living*  
by Tim Bauerschmidt

**Farr Afternoon Book Club**  
**Third Tuesday**  
Farr Regional Library  
May 21, 1:30 - 3 pm  
*The Soul of America*  
by Jon Meacham

**Muse: A Poetry Circle**  
**4th Tuesday**  
**Farr Regional Library**  
May 22, 7 - 8:30 pm

**Book Lover's Book Club**  
**Last Tuesday**  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
May 28, 6 - 7 pm



**Family FUN**  
**Saturdays**

A colorful illustration featuring a variety of items: a white mask with a feathered headdress, a blue guitar, a red book, a box of confetti, a small open book, and a blue computer mouse. The background is a warm orange-yellow gradient.

**Every Saturday All Year Long!**

1st Saturday: Learn how to play the ukulele  
2nd Saturday: STEAM related fun for the whole family  
3rd Saturday: "You are amazing" Theater Play  
4th Saturday: Open Mic Karaoke  
5th Saturday: SURPRISE!

**2:00-4:00p.m.**

Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th St. Greeley



## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

## **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

## **Nunn Town Hall**

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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

## **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

## **Hill & Park Senior Center**

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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- Jim Rohn



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## ***Lost on a Page ~ My debut into the world of publishing***

In May of 2018, my book *Lost on a Page* was published as an ebook and trade paperback by Double Dragon, a small press based out of Canada. The official email announcing its release date came to me while I was sitting in a dentist's chair. (I mean, don't you read emails when you're getting your teeth cleaned?) But the long, winding road to that email began in 2013. Publishing a book takes a while.

Rather than go into a five-year biographical snapshot, I'll sum it up. In the early 2000s, I had written and produced three plays in my hometown of Amarillo, Texas. My least favorite was about an author whose writer's block had driven him to the brink. He began to hallucinate that his characters were coming to life, and they did not care for the direction he was taking this story. The premise was fine, but I believed I could improve it if I scrapped everything and started over with nothing but the idea. This time, I wrote it as a novel.



The new iteration told the story of a fictional detective who escapes from his mystery novel and seeks revenge on his author by traveling to the World Where The Books Are Written (The WWTBAW). His road takes him through other novels of various genres, and hilarity ensues.

Have you ever thought about getting into publication? Here are my take-aways:

### **It helps to enjoy the actual writing**

I did a lot of it. After the initial draft, I typed up eight full rewrites. The good news is that each draft was easier than the last. Editing is far less exhausting than coming up with the initial text. Especially if you have a raging inner perfectionist. Fortunately, I do. It's like the Incredible Hulk... except the opposite in every way.

### **It also helps to enjoy reading**

Narrative is a language, and fluency requires interactions. There is a lot of nuance and technique you'd never pick up from a style manual. A writer who doesn't read is like a chef who doesn't eat. Maybe not a direct parallel. Not reading won't kill a person as quickly as not eating, for one. But I wouldn't trust that guy to cater a big event. That's all I'm saying.

### **Community is critical**

I am a member of the Northern Colorado Writers, and I contribute to their blog monthly. I also have a talented critique group who point out all my flaws. And I'm grateful to all of them. I would not have published a novel without them. Northern Colorado is full of talented writers. There are groups that assemble regularly in library meeting rooms across our district. The Northern Colorado Writers holds a conference every spring where you can meet literary agents, editors and tons of other writers.

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### Resources are available

There is no shortage of materials to guide budding authors. *The Writer's Market* is full of information on agents, publishers, contests and good advice. I read several books on revision, and I would recommend James Scott Bell's *Revision and Self-Editing* among others. There are endless numbers of blogs and articles from credible sources to answer your questions. In short, you don't have to be great at it from the start. Honestly, you probably won't be. Want to see my first drafts? Well, you can't! Because I burned them. And they **deserved** it! But, I wouldn't have a book without them.

The High Plains Library District also sponsors a Writer-In-Residence each year to help local writers launch their writing careers. It is currently in its fourth year. Maybe that's the jump-start your writing needs. We'd love to hear from you. Keep an eye out for the next entry form on our website.

### In the end, I just love books

I had a story to tell, and I wanted to do my best to bring it into the world. I chose to sign with a small press, because that was the method that best aligned with my vision for the book. It took a few years and some additional revisions before it got picked up. There are other options, though.

Here are the basic options:

**Self-publishing** is losing some of its stigma in the Amazon era. It can certainly be the shortest route, and if you are an entrepreneur who likes to hold the reins, this might be for you. As a reader, I still have to sift through self-published titles to find the good stuff. *Four Color Bleed* by Ryan McSwain and *How to Break an Evil Curse* by Laura Morrison are a few of my favorites. Sadly, you can't purchase Morrison's book at the moment, but her latest novella *Come Back to the Swamp* is available in our libraries and easily worth a read.

**Small publishing houses** can be easier to get into some ways, harder in others. For one, they don't take on as many titles as large houses each year. I feel the author gets a little more say in the finished product, but that's only based on my own limited experience. Some require literary agents, others don't. A few members of my critique group have also recently signed with small houses. *The Five Wishes of Mr. Murray McBride* and *The Town with No Roads* – both by Joe Siple, *All the Broken People* by Amy Rivers, and *Story Bends* by Sheala Henke were all released last year.

**The Big Five publishing houses** are Hachette Book Group, HarperCollins, Macmillan Publishers, Penguin Random House and Simon & Schuster. If you're going to go big, you've got a long road ahead of you. You will most definitely need a literary agent and lot of patience. ("Patience of a saint" to quote one literary agent I met.) You may be required to make alterations to the story before it is accepted. But, on the upside, you would have a large company full of qualified professionals behind your book to help it be as successful as possible.

Figure out which road is the best for you and full speed ahead.

David E. Sharp is a noisy librarian and is responsible for the novel *Lost on a Page* among other crimes such as squeezing the toothpaste tube from the middle and putting his elbows on the table. You can read his Kirkus review for *Lost on a Page* [here](#).

# Black Holes

How do you take a picture of something that is not there? In the case of a black hole, a picture of something that absorbs light itself?

On April 10th, 2019, the first picture of a black hole was taken the same way you would take a picture of a hole in a doughnut, by taking a picture of the doughnut surrounding it.

Scientists operating an array of eight ground-based radio satellites around the world dubbed the Event Horizon Telescope, looked towards a spot 53 million lightyears away, in the M87 Galaxy.

A 26-year-old MIT graduate, Katie Bouman, helped develop the algorithm needed to capture the snapshot, processing 5 petabytes (5 million Gigabytes) of data into an image of a swirling mass surrounding a black singularity.

The monster black hole swallows 90 earth sized masses every day and it is this debris falling in that allows us to visualize what a black hole really is for the first time.

Although the picture is a bit blurry, it will without a doubt, inspire a generation of young scientists, mathematicians, engineers and astrophysicists for years to come, and some day students will compare our simple photograph to the crystal-clear images they will surely have access to.

If you want to expand your universe, check out our [Summer Reading Adventure](#) Starting May 19th.

To learn more now turn your eye towards these titles from our catalog:

[Black holes: the weird science of the most mysterious objects in the universe](#) by Sara Latta

[Black holes and baby universes and other essays](#) by Stephen Hawking

[A brief history of time](#) by Stephen Hawking

[Cosmos](#) by Carl Sagan

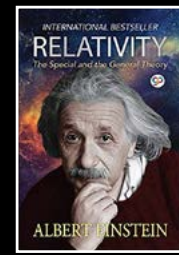
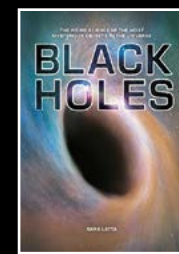
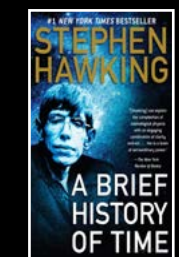
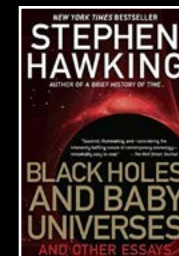
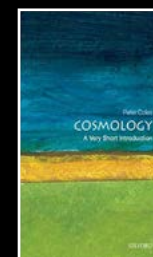
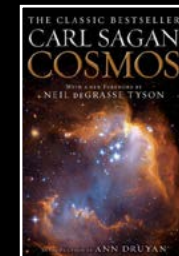
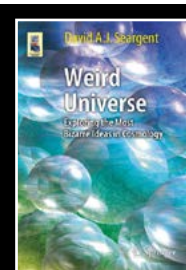
[Relativity: the special & the general theory](#) by Albert Einstein; with commentaries and background material by Hanoch Gutfreund and Jürgen Renn

[Cosmology: a very short introduction](#) by Peter Coles

[Weird universe: exploring the most bizarre ideas in cosmology](#) by David A.J. Seargent

<https://highplains.kanopy.com/video/experiencing-hubble-understanding-greatest-images-universe>

~ Elias, Library Associate, Riverside Library





# programs



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June 1, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Sign up for a Gmail account and learn how to send and receive email, and how to attach and download files sent to you. This fun and hands on class will familiarize you with the advantages of email.



## CHILDREN | Day of Play

June 1, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

**City Park**

**3929 Golden Street, Evans**

Come join us for the third annual Day of Play at City Park in Evans. Join us for fun activities including volleyball, kickball, soccer, basketball and more! Evans Police Department, Evans Recreation Department and Evans Fire Protection District will be joining the fun.

## ADULT | Planning Your Perfect Vacation with Google Maps

June 1, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Got a vacation coming up? Dreaming of locations near and far? We will give you the tools to squeeze the most out of your vacation and to discover amazing things you never knew existed and which you won't find in travel guides. This class is for intrepid explorers with a beginner understanding of mobile and web tech. **In the class, you will need to use your smartphone and gmail account.**

## TEEN & ADULT | Writers' Workshop: Writing Dialogue

June 4, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 12+. Writing dialogue is hard work. You're tasked with capturing the natural cadence of language and the dynamic of human conversation, and that isn't easy. Join local fantasy author CK Miller as she leads you through her process of writing compelling dialogue and share some of your own tips with fellow writers.

## CHILDREN | Families N Jammies

June 5, 6:00 - 6:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Families, jump into your jammies, grab your favorite stuffed animal and head to the library for a special evening storytime on the first Wednesday of every month. The whole family is welcome.

## ADULT | Medicare Options

June 5, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Planning your retirement and new to Medicare, or just need a refresher? Please join us for an informative educational session. Learn about the four Medicare parts - Part A, Part B, Part C, Part D - and Medicare Supplement insurance. Whether you have already enrolled, or are just starting to think about signing up, this seminar will help! You may be interested for yourself or for a loved one. Whatever your situation, this class will help you understand Medicare and your choices.

## ADULT | Pottery with the Clay Center: Coil Flower Pot

June 6, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 18+. Make a coil pot approximately 6 inches high and 5 inches wide - perfect to hold a small houseplant! Decorate the surface with a design of your choice, and then choose from three glazes. The Clay Center will fire and glaze your pot which can then be picked up after the 4th of July at the library.

## ADULT | English Hour

June 6, 13, 20 and 27

5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Learn English in a casual environment. *Aprenda inglés en un ambiente informal.*

# programs

## ADULT | SBDC Boot Camp

Thursdays, June 6, 13 and 27  
6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

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## ADULT | Tree Care and Selection

June 6, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn the proper way to plant a tree and how to care for the trees in Colorado with this class, taught by Amy Lentz - Weld County's CSU Extension Agent for Horticulture. Amy will cover tree planting techniques and go over which trees and shrubs will do well in your home landscape.

## ADULT | Exploring and Identifying Nature with Technology

June 7, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Learn how to use your smartphone to identify plants, key out insects, or take your bird watching to a whole new level.



## ADULT | Early Season Vegetable Garden Help & DIY Hypertufa Planters

June 8, 2:30 - 4:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join Serapio Ayala, Master Gardener, for a question and answer session for help with your early season vegetable garden. Get handouts teaching you what to look for and how to solve common vegetable plant problems: slow growth, wilting, no flowers or fruit, insects and diseases. After the question and answer session, the first 12 people in attendance can stay and make a Hypertufa Planter to take home.

## ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

June 10, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. Walk-ins are welcome; first-come, first-served. The volunteer attorneys do not represent you just because they help you at this clinic. This clinic is information only.

# recurring gaming programs

## Chess Club

(3rd-5th Grade)

June 5 and 19; 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Erie Community Library

\*Registration required.

## Battle Card Club

(Children & Teens)

June 5; 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## Active Adults Games and Coffee

June 13; 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

## Game On!

(ages 14+) -

June 9; 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

June 9 & 23; 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10 welcome with adult supervision

## Carbon Valley Chess Club

(ages 10-18)

June 11; 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Loteria

11 de junio; 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library



## programs

### ADULT | Spirits of the High Plains: Echo Brewing

June 10, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 21+. Echo Brewing from Erie returns from our first year to talk about their beer.

### ADULT | Technology Petting Zoo

June 10, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

This is your chance to play with some of the library's coolest technology. Take a spin with a sphero, design your own key chain with the library's 3D printer. You can even enter another world with our virtual reality headset.

### ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Enviar un email

11 de junio, 12:00 - 2:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Se requiere registro](#)

El email se ha vuelto en una habilidad vital en el mundo de hoy y abre la puerta a muchas oportunidades, ya sea aplicando a un trabajo nuevo o mantenerse en contacto con amigos. ¡Entre y aprende acerca de cómo enviar, guardar, y manejar su email!

### ADULT | Active Minds: Leonardo da Vinci

June 11, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Inventor, artist, scientist, engineer, architect, philosopher, and more. Leonardo da Vinci was a true "Renaissance Man" and a clear creative genius. Join Active Minds as we review his life, work, and lasting impact. *This program makes an excellent primer to a visit to the da Vinci Exhibit at the Denver Museum of Nature & Science running March 1 through August 25, 2019.*

## recurring make-it programs

### Knitters Circle

(all skill levels welcome; adult)

First Monday

June 3; 6 - 8 pm

Centennial Park Library

### Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13)

(limited to the first 20 children)

First Saturday

June 8; 10 - 11 am

Erie Community Library

**\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.**

### Crafternoons

(all skill levels welcome; adult)

Meets every 2 weeks

June 11 and 25; 4 - 6 pm

Farr Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Quilters

(all skill levels welcome; ages 16+)

Second Wednesday

June 12; 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration is required.

### Open Sewing Sessions

(basic instruction and assistance is available; adult & teen)

Second Friday

June 14; 10 am - 1 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)

Third Wednesday

June 19; 4 - 5 pm

Riverside Library

### Artmakers (ages 12+)

Third and Fourth Thursdays

June 20 and 27; 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Camera Club (ages 8-11)

Fourth Monday

June 24; 4 - 4:45 pm

Lincoln Park Library

\*registration required

### Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books

Fourth Wednesday

June 26; 4 - 4:45 pm **NEW TIME**

Riverside Library



# programs

## CHILDREN | Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime

June 11, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 3-6 and their grownups. This interactive and playful storytime integrates yoga poses and movement with stories and songs.

## CHILDREN | Riverside STEAM Club: Marble Mazes

June 12, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Grades K-5. Limited to the first 15 children.

## ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado

June 13, 12:00 - 1:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Early in Colorado history, forests were regarded as resources for essential building materials and fuel for fires. As settlement progressed, forests were interpreted by some as an obstacle to ranching - livestock eats grass, not trees. National forests became a way to stem a destructive tide.

## CHILDREN | Baby Open Play

June 13, 2:00 - 2:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Infants and babies, along with their caretakers, are welcome to drop-in to play and feel new textures, hear interesting sounds and see new sights. Caregivers will learn about novel ways to interact with their young ones and make playtime educational.



## ADULT | Fruit Trees for Your Colorado Yard

June 13, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn the science behind caring for fruit trees in your yard. This includes site selection, cold hardiness, harvesting, diseases, and insects for tree fruits such as apples, pears, plums, cherries, apricots and peaches. Presented by Amy Lentz, CSU Extension agent for Horticulture in Weld County.

## ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Intro a las Computadoras

17 de junio, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Se requiere registro 18 de mayo](#)

Acompañenos a un cafecito y pan dulce y aprenda mas sober la tecnología. 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.

## ADULT | Active Minds: Climate Change

June 18, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Scientists are predicting a global average temperature increase of 2.5 to 10 degrees over the next century. Likely impacts include more droughts and heatwaves as well as stronger and more frequent hurricanes. Sea levels are predicted to rise 1-4 feet by 2100, submerging vast areas of land. Join Active Minds as we examine the predictions and the politics given the US withdrawal from the Paris climate accord. **Note: This presentation is a webinar.**



## ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar

June 18, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Join us for a comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.



## programs

### ADULT | Employment Basics: Practice Interviews

June 19

#### Centennial Park Library

9:15 - 9:45 am

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

9:45 - 10:15 am

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

10:15 - 10:45 am

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

10:45 - 11:15 am

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

11:15 - 11:45 am

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

11:45 am - 12:15 pm

[Registration opens 5/20](#)

Creating that amazing resume is just one step on the path to employment. Next comes the interview! Learn tips and tricks to be comfortable, confident, and capable at your next interview. After the practice interview, we will review and go over feedback on areas of improvement and of excellence.

### ADULT | Community Champions: Passing Hats

June 19, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

#### Erie Community Center 450 Powers Street, Erie

Passing Hats began by knitting hats for hospitalized children and teaching cancer patients to knit hats for themselves and others. Please join Ellen Miller with Passing Hats to learn about this non-profit and be a part of this heart and head warming program by making a loomed hat to pass on. All supplies provided; no experience necessary.

### ADULTO | Hacer crecer su negocio

20 de junio, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

#### Riverside Library

[Se requiero registro](#)

Acompañe a Drew Esquivel, First Bank y el East Colorado Small Business Development Center (SBDC) para obtener información sobre los recursos gratuitos a los que los dueños de negocios pueden acceder para hacer crecer su negocio.

### ADULT | Money Matters: Women & Money

June 20, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

#### Erie Community Library

[Registration opens 5/19](#)

June 27, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

#### Carbon Valley Regional Library

[Registration opens 5/26](#)

Join us to learn reasons why women's economic clout is growing; the unique financial challenges women face, six steps women can take to help them achieve financial security, including taking control of their money, becoming more knowledgeable investors, advocating for themselves in the workplace, planning for retirement, protecting their income and assets, and creating an estate plan.

### ADULT | Local History Series:

#### Crazy Horse Ride

June 20, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

#### Erie Community Center 450 Powers Street, Erie

The Crazy Horse Ride is an annual event held in honor of Tašúŋke Witkó, Chief Crazy Horse, and all veterans. The ride begins in Fort Robinson State Park, NE, and goes over four days to Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota, home of the Oglala Lakotas.

*Presented by Edward Wilson, a friend of the Oglala Lakota people at Pine Ridge Indian reservation and a volunteer with One Spirit, a Native American service organization founded to assist and support American Indians.*

## movies

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park, 3 - 5 pm

June 6 - *Father of the Bride* (1950)

June 13 - *Four Weddings and a Funeral* (1994)

June 20 - *Monsoon Wedding* (2001)

### Wednesday Night at the Movies - Riverside Library

June 5; 6 - 8:00 pm

*How to Train Your Dragon: the Hidden World*

### Family Movie Night - Carbon Valley Regional Library

June 6, 6 - 7:30 pm

*How to Train Your Dragon: the Hidden World*



# programs

## CHILDREN | Pajamarama

June 26, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 2 ½ - 6. Cuddle up in your PJs and enjoy sleepytime tales and tunes during our evening storytime.

## ADULT | Tech Cafe

June 28, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer or new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## ADULT | Dress for Success

June 29, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Choose gently used casual business clothing to ace your job interview, your new job or an addition to your work wardrobe. Sizes will vary (while supplies last).

# book clubs

## Non Fiction Book Club

**First Monday of the Month**

Farr Regional Library

June 3, 1 - 2 pm

*H is for Hawk*

by Helen Macdonald

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

**First and Third Tuesday**

June 4 and 18

4:30 - 5:30 pm

## Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Prefects (ages 12-17)**

**First and Third Tuesday**

June 4 and 18

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

**Second Monday**

Erie Community Library

June 10; 4:00 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Pints & Pages

**Second Monday**

Call 1-888-861-7323 for location

June 10, 7 - 8 pm

*Arrival by Shaun Tan (a book that's all visuals, no words)*

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at

**Erie Community Library**

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

**Second Tuesday**

**Third Wednesday**

June 11 and 19

4:30 - 5:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Prefects (ages 12-17)

**Second Tuesday**

June 11, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Middle School Book Club

**(Grades 6-8)**

**Second Wednesday**

Erie Community Library

June 12, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Kersey Book Club

**2nd Wednesday**

**Platte Valley Fire Station**

**27128 CR 53, Kersey**

June 12, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

*Bartender's Tale*

by Ivan Doig

## Erie Evening Book Club

**Second Thursday**

**Erie Community Library**

June 13, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Centennial Park Teen Book Club

**(Grades 6-12)**

**Third Saturday**

Centennial Park Library

June 15, 11 am - 12 pm

*\* Registration is required*

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

**Third Tuesday**

Farr Regional Library

June 18, 1:30 - 3 pm

*The Chillbury Ladies' Choir*

by Jennifer Ryan

## Reading the West Book Group

**Fourth Monday**

Centennial Park Library

June 24, 3 - 4 pm

*The Big Sky*

by A.B. Guthrie

## Riverside Readers

**Fourth Monday**

Riverside Library

June 24, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*Before We Were Yours*

by Lisa Wingate

## Book Lover's Book Club

**Last Tuesday**

Carbon Valley Regional Library

June 25, 6 - 7 pm

*Little Fires Everywhere*

by Celeste Ng

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

**4th Tuesday**

**Farr Regional Library**

June 26, 7 - 8:30 pm



## programs

### paws to read

**Centennial Park Library**  
Second Monday  
June 10, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**  
Second Wednesday  
June 12, 6 - 7 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
Second Wednesday  
June 12; 6:30 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**  
Fourth Wednesday  
June 26  
4:30 - 5:45 pm



### sensory & spectrum storytimes



#### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday  
June 1, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library  
*\*Registration required*

#### Storytime for the Spectrum

Third Saturday  
June 15, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
Centennial Park Library  
*\*Registration required*

### TEENS

#### Independence! #Adulting

June 6, 4 - 5:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

#### Teen Advisory Board

June 11, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Teen Tech Series

June 13, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

#### Teen Advisory Board

June 15, 10 - 11 am  
Centennial Park Library  
*\*Registration required for  
Community Service Hours credit*

#### Teen Advisory Board

June 18, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library

### ukulele

**Strumming Circle**  
(ages 12+)

Third Thursday  
June 20, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library



### family fun saturdays

**Lincoln Park Library**  
2:00 - 4:00 pm

#### 1st Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

#### 2nd Saturday

STEAM fun

#### 3rd Saturday

Theater Play

#### 4th Saturday

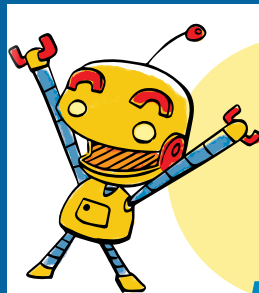
Open Mic Karaoke

#### 5th Saturday

SURPRISE!



Watch  
for more  
details!!

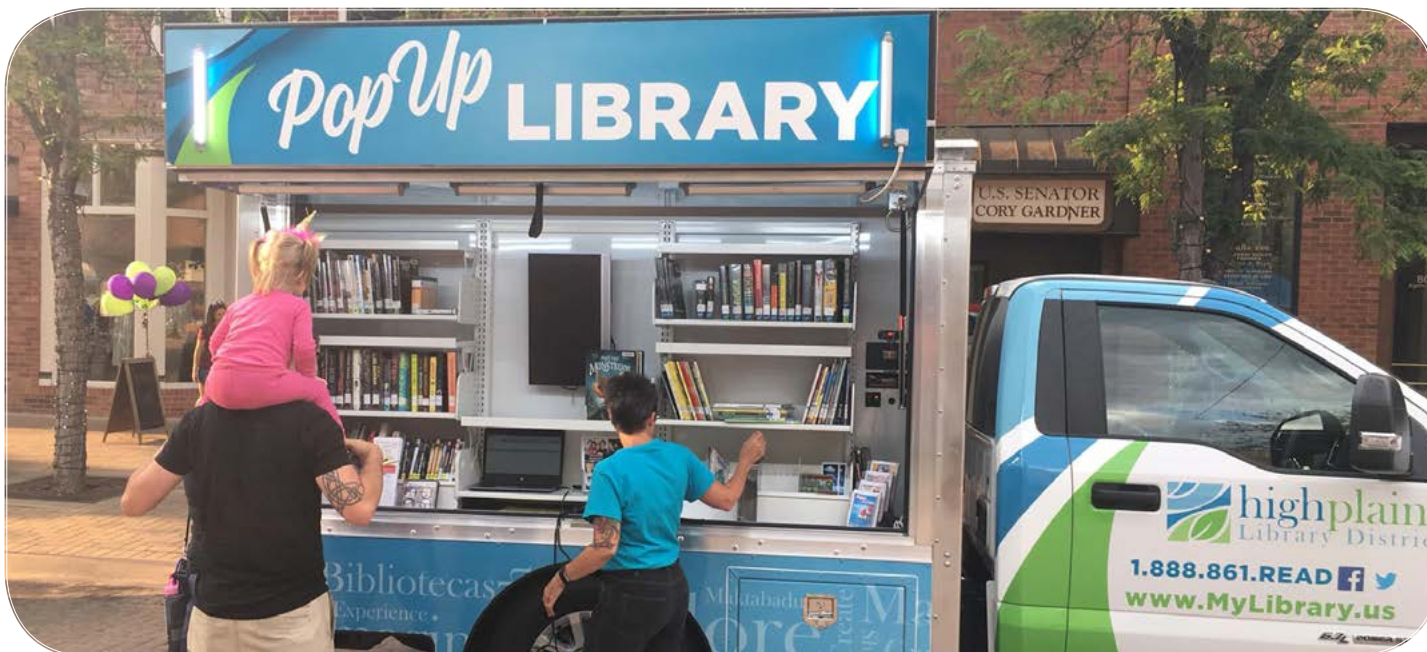


**YES!**  
**fest**

Youth Engineering & Science Festival

**Saturday, September 21**  
Greeley Rec Center, 651 10th Avenue, Greeley

[mylibrary.us/yesfest](http://mylibrary.us/yesfest)



## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

## **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

## **Nunn Town Hall**

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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

## **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

## **Hill & Park Senior Center**

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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- Jim Rohn



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## Episode MMXIX: A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

A long time ago, in a library district not so far from here...

It is a period of boredom. Rebel children are out of school and adults are feeling the burnout. All hope is not lost, however! Your local library district has mobilized in order to divert calamity, provide opportunities for discovery and community, instill a love of reading, and eradicate the dreaded summer slide; the Dark Slide, if you will (I most definitely will).

These intrepid library employees will provide engaging programs to save summer and restore peace to the galaxy! And you can be a part of it! All you have to do is REGISTER NOW for our Summer Reading Adventure, May 19 - August 3.

You can register from the comfort of your own home, through our website on Beanstack, or at any of the HPLD branch libraries. ANY AND ALL AGES are welcome to join us this year! Participants will receive a Discovery Card full of fun and engaging activities to complete, like read a book with a non-human character or watch the stars and create a constellation! Complete all the activities in a row, column, or diagonal to advance. (Like a BINGO card, but more awesome.)

Three BINGOs are all you need to finish the adventure. Everyone who completes the program will also get an invitation to our End of Summer Parties! (And they are going to be out of this world!)

Still not convinced? Well, we also will be having super programs throughout the summer, in which you will get to explore space, make and listen to music, dance your socks off, solve a murder, create works of art, and so much more!

You do not want to miss out on this universally fun experience, so register the whole family today!

*~Valerie Snyder; Keeper of Knowledge, Purveyor of Fun, Hopeful Star Wars Extra (or Library Associate at Farr Regional Library)*





## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**Magic is from Mars, Juggling is from Jupiter**  
***La magia es de Marte, los malabares son de Júpiter***  
**Wednesday, June 19; 6-7 pm**

Watch Ann Lincoln's high energy outer space themed show filled with as much laughter and as many awesome magic and juggling routines as possible.

*Ven a la presentación de Ann Lincoln sobre el tema del espacio sideral. Estará llena de risas y de energía y habrá tantas rutinas de malabares y trucos de magia como sea posible.*

**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
***Movimientos grandes crean gran arte***  
**Saturday, July 6; 10:30-11:30 am**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

*¡Vístete para ensuciarte! Corre, baila, avienta, ruédate, balancéate y brinca hasta lograr formar piezas de arte únicas con tu familia y la comunidad.*

**Space-A-Cade**  
**Wednesday, July 17; 6-7 pm**

Help reboot the power crystal in Lenny's spaceship to get him back home in this interactive puppet show that will have you laughing and using your imaginations.

*Ayuda a reiniciar el cristal de energía de la nave especial de Lenny para llevarlo de regreso a casa en esta presentación interactiva de títeres que te harán reír y usar tu imaginación.*

**End of Summer Reading Celebration**  
***Celebración del fin del Programa de lectura en el verano***  
**Wednesday, July 31; 10:30 am-12 pm**

Join us for an end of summer celebration honoring you for completing the 2019 Summer Reading Adventure.

*Acompáñanos a celebrar el fin de verano para felicitarte por completar el Programa de la aventura de lectura en el verano del 2019.*



## BIRTH-PreK / NACIMIENTO-PRE KÍNDER

### Oh, the Senses You Can Sense

#### *Oh, los sentidos que puedes sentir*

**Tuesday, June 11; 9:30-11 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

In this child-led activity, infants and toddlers will have the opportunity to freely explore their touch, smell, visual, and auditory senses through sensory stations.

En esta actividad dirigida por niños, infantes y pequeños tendrán la oportunidad de explorar libremente sus sentidos del tacto, olfato, vista y oído por medio de estaciones sensoriales.

### Astronomical Asanas

#### *Posturas (asanas) astronómicas*

**Monday, July 8; 9:30-10 am**

Come stretch your body and imagination. Join us for an interactive storytime as we learn about outer space through books and yoga-inspired movement. No yoga experience necessary.

Ven y estira tu cuerpo e imaginación. Acompáñanos para un rato de cuentos interactivos según aprendemos acerca del espacio sideral a través de cuentos y de movimientos de yoga. No se requiere tener experiencia en yoga.

## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Thinking Games

#### *Juegos de reflexión*

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

¡Aprende habilidades de creatividad y pensamiento analítico con actividades prácticas, incluyendo búsqueda de tesoro que implica encontrar e interpretar símbolos, juego de construcción de mundos, creación de un collage y más!

### Take Note Music Experience

#### *Toma nota con esta experiencia musical*

**Monday, June 10; 2-5 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn how to drop a beat and discover how melody, rhythm and harmony come together to form a song. Taught by music artists from around the state. Mini concert included at the end.

*Aprende como tener ritmo y descubre como la melodía, el ritmo y armonía se unen para formar una melodía. Enseñado por artistas musicales de todo el estado. Al final se incluirá un mini-concierto.*

### Mad Science

#### *Ciencia disparatada*

**Thursday, June 20; 10:30-11:30 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Unlock the secrets of the universe with chemical reactions and stellar discoveries.

*Descubre los secretos del universo con reacciones químicas y descubrimientos espectaculares.*

### Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites

#### *Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos*

**Thursday, July 11; 6-7 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in fun, hands-on activities related to space exploration! Make comets out of dry ice, touch real meteorites from space, and view the sun safely with solar telescopes.

*¡Participa en actividades prácticas y divertidas que están relacionadas a la exploración del espacio! Haz cometas con hielo seco, toca meteoritos reales del espacio y mira al sol de manera segura con los telescopios solares.*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Galaxy Gardening *Jardinería de la galaxia*

**Monday, July 22; 10:30-11:30 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Paint galaxy garden pots, galaxy garden rocks and plant Cosmos seeds in our pots!

*¡Pinta macetas galácticas, piedras del jardín galáctico y planta semillas cósmicas en nuestras macetas!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Trail Master 101 *Experto en senderos 101*

**Thursday, June 13; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Uncover the mystery and adventure of Colorado trails! Join veteran hiker Pete KJ for a hands-on workshop on what to pack, drink and eat on a hike.

*¡Descubre el misterio y aventura de los caminos de Colorado! Acompaña al excursionista experto Pete KJ para un taller practico sobre que empaacar, beber y comer durante una caminata.*

### The Murder of Archibald Grim *El asesinato de Archibald Grim*

**Friday, June 21; 6-8 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

### Epic Story Writing Workshop *Taller de escritura de cuentos épicos*

**Thursday, July 11; 1-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Put your protagonist's feet on the path in this life-sized adventure board game that is also a writing workshop and an exercise in critical thinking.

Ponte en los zapatos de tu protagonista en el camino de este juego a escala real mientras que participas en un taller de escritura y un ejercicio para el razonamiento analítico.

### Build Your Favorite Book *Crea tu libro favorito*

**Thursday, July 25; 1-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use the powerful Roblox Studio to recreate your favorite setting from a book or movie and learn some basics of coding in the process.

*Usa el programa avanzado Roblox Studio para recrear tu escenario favorito de un libro o película y en el proceso aprende algunas bases de codificación/configuración.*

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**The Moon or Bust Running Club**  
**Club de carreras Moon or Bust**  
**Tuesdays, June 4-July 30; 7-8 pm**

Reach for the stars with our running/jogging/walking group as we try to go the distance to reach the moon! All levels of fitness and all ages are welcome.

*¡Alcanza las estrellas con nuestro grupo de atletismo/trote/caminata a la vez que intentamos recorrer grandes distancias y llegar a la luna! Todas las edades y niveles de condición físicas son bienvenidos.*

**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
**Movimientos grandes crean gran arte**  
**Saturday, June 8; 1-3 pm**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

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**Multilingual Storytime**  
**Cuentos multilingües**

**Saturday, July 6; 1-2 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Come hear stories in another language. You may just learn how to say a few words in French, Spanish, Swahili, Burmese, Somali and Rohingya.

*Ven y escucha cuentos en otro idioma. Quizás aprendas a decir unas palabras en francés, español, suajili, birmano, somalí y Rohingya.*

**Soft Landing Challenge**  
**Reto de un buen aterrizaje**  
**Monday, July 22; 1-2 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

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*Prepárate para DOMINAR la pista de baile en tus pijamas! El tema de esta fiesta de baile cósmico es el espacio con melodías fuertes y luces intermitentes que son fuera de este mundo.*

### Safe Landings! *¡Buen aterrizaje!* Monday, June 10; 1-2 pm

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Build a mini LEM (Lunar Excursion Module) out of simple materials and test it to see if it can provide a stable, soft landing for the marshmallow astronauts inside!

*Construye un mini LEM (Módulo de Excursión Lunar, por sus siglas en inglés) de materiales sencillos y pruébalo para ver si puede aterrizar bien y con suavidad para los astronautas de bombón que están adentro.*

### American Sign Language is Out of this World! *¡El lenguaje de señas americano es algo fuera de este mundo!*

Monday, June 17; 1-2 pm

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Come be transported to a new universe as you learn about a new language and culture. See where in the world American Sign Language can take you.

*Ven y transpórtate a un nuevo universo mientras que aprendes un nuevo lenguaje y cultura. Mira hacia donde el mundo del Lenguaje de Señas Americano te puede llevar.*

### Mars from Above *Marte desde lo alto* Monday, June 24; 1-2pm

Explore and compare the features of Mars and Earth through hands-on activities and discussion.

*Explora y compara las características de Marte y de la Tierra a través de actividades prácticas y pláticas.*

### Galaxy Gardening *Jardinería de la galaxia* Monday, July 1; 1-2 pm

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### Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites

#### *Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos*

**Monday, July 8; 1-2 pm**

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### Thinking Games

#### *Juegos de reflexión*

**Monday, July 15; 1-2 pm**

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Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

*¡Aprende habilidades de creatividad y pensamiento analítico con actividades prácticas, incluyendo búsqueda de tesoro que implica encontrar e interpretar símbolos, juego de construcción de mundos, creación de un collage y más!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Comic Strip Creation: Improv Style

#### *Creación de una historieta cómica: Estilo improvisado*

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### Roving on the Moon

#### *Explorando por la Luna*

**Tuesday, June 18; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Design, build and test a lunar rover prototype from common household materials that can scramble across the moon.

*Diseña, construye y prueba un prototipo de un explorador lunar con materiales comunes del hogar que pueden mezclarse por la luna.*

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**Cosmic Cooking**

**Cocina cósmica**

**Tuesday, July 9; 2-3 pm**

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Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

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**I am the Center of My Universe: Ultimate Fashion**

**Extravaganza**

**Soy el centro de mi universo: Extravaganza de última moda**

**Tuesday, July 16; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use up-cycled and vintage thrift store finds to create costumes or everyday fashions that tell a story about who you are and where you are from.

*Usa lo que encuentres en una tienda de segunda para crear atuendos o modas para vida diaria que cuente la historia de quien eres y de dónde vienes.*

**Build Your Favorite Book**

**Crea tu libro favorito**

**Tuesday, July 23; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use the powerful Roblox Studio to recreate your favorite setting from a book or movie and learn some basics of coding in the process.

*Usa el programa avanzado Roblox Studio para recrear tu escenario favorito de un libro o película y en el proceso aprende algunas bases de codificación/configuración.*





## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**Family Clay (Flowstone) Creations**  
*Creaciones con plastilina polimérica (Flowstone) en familia*

**Monday, June 3; 4-5:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Using polymer clay and smooth stones to make a unique art piece, explore and discover your inner creative story connecting art and nature. Recommended for ages 5 and up.

*Usando plastilina polimérica y piedras lisas para hacer una pieza de arte única, explora y descubre tu creatividad interna conectando el arte y la naturaleza. Recomendado para niños de 5 años en adelante.*

**A Solar System Journey**  
*Un recorrido por el sistema solar*

**Monday, July 15; 4-6 pm**

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Get to know your friendly neighborhood solar system using a variety of observation and interactivity tools! Tour the planets, explore seasons, tides and moon phases, and recreate eclipses.

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### A Universe of Senses *Un universo de sentidos*

**Thursday, June 27; 3-4 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

It's an intergalactic odyssey! We'll explore and play with outer space themed sensory items. Children learn by using all their senses. Get ready for some messy outer space fun.

*¡Es una odisea intergaláctica! Exploraremos y jugaremos con objetos sensoriales del espacio sideral. Los niños aprenden cuando utilizan todos sus sentidos. Prepárate para una experiencia divertida y desordenada sobre el espacio sideral.*

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### Astronomical Asanas *Posturas (asanas) astronómicas*

**Friday, July 12; 10-11 am**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Come stretch your body and imagination. Join us for an interactive storytime as we learn about outer space through books and yoga-inspired movement. No yoga experience necessary.

*Ven y estira tu cuerpo e imaginación. Acompáñanos para un rato de cuentos interactivos según aprendemos acerca del espacio sideral a través de cuentos y de movimientos de yoga. No se requiere tener experiencia en yoga.*

## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### May the Force (of Static Electricity) be with You! *¡Que la fuerza (de la electricidad estática) te acompañe!*

**Friday, June 14; 2:30-4:30 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn the secrets of static electricity and harness its force to move objects, generate lightning and more. A 600,000 volt generator will show you tricks and help you perform your own.

*Aprende los secretos de la electricidad estática y utiliza su fuerza para mover objetos, generar rayos y más cosas. Un generador de 600.000 voltios te mostrará trucos y te ayudará a hacer los tuyos propios.*

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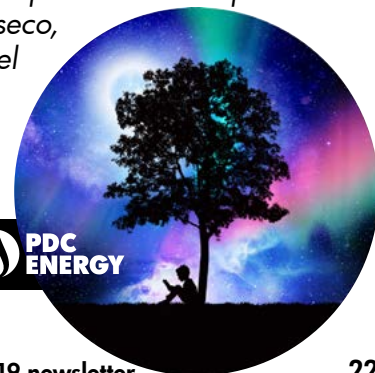
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*Cocina cósmica*

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

### **The Moon or Bust Running Club** *Club de carreras Moon or Bust*

**Wednesdays, June 5-July 31; 6:30-7:30 pm**

Reach for the stars with our running/jogging/walking group as we try to go the distance to reach the moon! All levels of fitness and all ages are welcome.

*¡Alcanza las estrellas con nuestro grupo de atletismo/trote/caminata a la vez que intentamos recorrer grandes distancias y llegar a la luna! Todas las edades y niveles de condición físicas son bienvenidos.*

### **Magic is from Mars, Juggling is from Jupiter** *La magia es de Marte, los malabares son de Júpiter*

**Wednesday, June 19; 11 am-12 pm**

Watch Ann Lincoln's high energy outer space themed show filled with as much laughter and as many awesome magic and juggling routines as possible.

*Ven a la presentación de Ann Lincoln sobre el tema del espacio sideral. Estará llena de risas y de energía y habrá tantas rutinas de malabares y trucos de magia como sea posible.*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### **Galaxy Jars** **Frascos galácticos** Wednesday, June 5; 2-3 pm [Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Make your own galaxy in a jar using food dye, jars, glitter, cotton balls, and water!

*¡Haz tu propia galaxia en un frasco usando pintura comestible, frascos, diamantina, bolitas de algodón y agua!*

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### The Force is Strong with Trivia

#### Trivia de la fuerza es poderosa

Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Do you love Star Wars? Then join us for trivia about your favorite galaxy! Grab some friends, your lightsaber, and get ready for questions about all released Star Wars movies.

*¿Te encanta Star Wars (Guerras de las Galaxias)? ¡Entonces acompáñanos para una trivia sobre tu galaxia favorita! Junta a algunos amigos, tu sable de luz (lightsaber) y prepárate para todas las preguntas sobre las películas de Star Wars.*

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### Discover Sewing

#### Descubre la costura

Tuesday, June 25; 2-4 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn basic sewing machine skills and make your own unique pillow case. No prior experience necessary; just join us ready to start sewing.

*Aprende técnicas básicas de la maquina de coser y haz tu propia funda para almohada. No se requiere tener experiencia; solo acompáñanos dispuesto a comenzar a coser.*

### The Murder of Archibald Grim

#### El asesinato de Archibald Grim

Friday, July 12; 3-4:30 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

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### Touch the Sky with Aeronautics

#### *Toca el cielo con la aeronáutica*

**Tuesday, June 25; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Balloon rockets, flying cups, flying butterfly, bottle rockets, hover crafts.

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### Multilingual Storytime

#### *Cuentos multilingües*

**Friday, July 12; 2-3:30 pm**

Come hear stories in another language. You may just learn how to say a few words in French, Spanish, Swahili, Burmese, Somali and Rohingya.

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Mad Science *Ciencia disparatada*

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm**

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Unlock the secrets of the universe with chemical reactions and stellar discoveries.

*Descubre los secretos del universo con reacciones químicas y descubrimientos espectaculares.*

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**Friday, June 28; 2-3:30 pm**

Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

*¡Aprende habilidades de creatividad y pensamiento analítico con actividades prácticas, incluyendo búsqueda de tesoro que implica encontrar e interpretar símbolos, juego de construcción de mundos, creación de un collage y más!*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Galaxy Jars

#### Frascos galácticos

Friday, July 26; 2-3:30 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Make your own galaxy in a jar using food dye, jars, glitter, cotton balls, and water!

*¡Haz tu propia galaxia en un frasco usando pintura comestible, frascos, diamantina, bolitas de algodón y agua!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Universe of ARTmando: Hip Hop

#### Universo de ARTmando: hip hop

Tuesday, June 11; 2-3 pm

Find new ways to express yourself, acquire exciting new dance moves, and experience the art of Hip-Hop dancing with Greeley's own Armando Silva.

*Descubre nuevas maneras de expresarte, aprende pasos de bailes nuevos y emocionantes, y experimenta el arte de baile Hip Hop con el propio Armando Silva de Greeley.*

### Comic Strip Creation: Improv Style

#### Creación de una historieta cómica: Estilo improvisado

Tuesday, June 18; 2-3:30 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn time-tested formulas and gameplay techniques for creating unique characters and comic strips from veteran cartoon artist, Stan Yan.

*Aprende de fórmulas comprobadas y de técnicas de juego para crear personajes únicos e historietas cómicas del artista experto en caricaturas, Stan Yan.*

### The Force is Strong with Trivia

#### Trivia de la fuerza es poderosa

Tuesday, July 2; 2-3:30 pm

Do you love Star Wars? Then join us for trivia about your favorite galaxy! Grab some friends, your lightsaber, and get ready for questions about all released Star Wars movies.

*¿Te encanta Star Wars (Guerras de las Galaxias)? ¡Entonces acompáñanos para una trivia sobre tu galaxia favorita! Junta a algunos amigos, tu sable de luz (lightsaber) y prepárate para todas las preguntas sobre las películas de Star Wars.*

### Roving on the Moon

#### Explorando por la Luna

Tuesday, July 9; 2-3:30 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Design, build and test a lunar rover prototype from common household materials that can scramble across the moon.

*Diseña, construye y prueba un prototipo de un explorador lunar con materiales comunes del hogar que pueden mezclarse por la luna.*

### Cosmic Cooking

#### Cocina cósmica

Tuesday, July 16; 2-3 pm

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

*Crea una receta fuera de este mundo al aprender habilidades nuevas y técnicas para una experiencia de cocina intergaláctica.*

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**Magic is from Mars, Juggling is from Jupiter**  
*La magia es de Marte, los malabares son de Júpiter*  
**Thursday, June 6; 2-3 pm**

Watch Ann Lincoln's high energy outer space themed show filled with as much laughter and as many awesome magic and juggling routines as possible.

*Ven a la presentación de Ann Lincoln sobre el tema del espacio sideral. Estará llena de risas y de energía y habrá tantas rutinas de malabares y trucos de magia como sea posible.*

**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
*Movimientos grandes crean gran arte*  
**Tuesday, July 9; 2-3 pm**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

*¡Vístete para ensuciarte! Corre, baila, avienta, ruédate, balancéate y brinca hasta lograr formar piezas de arte únicas con tu familia y la comunidad.*

**A Solar System Journey**  
*Un recorrido por el sistema solar*  
**Thursday, July 18; 2-4 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Get to know your friendly neighborhood solar system using a variety of observation and interactivity tools! Tour the planets, explore seasons, tides and moon phases, and recreate eclipses.

*¡Conoce al sistema solar cercano usando una variedad de métodos de observación e interactividad! Visita los planetas, explora las estaciones, fases de la luna y de las mareas, y reproduce eclipses.*

**End of Summer Reading Celebration**  
*Celebración del fin del Programa de lectura en el verano*  
**Thursday, August 1; 1-3 pm**

Join us for an end of summer celebration honoring you for completing the 2019 Summer Reading Adventure.

*Acompáñanos a celebrar el fin de verano para felicitarte por completar el Programa de la aventura de lectura en el verano del 2019.*



## BIRTH-PreK / NACIMIENTO-PRE KÍNDER

**"Clair de Lune" and Goodnight Moon**  
**"Clair de Lune" y Goodnight Moon**  
**Tuesday, June 11; 9:30-10:30 am**

Relax as soprano Shannon McAleb shares favorite songs like "Clair de Lune" and other classical lullabies. We'll read bedtime stories, sing and enjoy this comforting performance.

*Relájate mientras que la soprano Shannon McAleb comparte sus canciones favoritas tales como "Clair de Lune" y otras canciones de cuna clásicas. Leeremos cuentos para de cuna, cantaremos y disfrutaremos de esta presentación reconfortante.*

**Astronaut Training**  
**Entrenamiento de astronauta**  
**Thursday, June 27; 9:30-10:30 am**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn about astronauts and outer space, taste some astronaut food, and try our astronaut obstacle course!

*¡Aprende sobre los astronautas y el espacio sideral, saborea algunas de las comidas, e intenta participar en una carrera de obstáculos!*

**Oh, the Senses You Can Sense**  
**Oh, los sentidos que puedes sentir**  
**Thursday, July 11; 9:30-11 am**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

In this child-led activity, infants and toddlers will have the opportunity to freely explore their touch, smell, visual, and auditory senses through sensory stations.

*En esta actividad dirigida por niños, infantes y pequeños tendrán la oportunidad de explorar libremente sus sentidos del tacto, olfato, vista y oído por medio de estaciones sensoriales.*

**A Universe of Senses**  
**Un universo de sentidos**  
**Thursday, July 25; 9:30-10:30 am**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

It's an intergalactic odyssey! We'll explore and play with outer space themed sensory items. Children learn by using all their senses. Get ready for some messy outer space fun.

*¡Es una odisea intergaláctica! Exploraremos y jugaremos con objetos sensoriales del espacio sideral. Los niños aprenden cuando utilizan todos sus sentidos. Prepárate para una experiencia divertida y desordenada sobre el espacio sideral.*

## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

**Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites**  
**Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos**  
**Thursday, June 13; 2-3 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in fun, hands-on activities related to space exploration! Make comets out of dry ice, touch real meteorites from space, and view the sun safely with solar telescopes.

*¡Participa en actividades prácticas y divertidas que están relacionadas a la exploración del espacio! Haz cometas con hielo seco, toca meteoritos reales del espacio y mira al sol de manera segura con los telescopios solares.*

**Galaxy Gardening**  
**Jardinería de la galaxia**  
**Thursday, June 27; 2-3 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Paint galaxy garden pots, galaxy garden rocks and plant Cosmos seeds in our pots!

*¡Pinta macetas galácticas, piedras del jardín galáctico y planta semillas cósmicas en nuestras macetas!*



## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

**May the Force (of Static Electricity) be with You!**  
***¡Que la fuerza (de la electricidad estática) te acompañe!***

**Thursday, July 11; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn the secrets of static electricity and harness its force to move objects, generate lightning and more. A 600,000 volt generator will show you tricks and help you perform your own.

*Aprende los secretos de la electricidad estática y utiliza su fuerza para mover objetos, generar rayos y más cosas. Un generador de 600,000 voltios te mostrará trucos y te ayudará a hacer los tuyos propios.*

**Galaxy Jars**  
***Frascos galácticos***

**Thursday, July 25; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Make your own galaxy in a jar using food dye, jars, glitter, cotton balls, and water!

*¡Haz tu propia galaxia en un frasco usando pintura comestible, frascos, diamantina, bolitas de algodón y agua!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

**Cosmic Cooking**  
***Cocina cósmica***

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

*Crea una receta fuera de este mundo al aprender habilidades nuevas y técnicas para una experiencia de cocina intergaláctica.*

**The Murder of Archibald Grim**  
***El asesinato de Archibald Grim***

**Tuesday, June 18; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

**Universe of ARTmando**  
***Universo de ARTmando***

**Tuesday, July 2; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Find new ways to express yourself while acquiring exciting new art techniques with Greeley's own Armando Silva.

*Encuentra nuevas maneras de expresarte a la vez que aprendes técnicas de artes nuevas y emocionantes con el propio Armando Silva de Greeley*

**"The Ghoti Incident"**  
***"El Incidente Ghoti"***

**Tuesday, July 16; 1-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in an original one-shot Dungeons and Dragons adventure. Explore a science fiction space station, planet, and wrecked spaceship; and encounter and interact with alien life forms.

*Participa en una aventura original de tiro de Calabozos y Dragones. Explora una estación espacial de ciencia ficción, un planeta y nave especial destrozada; y enfrenta e interactúa con formas de vida extraterrestre.*

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## Paws to Read: A Chance for Young Readers to Read Out Loud to Some Very Attentive Listeners

It all began with a shy, reluctant reader, a quiet cozy spot on the floor, a tail wag, an ear scratch, and a book.

In a little over a year, I watched this timid, struggling reader soon grow into a reader who found not only an unknown ability but an actual enjoyment of books. This new-found joy grew even further. This now confident student decided to drop in on their elementary school principal suggesting that Carbon Valley Regional Library's Paws to Read program be something shared in their school newsletter right away. Just 15 minutes once a month sitting with a trained and certified therapy dog; just 15 minutes with a kind, quiet companion was all it took to help create a lifelong reader.

Reading, especially reading out loud, can be intimidating for anyone. For a young reader who may be struggling, the stress of reading out loud in front of peers or adults can create an endless cycle of anxiety and low performance and can even stop them in progressing in their reading, and ultimately, their learning development.

The Paws to Read program at Carbon Valley Regional Library is just one example of the many therapy dog reading programs available at High Plains Library District. More and more libraries, schools, and even universities are finding that the best thing you can do for a struggling or stressed student is to provide them with a calm, accepting therapy dog. What better audience than one that listens without judgment, one who is always patient, always kind, and always ready to be read to?

This program gives our young readers, at any reading level, a chance to read out loud in a stress-free environment to some very attentive listeners. Therapy dogs visit once a month and are always ready to hear some good stories. Therapy dogs sit quietly and calmly while children read aloud to them, allowing children to become more relaxed and confident about reading.

So, ask your local library about their therapy dog reading program. Your reluctant reader can come in, find a quiet cozy spot on the floor, scratch an ear, and read a book to a calm, attentive new friend.

~ Stacie Spears, Library Materials Supervisor,  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Check out the Paws to Read events on page 8 of this newsletter.**



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## Staff Spotlight: Carolyn Valencia and *Stories, Songs, and Stretches!*®

In January, Outreach Librarian, Carolyn Valencia, received one of seven Vividhatā Scholarships (diversity scholarships) to attend the online training **Stories, Songs, and Stretches!**® This training was founded in 2018 by Katie Scherrer, MLIS, RYT after the 2017 publication of her book *Stories, Songs, and Stretches! Creating Playful Storytimes with Yoga and Movement*. Katie is a former children's librarian, an early childhood education trainer, and a Registered Yoga Teacher who focuses on teaching yoga and mindfulness to young children and those who care for them.

**Stories, Songs, and Stretches!**® is inspired by the model offered by yoga of engaging the whole child – body, heart, and mind. It is informed by emerging science in the fields of child development, education, and mental health that shows that techniques that speak to each of these areas of development simultaneously can actually enhance early learning beyond what can be achieved by focusing on any one area in isolation.

Upon completion of the course, and after completing and self-evaluating three Stories, Songs, and Stretches services, Carolyn Valencia has the opportunity to apply to be a certified Stories, Songs, and Stretches facilitator.

"I am so very excited to create and share embodied play experiences that boost young children's development in physical literacy, early literacy, and social-emotional skills through yoga-inspired movement. Additionally, I believe this training will help me bring mindfulness through intentional activities and stillness to children in my community."

### A Message from Katie Scherrer, Founder of **Stories, Songs, and Stretches!**®

Stories, Songs, and Stretches!® was born out of my love of yoga and mindfulness and my fascination with early learning. The first five years of life are so critical for the brain development that lasts our lifetimes. My vision is to see an entire generation of mindful kids who are school-ready in body, heart, and mind. That's where Stories, Songs, and Stretches!® comes in. It's all about understanding whole child early learning - physical literacy (body), social-emotional learning (heart), and early literacy (mind) - and from that understanding, using yoga-inspired movement and stillness as tools to support the development of those skills. The end result is the creation of embodied play experiences that are imaginative and fun while deeply grounded in intentionality. An extra benefit is the way these tools affect staff, reducing compassion fatigue and burnout, and reconnecting them with their passion for serving young children and families. There are big things coming for Stories, Songs, and Stretches!® in the next couple of years, including the release of video resources and original kids music, and a pilot study with a major research university to assess the effectiveness of the program in a data-driven manner. I hope to see you in an online or in-person training soon. Be sure to check out the [website](#), sign up for my newsletter, and follow me on social media to stay up to date!





# programs

## Design and Print Business Cards

July 1, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

A business card is still one of the best ways to leave a lasting impression with someone you meet in both personal and professional settings. Learn how to design and print a business card that reflects your personality and aspirations. All technology and materials provided.



## ADULT | Barnwood Sign

July 6, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 18+. Join Darlene Ruhle, from the ArtSpot, as she leads us in a DIY workshop where you will create your own unique wood sign! We provide all the materials and instruct you step-by-step to create a beautiful piece for your home or for a gift. Choose from a variety of paint at the workshop.

## ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

July 8, 3:30 - 5:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. *Walk-ins are welcome; first-come, first-served. This is not legal representation; this clinic is information only.*

## ADULT | Spirits of the High Plains: The Colorado Wine Board

July 8, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 21+. The Colorado Wine Board will speak about several of the wineries in Colorado and what makes Colorado a great place to grow grapes and make wine.

## ADULT | Apps for Seniors

July 9, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

**Erie Community Center**

**450 Powers Street, Erie**

[Registration required](#)

Do you have a Smartphone or Tablet? Do you want to discover what your device can offer? Learn how to browse, evaluate, and download apps. **Bring your device or use a tablet provided by the library to explore a variety of Android and Apple apps and games.**



## ADULT | Waterwise Plants for Colorado Gardens

July 9, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn how to create a new water-wise landscape for your yard! Amy Lentz, Weld County's CSU Extension Agent for Horticulture, will teach you the 7 steps to xeriscape your yard. The class will also cover several different plant selections including trees, shrubs, perennials, groundcovers, and ornamental grasses that do well in our Colorado climate and use less water.

## ADULT | Listening to Online Streaming Music: For Free

July 10, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Want to set the perfect musical mood for your next party, celebration, shindig, and/or blowout? Balking at the price of music nowadays? We will explore the free options presented by online streaming music services, such as Pandora, Spotify, iHeartRadio, and others, to help you provide the best experience for your next breathtaking block party!

# programs

## **ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado**

July 11, 12:00 - 1:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Each month this year, "Twelve Dozen Things About Colorado" will present 12 things - things you probably don't know! - that tell the stories of Colorado.

## **ADULT | Active Minds: Railroads**

July 11, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

This May marks the 150 year anniversary of the "Golden Spike" that completed the construction of the First Transcontinental Railroad. Join Active Minds as we review the rich history of railroads in the United States and explore the role they played in building a young country as well as the industry titans that emerged to build and control them. We will bring the story all the way up to the present, discussing current freight and passenger train issues and opportunities. All aboard!

## **ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**

July 16, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Join us for a comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

## **ADULT | Community Champions: Allegiance Ranch and Equine Rescue**

July 17, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Center**

**450 Powers Street, Erie**

Allegiance Ranch and Equine Rescue is a safe and welcoming refuge for horses and veterans in need. Rescue horses serve as support animals for veterans and their families while others receive love and training to prepare them for finding a forever home.



## **ADULT | Watercolor Workshop**

July 18, 5:00 - 7:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 6/18](#)

Ages 18+. Join us to create a watercolor painting with step-by-step instructions by local artist Kristi Arzola of Art by Kristi.

## **ADULT | Introduction to Fly Fishing**

July 18, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn about what is unique about fly-fishing and what you need to know to get started including equipment, casting techniques, artificial flies and fishing tactics, along with ideas for local waters that are good for beginners. Fly-casting practice will be available after the presentation. Presented by St. Vrain Anglers Chapter - Trout Unlimited, and Laughing Grizzly Fly Shop.



## **ADULT | The Basics of Preserving Food Safely**

July 19, 3:00 - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

What to do with your bountiful home garden harvest or farmer's market haul? Learn about different food preservation methods like canning, freezing and dehydrating. We'll also discuss the best methods for different foods and what equipment you'll need to get started. Presented by CSU Extension: Weld County.

## **ADULT | Intro to Excel**

July 20, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 6/20](#)

This class will cover creating a workbook, editing cells, creating charts and using basic formulas. Participants must have basic keyboard and mouse skills.

## **ADULT | Money Matters: Car Buying**

July 25, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration opens 6/15](#)

Thinking of purchasing a vehicle? Get informed about all your options! We'll discuss buying new and used autos, what to expect at a dealership, leasing considerations, ownership costs, and research resources. Presented by the Public Services Credit Union.

## programs

### ADULT | Money Matters: Estate Planning

July 25, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Not just for those nearing retirement - Estate planning is so important, regardless of your age or net worth. Join us for an overview of the available options, helpful documents, term definitions, and common pitfalls to avoid. Estate Planning is for now AND for later. It's for your peace of mind and to make things easier for your family. And it's too important to ignore. Please note: this class will be taught by an attorney, but no legal advice will be given.

### ADULT | Tech Cafe

July 26, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the Internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.


### ADULTO | TecnoGuía: Intro a Craigslist

26 de julio, 10:15 - 11:15 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Se requiere registro 26 de junio](#)

Venga y aprenda sobre como navegar de una manera segura este sitio popular. Aprenderas como publicar un anuncio y daremos consejos para que puedes comprar y vender todo desde auto hasta muebles, e incluso buscar empleo.



**ADULT | Fly Me to the Moon: Apollo 11 Lunar Landing 50th Anniversary Presentation**  
July 26  
**Erie Community Library**

**Part 1: 5:30-6:30 pm**  
Here's your chance to experience the greatest achievement of engineering and science in human history and learn about what it was like for the 8 days from July 16-24, 1969, while three astronauts did what cultures around the Earth had dreamed of for millennia - travel to the Moon and back. Through remastered and previously unseen period video and images we'll relive the Cold War, the Space Race, the Mercury, Gemini, and Apollo Projects, and witness the Apollo 11 journey, the Eagle's landing, and humanity's first steps onto another world.

**Part 2: 6:45-7:30 pm**  
STEM 1969: The Technology that made Apollo (and our Modern World) possible. A hands-on demonstration and display of several computing artifacts followed by a short lesson in using a slide rule. **Part 2 is limited to 30 people.**

### ADULT | Colorado Name Change Project

July 28, 1:30 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

Learn how to file your name change petition in Colorado, as well as update your gender marker! This free workshop will be led by an attorney who can answer your questions and guide you through the process. **RSVP at [emma.shinn@namechangeproject.org](mailto:emma.shinn@namechangeproject.org)**

### ADULT | Facebook for Beginners

July 30, 10 am - noon

**Riverside Library**

[Registration begins 6/30](#)

Facebook – it can be a big plunge into the social networking world. We will introduce you to your profile, newsfeed, adding friends and messaging. We'll answer all your questions about security settings and privacy. We'll also talk about accessing Facebook on mobile devices. **Must have current email account and basic experience in navigating the web. Existing Facebook account is preferable.**

### ADULT | Growing and Preserving Herbs

July 30, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 18+. Learn how to grow herbs at home whether you have space in the ground, or only have room for a few small pots; how to use fresh herbs in your cooking, and how to preserve them so you can enjoy herbs all winter! Tastings included. Presented by CSU Extension.

# programs - book clubs

## Non Fiction Book Club

First Monday

Farr Regional Library

July 1, 1 - 2 pm

Any biography of Henry David Thoreau

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

First and Third Tuesday

July 2 and 16

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Prefects (ages 12-17)

First and Third Tuesday

July 2 and 16

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

Second Monday

Erie Community Library

July 8, 4:00 - 4:45 pm

\*\*Registration is required

## Pints & Pages

Second Monday

Call 1-888-861-7323 for location

July 8, 7 - 8 pm

July is Cookbooks (tasty!)

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

Second Tuesday

Third Wednesday

July 9

\*no meeting on 3rd Wed this month

4:30 - 5:30 pm

\*\*Registration is required

Prefects (ages 12-17)

Second Tuesday

July 9, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

\*\*Registration is required

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

Second Wednesday

Erie Community Library

July 10, 4 - 4:45 pm

\*\*Registration is required

## Kersey Book Club

Second Wednesday

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

July 10, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

*Educated*

by Tara Westover

## Erie Evening Book Club

Second Thursday

Erie Community Library

July 11, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

Third Tuesday

Farr Regional Library

July 16, 1:30 - 3 pm

*Lillian Boxfish Takes a Walk*

by Kathleen Rooney

## Reading the West Book Group

Fourth Monday

Centennial Park Library

July 22, 3 - 4 pm

*Wolves of Eden*

by Kevin McCarthy

## Riverside Readers

Fourth Monday

Riverside Library

July 22, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*House of Broken Angels*

by Luis Alberto Urrea

## Be the Change Book Club

Fourth Tuesday

Riverside Library

July 23, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

*35 Dumb Things Well-Intended*

*People Say*

by Maura Cullen

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

Fourth Wednesday

Farr Regional Library

July 24, 7 - 8:30 pm

## Book Lover's Book Club

Last Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

July 30, 6 - 7 pm





# programs - recurring

## make-it programs

**Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13)**  
(limited to the first 20 children)

**First Saturday**

July 6, 10 - 11 am

Erie Community Library

**\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.**

**Crafternoons**

(all skill levels welcome; adult)

**Meets every 2 weeks**

July 9 and 23, 4 - 6 pm

Farr Regional Library

**Carbon Valley Quilters**

(all skill levels welcome; ages 16+)

**Second Wednesday**

July 10, 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration is required.

**Open Sewing Sessions**

(basic instruction and assistance is available; adult & teen)

**Second Friday**

July 12, 10 am - 1 pm

Lincoln Park Library

**LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)**

**Third Wednesday**

July 17, 4 - 5 pm

Riverside Library

**Artmakers (ages 12+)**

**Third and Fourth Thursdays**

July 18 and 25, 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library



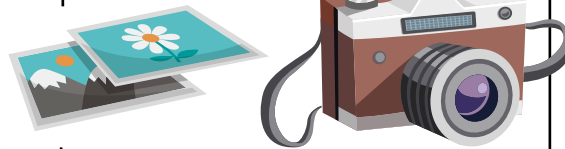
**Camera Club (ages 8-11)**

**Fourth Monday**

July 22, 4 - 4:45 pm

Lincoln Park Library

\*registration required



**Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books**

**Fourth Wednesday**

July 24, 4 - 4:45 pm

Riverside Library

## teens

**Teen Advisory Board**

**Second Tuesday**

July 9, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Teen Tech Series**

**Pokémon Silk Screen T-shirts**  
(while supplies last)

**Second Thursday**

July 11, 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library

**Teen Advisory Board**

**Third Tuesday**

July 16, 4 - 5 pm

Erie Community Library

## movies



**Wednesday Night at the Movies**

**Riverside Library**

**First Wednesday**

July 3, 6 - 8 pm

*The LEGO Movie 2*

**Throwback Thursdays**

**at Centennial Park**

3 - 5 pm

**July 11** - *Mr. Smith Goes to Washington* (1939)

**July 18** - *Field of Dreams* (1989)

**Family Movie Night**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

**First Thursday**

July 11, 6 - 8 pm

*The LEGO Movie 2*

## adult English learning classes

**Clases de Inglés con Aims**

**ESL Classes with Aims**

**Mondays and Wednesdays**

May 29 - August 5

1:30 - 3:30 pm

Riverside Library

Call Maggie Shawcross at

970-506-8488 for more

information or to register.

**English Conversations/**

**Conversaciones en inglés**

**Thursdays beginning July 11**

4:00 - 5:00 pm

Riverside Library

**English Hour/Hora de inglés**

**Thursdays**

5:30 - 6:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## programs - recurring

### children

#### Families N Jammies

First Wednesday

July 3, 6:00 - 6:30 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)

Second Tuesday

July 9, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration required

#### Riverside STEAM Club

##### Magical Magnets (Grades K-5)

Second Wednesday

July 10, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Riverside Library

#### Baby Open Play

Second Thursday

July 11, 2:00 - 2:45 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Pajamarama (Ages 2 ½ - 6)

Fourth Wednesday

July 24, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### sensory & spectrum storytimes



#### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday

July 6, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

\*Registration required

#### Storytime for the Spectrum

Third Saturday

July 20, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Centennial Park Library

\*Registration required

### paws to read

#### Centennial Park Library

Second Monday

July 8, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

#### Riverside Library

Second Wednesday

July 10, 6 - 7 pm

#### Carbon Valley Regional Library

Second Wednesday

July 10, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

#### Erie Community Library

Fourth Wednesday

July 24

4:30 - 5:45 pm



### family fun saturdays

#### Lincoln Park Library

2:00 - 4:00 pm

##### First Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

##### Second Saturday

STEAM fun

##### Third Saturday

Theater Play

##### Fourth Saturday

Open Mic Karaoke

##### Fifth Saturday

SURPRISE!

### gaming programs

#### Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)

First Wednesday

July 3, 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Carbon Valley Chess Club (ages 10-18)

Second Tuesday

July 9, 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Juguemos Lotería

##### Let's Play Loteria

Second Tuesday

9 de julio, 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library

#### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

July 11, 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

#### Game On!

(ages 14+)

Second Sunday

July 14, 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

Second and Fourth Sundays

July 14 & 28, 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10

welcome with adult supervision

### ukulele

#### Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday

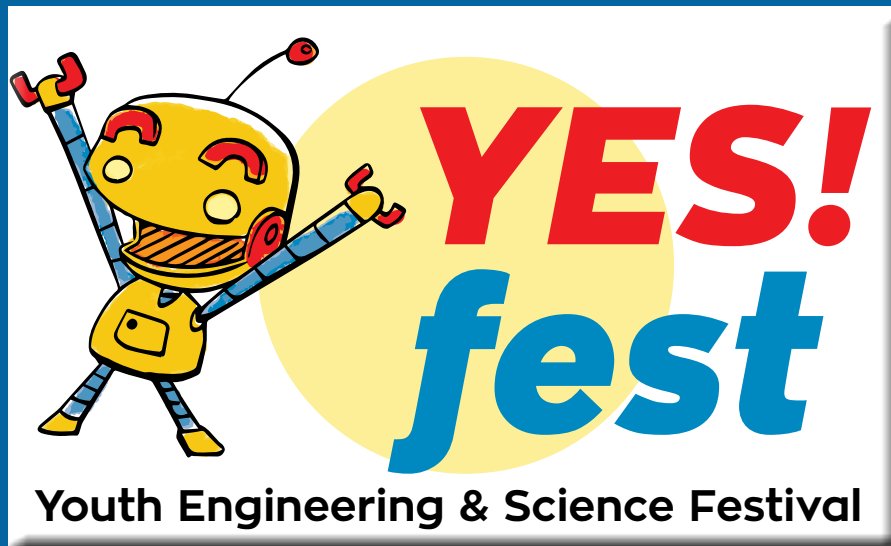
July 18, 6 - 7 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library



## programs - special events

**Watch  
for more  
details!!**



**Saturday, September 21**  
**Greeley Rec Center, 651 10th Avenue, Greeley**

**[mylibrary.us/yesfest](http://mylibrary.us/yesfest)**



## LIBRARIES [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours)

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **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

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

**Nunn Town Hall**  
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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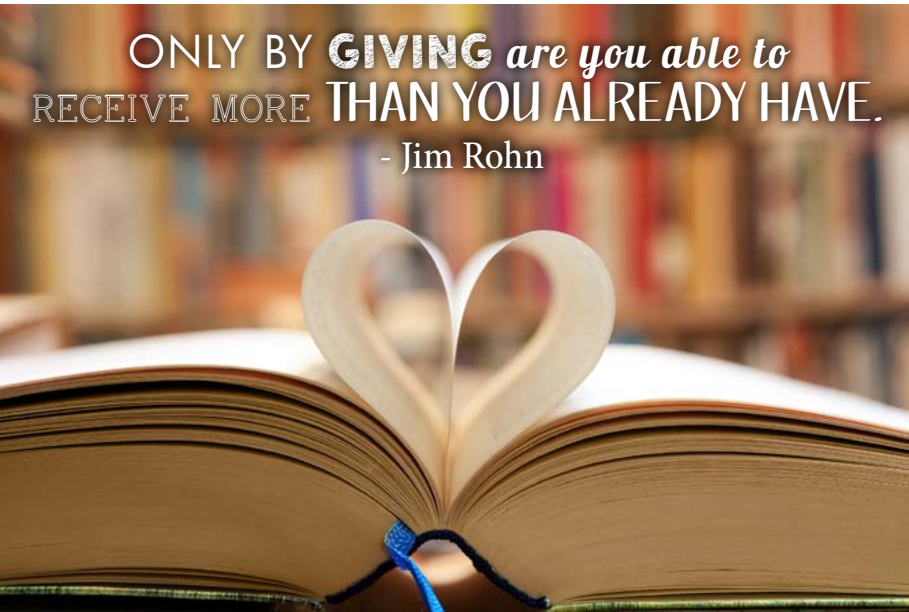
**Briggsdale Library**  
42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

**Hill & Park Senior Center**  
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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- Jim Rohn



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## Episode MMXIX: A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

A long time ago, in a library district not so far from here...

It is a period of boredom. Rebel children are out of school and adults are feeling the burnout. All hope is not lost, however! Your local library district has mobilized in order to divert calamity, provide opportunities for discovery and community, instill a love of reading, and eradicate the dreaded summer slide; the Dark Slide, if you will (I most definitely will).

These intrepid library employees will provide engaging programs to save summer and restore peace to the galaxy! And you can be a part of it! All you have to do is REGISTER NOW for our Summer Reading Adventure, May 19 - August 3.

You can register from the comfort of your own home, through our website on Beanstack, or at any of the HPLD branch libraries. ANY AND ALL AGES are welcome to join us this year! Participants will receive a Discovery Card full of fun and engaging activities to complete, like read a book with a non-human character or watch the stars and create a constellation! Complete all the activities in a row, column, or diagonal to advance. (Like a BINGO card, but more awesome.)

Three BINGOs are all you need to finish the adventure. Everyone who completes the program will also get an invitation to our End of Summer Parties! (And they are going to be out of this world!)

Still not convinced? Well, we also will be having super programs throughout the summer, in which you will get to explore space, make and listen to music, dance your socks off, solve a murder, create works of art, and so much more!

You do not want to miss out on this universally fun experience, so register the whole family today!

*~Valerie Snyder; Keeper of Knowledge, Purveyor of Fun, Hopeful Star Wars Extra (or Library Associate at Farr Regional Library)*





## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**Magic is from Mars, Juggling is from Jupiter**  
***La magia es de Marte, los malabares son de Júpiter***  
**Wednesday, June 19; 6-7 pm**

Watch Ann Lincoln's high energy outer space themed show filled with as much laughter and as many awesome magic and juggling routines as possible.

*Ven a la presentación de Ann Lincoln sobre el tema del espacio sideral. Estará llena de risas y de energía y habrá tantas rutinas de malabares y trucos de magia como sea posible.*

**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
***Movimientos grandes crean gran arte***  
**Saturday, July 6; 10:30-11:30 am**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

*¡Vístete para ensuciarte! Corre, baila, avienta, ruédate, balancéate y brinca hasta lograr formar piezas de arte únicas con tu familia y la comunidad.*

## Space-A-Cade

Wednesday, July 17; 6-7 pm

Help reboot the power crystal in Lenny's spaceship to get him back home in this interactive puppet show that will have you laughing and using your imaginations.

*Ayuda a reiniciar el cristal de energía de la nave especial de Lenny para llevarlo de regreso a casa en esta presentación interactiva de títeres que te harán reír y usar tu imaginación.*

**End of Summer Reading Celebration**  
***Celebración del fin del Programa de lectura en el verano***

**Wednesday, July 31; 10:30 am-12 pm**

Join us for an end of summer celebration honoring you for completing the 2019 Summer Reading Adventure.

*Acompáñanos a celebrar el fin de verano para felicitarte por completar el Programa de la aventura de lectura en el verano del 2019.*



## BIRTH-PreK / NACIMIENTO-PRE KÍNDER

### Oh, the Senses You Can Sense

#### *Oh, los sentidos que puedes sentir*

**Tuesday, June 11; 9:30-11 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

In this child-led activity, infants and toddlers will have the opportunity to freely explore their touch, smell, visual, and auditory senses through sensory stations.

En esta actividad dirigida por niños, infantes y pequeños tendrán la oportunidad de explorar libremente sus sentidos del tacto, olfato, vista y oído por medio de estaciones sensoriales.

### Astronomical Asanas

#### *Posturas (asanas) astronómicas*

**Monday, July 8; 9:30-10 am**

Come stretch your body and imagination. Join us for an interactive storytime as we learn about outer space through books and yoga-inspired movement. No yoga experience necessary.

Ven y estira tu cuerpo e imaginación. Acompáñanos para un rato de cuentos interactivos según aprendemos acerca del espacio sideral a través de cuentos y de movimientos de yoga. No se requiere tener experiencia en yoga.

## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Thinking Games

#### *Juegos de reflexión*

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

¡Aprende habilidades de creatividad y pensamiento analítico con actividades prácticas, incluyendo búsqueda de tesoro que implica encontrar e interpretar símbolos, juego de construcción de mundos, creación de un collage y más!

### Take Note Music Experience

#### *Toma nota con esta experiencia musical*

**Monday, June 10; 2-5 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Learn how to drop a beat and discover how melody, rhythm and harmony come together to form a song. Taught by music artists from around the state. Mini concert included at the end.

*Aprende como tener ritmo y descubre como la melodía, el ritmo y armonía se unen para formar una melodía. Enseñado por artistas musicales de todo el estado. Al final se incluirá un mini-concierto.*

### Mad Science

#### *Ciencia disparatada*

**Thursday, June 20; 10:30-11:30 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Unlock the secrets of the universe with chemical reactions and stellar discoveries.

*Descubre los secretos del universo con reacciones químicas y descubrimientos espectaculares.*

### Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites

#### *Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos*

**Thursday, July 11; 6-7 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in fun, hands-on activities related to space exploration! Make comets out of dry ice, touch real meteorites from space, and view the sun safely with solar telescopes.

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Galaxy Gardening *Jardinería de la galaxia*

**Monday, July 22; 10:30-11:30 am**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Paint galaxy garden pots, galaxy garden rocks and plant Cosmos seeds in our pots!

*¡Pinta macetas galácticas, piedras del jardín galáctico y planta semillas cósmicas en nuestras macetas!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Trail Master 101 *Experto en senderos 101*

**Thursday, June 13; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Uncover the mystery and adventure of Colorado trails! Join veteran hiker Pete KJ for a hands-on workshop on what to pack, drink and eat on a hike.

*¡Descubre el misterio y aventura de los caminos de Colorado! Acompaña al excursionista experto Pete KJ para un taller practico sobre que empaacar, beber y comer durante una caminata.*

### The Murder of Archibald Grim *El asesinato de Archibald Grim*

**Friday, June 21; 6-8 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

### Epic Story Writing Workshop *Taller de escritura de cuentos épicos*

**Thursday, July 11; 1-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Put your protagonist's feet on the path in this life-sized adventure board game that is also a writing workshop and an exercise in critical thinking.

Ponte en los zapatos de tu protagonista en el camino de este juego a escala real mientras que participas en un taller de escritura y un ejercicio para el razonamiento analítico.

### Build Your Favorite Book *Crea tu libro favorito*

**Thursday, July 25; 1-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use the powerful Roblox Studio to recreate your favorite setting from a book or movie and learn some basics of coding in the process.

*Usa el programa avanzado Roblox Studio para recrear tu escenario favorito de un libro o película y en el proceso aprende algunas bases de codificación/configuración.*

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**The Moon or Bust Running Club**  
**Club de carreras Moon or Bust**  
**Tuesdays, June 4-July 30; 7-8 pm**

Reach for the stars with our running/jogging/walking group as we try to go the distance to reach the moon! All levels of fitness and all ages are welcome.

*¡Alcanza las estrellas con nuestro grupo de atletismo/trote/caminata a la vez que intentamos recorrer grandes distancias y llegar a la luna! Todas las edades y niveles de condición físicas son bienvenidos.*

**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
**Movimientos grandes crean gran arte**  
**Saturday, June 8; 1-3 pm**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

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**Multilingual Storytime**  
**Cuentos multilingües**

**Saturday, July 6; 1-2 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Come hear stories in another language. You may just learn how to say a few words in French, Spanish, Swahili, Burmese, Somali and Rohingya.

*Ven y escucha cuentos en otro idioma. Quizás aprendas a decir unas palabras en francés, español, suajili, birmano, somalí y Rohingya.*

**Soft Landing Challenge**  
**Reto de un buen aterrizaje**  
**Monday, July 22; 1-2 pm**  
[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Design and build an airbag system that can safely land an egg dropped onto the floor. Don't crack up!

*Diseña y construye un sistema de bolsa de aire que pueda con seguridad aterrizar con un huevo que cayó al piso. ¡No te quiebres de la risa!*

## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

### End of Summer Reading Celebration *Celebración del fin del Programa de lectura en el verano*

Sunday, August 4; 1:30-3:30 pm

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### PaJAMa-rama Cosmic Dance Party *Fiesta de baile cósmico PaJAMa-rama* Monday, June 3; 6:30-8 pm

Get ready to ROCK the dance floor in your PJs! This cosmic dance party is space-themed with powerful tunes and flashing lights that are out of this world.

*Prepárate para DOMINAR la pista de baile en tus pijamas! El tema de esta fiesta de baile cósmico es el espacio con melodías fuertes y luces intermitentes que son fuera de este mundo.*

### Safe Landings! *¡Buen aterrizaje!* Monday, June 10; 1-2 pm

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Build a mini LEM (Lunar Excursion Module) out of simple materials and test it to see if it can provide a stable, soft landing for the marshmallow astronauts inside!

*Construye un mini LEM (Módulo de Excursión Lunar, por sus siglas en inglés) de materiales sencillos y pruébalo para ver si puede aterrizar bien y con suavidad para los astronautas de bombón que están adentro.*

### American Sign Language is Out of this World! *¡El lenguaje de señas americano es algo fuera de este mundo!*

Monday, June 17; 1-2 pm

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Come be transported to a new universe as you learn about a new language and culture. See where in the world American Sign Language can take you.

*Ven y transpórtate a un nuevo universo mientras que aprendes un nuevo lenguaje y cultura. Mira hacia donde el mundo del Lenguaje de Señas Americano te puede llevar.*

### Mars from Above *Marte desde lo alto* Monday, June 24; 1-2pm

Explore and compare the features of Mars and Earth through hands-on activities and discussion.

*Explora y compara las características de Marte y de la Tierra a través de actividades prácticas y pláticas.*

### Galaxy Gardening *Jardinería de la galaxia* Monday, July 1; 1-2 pm

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites

#### Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos

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### Thinking Games

#### Juegos de reflexión

**Monday, July 15; 1-2 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

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## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Comic Strip Creation: Improv Style

#### Creación de una historieta cómica: Estilo improvisado

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn time-tested formulas and gameplay techniques for creating unique characters and comic strips from veteran cartoon artist, Stan Yan.

*Aprende de fórmulas comprobadas y de técnicas de juego para crear personajes únicos e historietas cómicas del artista experto en caricaturas, Stan Yan.*

### "The Ghoti Incident"

#### "El Incidente Ghoti"

**Tuesday, June 11; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in an original one-shot Dungeons and Dragons adventure. Explore a science fiction space station, planet, and wrecked spaceship; and encounter and interact with alien life forms.

*Participa en una aventura original de tiro de Calabozos y Dragones. Explora una estación espacial de ciencia ficción, un planeta y nave especial destrozada; y enfrenta e interactúa con formas de vida extraterrestre.*

### Roving on the Moon

#### Explorando por la Luna

**Tuesday, June 18; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Design, build and test a lunar rover prototype from common household materials that can scramble across the moon.

*Diseña, construye y prueba un prototipo de un explorador lunar con materiales comunes del hogar que pueden mezclarse por la luna.*

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**Cosmic Cooking**

**Cocina cósmica**

**Tuesday, July 9; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

*Crea una receta fuera de este mundo al aprender habilidades nuevas y técnicas para una experiencia de cocina intergaláctica.*

**I am the Center of My Universe: Ultimate Fashion**

**Extravaganza**

**Soy el centro de mi universo: Extravaganza de última moda**

**Tuesday, July 16; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use up-cycled and vintage thrift store finds to create costumes or everyday fashions that tell a story about who you are and where you are from.

*Usa lo que encuentres en una tienda de segunda para crear atuendos o modas para vida diaria que cuente la historia de quien eres y de dónde vienes.*

**Build Your Favorite Book**

**Crea tu libro favorito**

**Tuesday, July 23; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Use the powerful Roblox Studio to recreate your favorite setting from a book or movie and learn some basics of coding in the process.

*Usa el programa avanzado Roblox Studio para recrear tu escenario favorito de un libro o película y en el proceso aprende algunas bases de codificación/configuración.*





## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

**Family Clay (Flowstone) Creations**  
*Creaciones con plastilina polimérica (Flowstone) en familia*

**Monday, June 3; 4-5:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Using polymer clay and smooth stones to make a unique art piece, explore and discover your inner creative story connecting art and nature. Recommended for ages 5 and up.

*Usando plastilina polimérica y piedras lisas para hacer una pieza de arte única, explora y descubre tu creatividad interna conectando el arte y la naturaleza. Recomendado para niños de 5 años en adelante.*

**A Solar System Journey**  
*Un recorrido por el sistema solar*

**Monday, July 15; 4-6 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Get to know your friendly neighborhood solar system using a variety of observation and interactivity tools! Tour the planets, explore seasons, tides and moon phases, and recreate eclipses.

*¡Conoce al sistema solar cercano usando una variedad de métodos de observación e interactividad! Visita los planetas, explora las estaciones, fases de la luna y de las mareas, y reproduce eclipses.*

**End of Summer Reading Celebration**

*Celebración del fin del Programa de lectura en el verano*

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## BIRTH-PreK / NACIMIENTO-PRE KÍNDER

**"Clair de Lune" and Goodnight Moon**  
*"Clair de Lune" y Goodnight Moon*

**Tuesday, June 4; 6-7 pm**

Relax as soprano Shannon McAleb shares favorite songs like "Clair de Lune" and other classical lullabies. We'll read bedtime stories, sing and enjoy this comforting performance.

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### A Universe of Senses *Un universo de sentidos*

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It's an intergalactic odyssey! We'll explore and play with outer space themed sensory items. Children learn by using all their senses. Get ready for some messy outer space fun.

*¡Es una odisea intergaláctica! Exploraremos y jugaremos con objetos sensoriales del espacio sideral. Los niños aprenden cuando utilizan todos sus sentidos. Prepárate para una experiencia divertida y desordenada sobre el espacio sideral.*

### Oh, the Senses You Can Sense *Oh, los sentidos que puedes sentir*

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### Astronomical Asanas *Posturas (asanas) astronómicas*

Friday, July 12; 10-11 am

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Come stretch your body and imagination. Join us for an interactive storytime as we learn about outer space through books and yoga-inspired movement. No yoga experience necessary.

*Ven y estira tu cuerpo e imaginación. Acompáñanos para un rato de cuentos interactivos según aprendemos acerca del espacio sideral a través de cuentos y de movimientos de yoga. No se requiere tener experiencia en yoga.*

## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

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Tuesday, June 18; 2-3 pm

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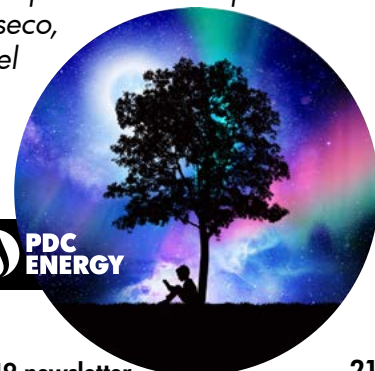
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### Take Note Music Experience

*Toma nota con esta experiencia musical*

**Monday, July 22; 2-5 pm**

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Learn how to drop a beat and discover how melody, rhythm and harmony come together to form a song. Taught by music artists from around the state. Mini concert included at the end.

*Aprende como tener ritmo y descubre como la melodía, el ritmo y armonía se unen para formar una melodía. Enseñado por artistas musicales de todo el estado. Al final se incluirá un mini-concierto.*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

### Cosmic Cooking

*Cocina cósmica*

**Thursday, June 6; 4:30-5:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

*Crea una receta fuera de este mundo al aprender habilidades nuevas y técnicas para una experiencia de cocina intergaláctica.*

### Comic Strip Creation: Improv Style

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**Tuesday, June 25; 4-5:30 pm**

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

### **The Moon or Bust Running Club** **Club de carreras Moon or Bust**

**Wednesdays, June 5-July 31; 6:30-7:30 pm**

Reach for the stars with our running/jogging/walking group as we try to go the distance to reach the moon! All levels of fitness and all ages are welcome.

*¡Alcanza las estrellas con nuestro grupo de atletismo/trote/caminata a la vez que intentamos recorrer grandes distancias y llegar a la luna! Todas las edades y niveles de condición físicas son bienvenidos.*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### **Galaxy Jars**

#### **Frascos galácticos**

**Wednesday, June 5; 2-3 pm**

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Make your own galaxy in a jar using food dye, jars, glitter, cotton balls, and water!

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### **PaJAMa-rama Cosmic Dance Party**

#### **Fiesta de baile cósmico PaJAMa-rama**

**Friday, June 28; 7-8 pm**

Get ready to ROCK the dance floor in your PJs! This cosmic dance party is space-themed with powerful tunes and flashing lights that are out of this world.

*Prepárate para DOMINAR la pista de baile en tus pijamas! El tema de esta fiesta de baile cósmico es el espacio con melodías fuertes y luces intermitentes que son fuera de este mundo.*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Galaxy Gardening *Jardinería de la galaxia*

**Wednesday, July 10; 2-3 pm**

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### Explore Outer Space: Comets & Meteorites *Explora el espacio sideral: Cometas y meteoritos*

**Wednesday, July 17; 2-3 pm**

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### "The Ghoti Incident" *"El Incidente Ghoti"*

**Friday, June 14; 6-7:30 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in an original one-shot Dungeons and Dragons adventure. Explore a science fiction space station, planet, and wrecked spaceship; and encounter and interact with alien life forms.

*Participa en una aventura original de tiro de Calabozos y Dragones. Explora una estación espacial de ciencia ficción, un planeta y nave especial destrozada; y enfrenta e interactúa con formas de vida extraterrestre.*

### Discover Sewing *Descubre la costura*

**Tuesday, June 25; 2-4 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Learn basic sewing machine skills and make your own unique pillow case. No prior experience necessary; just join us ready to start sewing.

*Aprende técnicas básicas de la maquina de coser y haz tu propia funda para almohada. No se requiere tener experiencia; solo acompáñanos dispuesto a comenzar a coser.*

### The Murder of Archibald Grim *El asesinato de Archibald Grim*

**Friday, July 12; 3-4:30 pm**

[Registration required](#) / [Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

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**Universe of ARTmando**

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## FAMILIES / FAMILIAS

### Touch the Sky with Aeronautics

*Toca el cielo con la aeronáutica*

**Tuesday, June 25; 2-3:30 pm**

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Balloon rockets, flying cups, flying butterfly, bottle rockets, hover crafts.

*Cohetes de globos, vasos voladores, mariposas voladoras, cohetes de botellas, aerodeslizador.*

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### Multilingual Storytime

*Cuentos multilingües*

**Friday, July 12; 2-3:30 pm**

Come hear stories in another language. You may just learn how to say a few words in French, Spanish, Swahili, Burmese, Somali and Rohingya.

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

### Mad Science *Ciencia disparatada*

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3:30 pm**

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Unlock the secrets of the universe with chemical reactions and stellar discoveries.

*Descubre los secretos del universo con reacciones químicas y descubrimientos espectaculares.*

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### Thinking Games *Juegos de reflexión*

**Friday, June 28; 2-3:30 pm**

Learn creative and critical thinking skills with hands-on activities including a scavenger hunt that involves finding and interpreting symbols, a world-building game, collage creation, and more!

*¡Aprende habilidades de creatividad y pensamiento analítico con actividades prácticas, incluyendo búsqueda de tesoro que implica encontrar e interpretar símbolos, juego de construcción de mundos, creación de un collage y más!*

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## GRADES K-5 / GRADOS KÍNDER-5to

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Friday, July 26; 2-3:30 pm

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### Roving on the Moon

#### Explorando por la Luna

Tuesday, July 9; 2-3:30 pm

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Design, build and test a lunar rover prototype from common household materials that can scramble across the moon.

*Diseña, construye y prueba un prototipo de un explorador lunar con materiales comunes del hogar que pueden mezclarse por la luna.*

### Cosmic Cooking

#### Cocina cósmica

Tuesday, July 16; 2-3 pm

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**Big Moves Make Big Art**  
*Movimientos grandes crean gran arte*  
**Tuesday, July 9; 2-3 pm**

Dress to get messy! Run, dance, throw, roll, waddle and bounce your way to making big, one of a kind art pieces with your family and community.

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***Frascos galácticos***

**Thursday, July 25; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Make your own galaxy in a jar using food dye, jars, glitter, cotton balls, and water!

*¡Haz tu propia galaxia en un frasco usando pintura comestible, frascos, diamantina, bolitas de algodón y agua!*

## GRADES 6-12 / GRADOS 6to al 12vo

**Cosmic Cooking**  
***Cocina cósmica***

**Tuesday, June 4; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Create an out of this world recipe by learning new skills and techniques for an intergalactic kitchen experience.

*Crea una receta fuera de este mundo al aprender habilidades nuevas y técnicas para una experiencia de cocina intergaláctica.*

**The Murder of Archibald Grim**  
***El asesinato de Archibald Grim***

**Tuesday, June 18; 2-3:30 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Do you have what it takes to solve this dastardly crime? Grab a costume and your magnifying glass and solve a murder in the library!

*¿Tienes lo que se necesita para poder resolver este crimen tan ruin? ¡Toma un disfraz y tu lupa y resuelve el asesinato en la biblioteca!*

**Universe of ARTmando**  
***Universo de ARTmando***

**Tuesday, July 2; 2-3 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Find new ways to express yourself while acquiring exciting new art techniques with Greeley's own Armando Silva.

*Encuentra nuevas maneras de expresarte a la vez que aprendes técnicas de artes nuevas y emocionantes con el propio Armando Silva de Greeley*

**"The Ghoti Incident"**  
***"El Incidente Ghoti"***

**Tuesday, July 16; 1-4 pm**

[Registration required / Registración es requerida](#)

Participate in an original one-shot Dungeons and Dragons adventure. Explore a science fiction space station, planet, and wrecked spaceship; and encounter and interact with alien life forms.

*Participa en una aventura original de tiro de Calabozos y Dragones. Explora una estación espacial de ciencia ficción, un planeta y nave especial destrozada; y enfrenta e interactúa con formas de vida extraterrestre.*

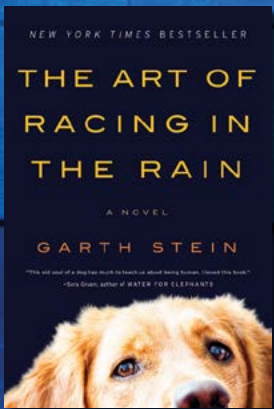
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*“You should shine with all of your light all the time.”*

**Sunday, November 10, 2019**

University of Northern Colorado Ballroom  
2101 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Greeley, Colorado

Tickets available **online** Friday, August 23  
Event details: [MyLibrary.us/racingintherain](https://mylibrary.us/racingintherain)

Venue Sponsor: University of Northern Colorado University Libraries

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## Reading Buddies

*"Reading Buddies is an amazing opportunity to work with kids and earn service hours at the same time!"*

*"I like how much the little buddies look up to you"*

*"I wish the program continued through the school year!"*

These are some of the comments received by teen big buddy volunteers.

The Carbon Valley summer Reading Buddy program began seven years ago with five pairs. Last year's program was the largest with 18 registered pairs and this year we have 15.

Reading Buddies is an eight-week program that pairs young readers (1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> grades) with teen big buddies ages 13-17. The program begins with a training session for the Big Buddies. Each session starts with 30 minutes of teen time which consists of ice breakers and discussion meant to bring the teen volunteers together. The little buddies arrive for their hour of reading, bonding and then whole group time.

Liz Cook and Lorraine Schierer, both Library Associates at the Carbon Valley Regional Library tag team this program. They both agree that it is such a positive program on many different levels: it offers teens the community service hours that they are required to have for school, or for scholarships, it also allows them to be somebody important to a young person. The teens are encouraged to remind parents the night before a session, and also, to schedule a makeup session if either needs to miss. Based on an end-of-program survey with the teens, the input received is not about the service hours but about the relationship they have built with their little buddy. Everyone starts out pretty timid, but in the end, they are laughing and chatting.

The eight-week session ends with an ice cream party, certificates for all and a "gift" that the pairs exchange. This is either a photo of them together or a journal that they have worked on during their time together.

Throughout the program Liz and Lorraine find creative ways to bring the teens together as a group; reminding them that this time with their little buddies is not school... But a time to have fun, share their day, and gently encourage reading.





## Reading Buddies *continued*

Surveys with the parents have been very positive as well with a general theme of wanting the program to be offered in the winter as well as the summer.

It can be a challenging program as it is always down to the wire when it comes to having just the right number of pairs. Liz and Lorraine begin putting the big buddy applications out in the library in April 1st and promoting the program throughout the community May 1. Normally there is a waiting list for little buddies and we are down to the very last minute for big buddies. This year was just the opposite... This can be a little stressful as you can be tweaking the numbers up until the day the program begins.

Watch for your opportunity to participate in Reading Buddies next Spring!

*~ Lorraine Schierer, Library Associate, Carbon Valley Regional Library*

**The more that you read,  
the more things you will know.  
The more that you learn,  
the more places you'll go.**  
Dr. Seuss



## Making Music in the Library

Libraries and music haven't always been a natural partnership. The clichéd version of the uptight librarian who is ready to shush anyone who makes a peep in the library would faint at the sight of libraries with recording studios and performance spaces where bands are even invited to play **INSIDE THE LIBRARY!** On this note (no pun intended), High Plains Library District is incredibly excited to be part of the Take Note Colorado initiative that will help us bring more music and musical instruments to all library users and especially to our younger patrons.

Take Note Colorado is a statewide community initiative whose mission is to provide access to musical instruments and instruction to every K-12 student in Colorado. The initiative was launched in January 2017 under the leadership of former Governor John Hickenlooper and Isaac Slade of Denver band The Fray, who share the belief that we can all play a role in bringing music into the lives of students. Hickenlooper and Slade were joined by musicians, philanthropists, music industry leaders, government representatives, community and nonprofit leaders to help realize this vision.

One of the first opportunities HPLD had to work with Take Note was during this year's Summer Reading Adventure. The Take Note Music Experience visited Carbon Valley, Farr and Erie libraries where aspiring musicians from kindergarten to fifth grade could learn to play real instruments from local, professional musicians. The results were amazing! At the end of the three-hour session, the kids were invited to perform an original composition alongside the musicians and it was incredible to see the confidence and creative energy that they showed while performing for a room full of adults and their peers.

As part of the Take Note partnership, HPLD has also received donations of musical instruments and digital music software that will be used for programming starting in the fall. The benefits of putting musical instruments in the hands of young people are vast, including improved motor skills, development of memory, and increased self-esteem. Keep an eye on the upcoming district calendar for musical programs being held at a library in your area.

As a hobbyist musician myself, I'll admit that I'm a little bit biased about the joys of making music. Just like any other pursuit, it isn't without its challenges, but the rewards for your effort can be immense. I've always loved this quote from Jimi Hendrix about the work of making music, "Sometimes you want to give up the guitar, you'll hate the guitar. But if you stick with it, you're gonna be rewarded." Thanks to the work of the Take Note Colorado initiative, we're on our way to getting kids that sense of reward and hopefully making the library just a little bit louder.

~ Ian Ruge, Librarian, Carbon Valley Regional Library



# programs

## End of Summer Reading Celebration

August 1, 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

August 1, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**

August 1, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

August 2, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

August 4, 1:30 - 3:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

Join us for an end of summer celebration honoring you for completing the 2019 Summer Reading Adventure.



## ADULT | Active Minds: The Challenges of Mexico

August 1, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Having completed Presidential elections last year, join Active Minds for an in-depth look at our neighbor to the south. We will cover Mexican history and recent events as we seek to understand how this country fits in the regional puzzle of North, Central and South America. We will examine key issues in Mexican relations with the U.S. including immigration, trade relations and border security.



## ADULT | Money Matters: Alternative Investments

August 1, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

August 22, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 7/21](#)

In this seminar you will learn to think outside the box. There are more unique ways to earn than putting your money into stocks, bonds, and mutual funds. Discover ways to spice up your financial portfolio with alternative investments such as Residential Properties; and learn about Cryptocurrency, REITs, Precious Metals, Hedge Funds, Venture Capital, and Collectibles.

## TEEN & ADULT | FPV Drone Racing

August 3, 1:00 - 4:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 12+. Want to learn more about drone racing? FPV (First Person View) drone racing is a rapidly growing sport that anyone can participate in! An FPV drone pilot flies a remote-controlled quadcopter through a course using goggles that show a live stream camera feed from the drone. The Other Guys, a local chapter of the MultiGP drone racing league, will be here to talk about how to get into this exciting new sport and provide a hands-on demonstration.

## ALL AGES | Carbon Valley Outdoor Concert Series

Saturdays, August 3 - 24  
6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**



Don't miss our library's first annual Outdoor Concert Series, bringing a diverse lineup of local musicians to perform in the natural surroundings of our back patio and nature trail. Bring a picnic dinner for the family or enjoy free popcorn and refreshments provided by the library. Patrons are encouraged to bring a chair or blanket in the event that we run out of seating. In case of weather, music will be held inside the library.

**August 3:** Longmont All-Star Jazz Band

**August 10:** Walker Shellist (Blues)

**August 17:** Hillbilly Aliens (Bluegrass)

**August 24:** GRANT (Acoustic Pop)

## ADULT | High Plains Chautauqua Special Event

August 3, 6:00 - 8:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

Join us for the High Plains Chautauqua 2019: *Encore! 20 Years of Making History Come to Life* kickoff with a screening of *Green Book*. The movie screening will be followed by a discussion led by Dr. Ron Edgerton.

# programs

## CHILDREN & TEEN | Photography Lab: Cyanotypes

August 5, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 10-18. Join professional photographer Stephanie Burchett as she shows you the magic of cyanotypes, one of the earlier forms of modern photography. Learn the basics of how photographs are developed and create your own original cyanotype print to take home. No cameras required.

## ADULT | The "Cloud" for Beginners

August 5, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

What is the cloud and how can you use it to access your documents, photos, and other files from almost anywhere? Tablet, to phone, to your computer - you can easily sync and share your files across devices. We will teach you the basics of backing up your data to the cloud and discuss some popular options for storage.

## book a librarian appointment

Book a Librarian Appointments are free, one-on-one computer help sessions with tech specialists that are designed to answer all of your in-depth questions! They are available in English and Spanish. Visit [MyLibrary.us/services/#book\\_a-librarian](http://MyLibrary.us/services/#book_a-librarian) or call us at 1-888-861-7323 to request an appointment.



## CHILDREN | Let's Talk About Race

August 6, 10:00 - 11:00 am

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

August 28, 10:00 - 11:00 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Children notice race at a very young age, and can often draw erroneous conclusions if no one speaks to them. With a focus on children's literature, we will discuss and model ways adults can talk about race and racism in age appropriate ways with preschoolers.

## CHILDREN | Yoga Storytime

Tuesdays, August 6 - 27

4:00 - 4:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Stretch, breathe, listen, and let go of the day with us at our energizing Yoga Storytime!

## CHILDREN | Lincoln Park Singers

August 6 - September 17

4:30 - 5:15 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Recommended for ages 6-10. Be a part of Lincoln Park Singers! Rehearse with us August 6 - September 10 as we prepare three songs to perform for family and friends on September 17.

## TEEN & ADULT | College 101 with Aims Community College

August 6, 5:30 - 7:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

College is in my future! Join us for a free dinner and learn more about going to college, transferring degrees and career and education degrees and certificates, and scholarships and financial aid. Spanish interpretation will be available.

*Acompáñenos: Cena gratis incluida: Obtén más información sobre; cómo ir a la universidad; Aprende sobre los grados de transferencia y los grados y certificaciones de educación técnica y profesional; Infórmese sobre becas y ayuda financiera. Interpretación en español estará disponible*

## TEEN & ADULT | Writer's Workshop: Hook, Blurb and Sinker

August 6, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Ages 12+. Finding a quick and powerful way to explain your book to potential readers is almost as difficult as writing the book in the first place! In this session, local fantasy author CK Miller will discuss her process for summarizing a lengthy work into a few paragraphs or even a couple sentences. You'll also have a chance to share your ideas with other writers about how to grab someone's attention and turn a potential reader into an actual reader.



# programs

## **ADULT | SBDC Small Business Seminar: Business Plan Development**

August 6, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

This seminar will provide an overview of the components essential to a business plan using generic templates suitable for all types of businesses. The real value of creating a business plan is not in having the finished product in hand; rather, the value lies in the process of researching and thinking about your business in a systematic way. The act of planning helps you to think things through thoroughly, with study and research to look at your ideas critically to prepare an effective business plan.



## **CHILDREN & TEEN | Back to School Tie Dye Day**

August 7, 3:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Head to school in style! Everyone going in to Kindergarten through 12th grade is invited to drop in and create a unique tie dye shirt. **Please bring a clean, light colored shirt** (old or new, doesn't matter) and we'll provide the rest of the supplies (while supplies last). Tie dye is art you can wear!



## **ADULT | Handmade Evening at the Library**

August 7 and 14, 6:00 - 8:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required and open July 14 - 26.](#)

Ages 18+. Update your fall wardrobe by making this easy to wear jacket. Make to wear to the office or with jeans by changing the type of fabric and/or length of the jacket and sleeves. This will be a two-part program (August 7 and 14) so please plan to attend both nights. The pattern will be provided; bring your own machine. Some experience with garment sewing is recommended. Registration required; ages 18+. Please email Linda at [lhillman@highplains.us](mailto:lhillman@highplains.us) for a supply list.

**Next project: Fall Table Runner  
September 11 and 18**

[Registration August 18-30](#)

## **ADULT | High Plains Chautauqua Special Event: Harriet Tubman**

August 7, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Harriet Tubman was a witness to the Civil War, the Underground Railroad, and the Women's Suffrage movement. Come and hear her extraordinary stories, as told by Chautauqua scholar and professional storyteller, Becky Stone. On this special night, you'll have an opportunity to ask questions of both Harriet Tubman and Becky Stone.

## **ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado**

August 8, 12:00 - 1:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Each month this year, "Twelve Dozen Things About Colorado" will present 12 things - things you probably don't know! - that tell the stories of Colorado.



## **TEEN | Harry Potter Escape Room**

August 9, 5:30 - 9:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Calling all witches, wizards, and muggles!!! Do you have the bravery of a Gryffindor? The intelligence of a Ravenclaw? The patience of a Hufflepuff? The cunningness of a Slytherin? A sorting hat ceremony will be held upon your arrival to determine your team. Solve puzzles, decipher clues, and test your team's wizarding knowledge to escape the room in less than 30 minutes -- or not! The clock is ticking!! After you escape, stop by Platform 9 3/4 to have your team photo taken. Enjoy snacks and butterbeer while you wait your turn. Watch Harry Potter movies (Rated PG-13) and make your own wand!! Costumes encouraged and magic expected! Time-turners not permitted.

# programs

## ADULT | Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

August 12, 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Volunteer attorneys will assist one-on-one, via computer link, with answering questions, filling out forms, and explaining 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. *Walk-ins are welcome; first-come, first-served. This is not legal representation; this clinic is information only.*



## ADULT | Spirits of the High Plains: Leopold Brothers

August 12, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 21+. For the finale of this year's series, the Leopold Brothers return to speak about all their amazing products.

## CHILDREN | Backyard Buddies

August 13, 10:15 - 11:45 am  
**Erie Community Library**

Birth - preK. Bring your little one to play outside as we celebrate the end of summer. We will have a blast outside on the lawn with bouncing balls, bubbles and tunes.

## ADULT | Resume Writing 101

August 14, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Looking for a career change or just to land that perfect job? We'll give you tips and tricks that will make your resume stand out. This two-hour class will explain the necessary resume features for your industry, give you the crucial "dos" and "don'ts" of resume building.

## CHILDREN | Kids Crafterschool

3:30 - 5:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
August 14  
[Registration opens 8/1](#)

August 28  
[Registration opens 8/1](#)

Grades 3-5. Join us for after-school creative fun! Learn to sew and have fun making your own, very cool backpack. Supplies provided.



## ALL AGES | Back to School Bash

August 14, 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**

Join us to celebrate the start of a new school year! This event is free to attend and will feature back-to-school information, FREE family games and activities, a meet and greet with llamas, and community organization booths.

## ADULT | Medicare Options

August 15, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Join us for an informative educational session. Learn about the four Medicare parts - Part A, Part B, Part C, Part D - and Medicare Supplement insurance. Whether you have already enrolled, or are just starting to think about signing up, this seminar will help! Whatever your situation, this class will help you understand Medicare and your choices.

## It's Not All in the Hands: American Sign Language for Teens

**No todo está en las manos: lenguaje de señas estadounidense para adolescentes**  
August 17, 12:00 - 1:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 7/17/](#)  
[Inscripción es requerida](#)

Grades 6-12. Want to explore a new language? Curious about how to communicate with peers who may use ASL? Come hang out with us and learn some American Sign Language signs and a few need to know facts about the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Community. See you there!

Grados 6-12. ¿Quieres explorar un idioma nuevo? ¿Tienes curiosidad acerca de cómo comunicarte con sus compañeros que pueden usar LSE? Ven a pasar un rato con nosotros y aprende algunos signos de lenguaje de señas estadounidense y algunos datos sobre la comunidad de personas sordas y con problemas de audición. ¡Te vemos allí!

## programs

### **ADULT | Intermediate Excel**

August 17, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 7/18](#)

Excel is a tool that is always in demand in the workforce. This class is designed for intermediate users. Participants should be comfortable with using Windows computers, mouse and keyboard.



### **CHILDREN | Saturday Stretch: You and Me Yoga**

August 17, 3:45 - 4:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 7/18](#)

Preschoolers and caregivers. Stretch out your Saturday afternoon alongside your little one at You and Me Yoga. Caregivers and children will move together and explore yoga in a way that's specifically designed with young children in mind. This class promotes social, emotional, and cognitive development as we connect movement to breath and mindfully move our bodies. Feel free to bring your own yoga mat, but it's not necessary to enjoy the program. *Kailey Geppert is a registered Hatha Yoga Instructor. She specializes in Vinyasa, Family, Parent and Prenatal classes.*

### **ADULTOS | Asistencia Tecnológica**

19 de agosto, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Hablantes de español: ¿Quiere instrucción en usar una computadora? ¿No está seguro de cómo usar su nuevo dispositivo electrónico? ¿Está buscando recursos sobre un nuevo tipo de tecnología? ¡Preguntanos! Traemos el café y tú traes las preguntas.

### **ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**

August 20, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration opens 7/18](#)

Join us for a FREE comprehensive seminar that will provide you with the Colorado Start-Up Guide, a list of free library resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

### **ADULT | Tenant Protections under Colorado Law**

August 20, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Does your apartment have a leaky roof or broken windows? Have you noticed garbage piling up and mice or other vermin in the building? Several years ago, Colorado's legislature enacted a law protecting tenants in special circumstances called the Warranty of Habitability. This presentation covers the Warranty of Habitability Law in depth, discusses areas that remain open for court interpretations, and touches on other tenant protections in Colorado law that relate to the Warranty of Habitability.

### **ADULT | Community Champions:**

**Love Justice International**

August 21, 6:30 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Center**  
**450 Powers Street, Erie**

Love Justice International is a global nonprofit that fights the world's greatest injustices, namely human trafficking. Love Justice is committed to ending trafficking with a unique strategy that intercepts victims while they are in the process of being trafficked. To date, their work has intercepted over 16,000 lives from potential slavery across the globe!



### **ADULT | Book Club Bonanza**

August 23, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Book Expo is finished, and we have all the info about exciting new releases for book clubs and more! Join us to hear all about the hot new titles, both fiction and nonfiction, and to get some giveaways from established favorites and debut authors alike! Refreshments will be provided.

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### **ADULT | Homemade Granola**

August 24, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Come join us for an afternoon of baking, as we explore the making of granola. Learn to create your own delicious mix and sample our class batch. All participants will receive recipes to take home.

### **ADULT | Tech Cafe**

August 30, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the Internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

### **ADULT | End of Season Garden Prep & DIY Fairy Garden**

August 31, 2:30 - 4:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join Serapio Ayala, Master Gardener, as he teaches you how to properly clean up and prepare your garden for the next planting season. Get handouts with the steps for your end of season garden preparation. After the presentation, the first 12 people in attendance can stay and make a Fairy Garden to take home.



# programs - book clubs

## Non Fiction Book Club

First Monday

Farr Regional Library

August 5, 1 - 2 pm

*Becoming*

by Michelle Obama

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

First and Third Tuesday

August 6 and 20

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Prefects (ages 12-17)

First and Third Tuesday

August 6 and 20

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Erie Evening Book Club

Second Thursday

Erie Community Library

August 8, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

Second Monday

Erie Community Library

August 12, 4:00 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Pints & Pages

Second Monday

Call 1-888-861-7323 for location

August 12, 7 - 8 pm

August is Audiobooks (*Listen Up!*)

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

Second Tuesday

Third Wednesday

August 13 and 21

4:30 - 5:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

Prefects (ages 12-17)

Second Tuesday

August 13, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

Second Wednesday

Erie Community Library

August 14, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Kersey Book Club

Second Wednesday

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

August 14, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

*On Living*

by Kerry Egan

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

Third Tuesday

Farr Regional Library

August 20, 1:30 - 3 pm

*Heartland*

by Sarah Smarsh

## Reading the West Book Group

Fourth Monday

Centennial Park Library

August 26, 3 - 4 pm

*Driving to Geronimo's Grave*

by Joe R. Lansdale

## Riverside Readers

Fourth Monday

Riverside Library

August 26, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*Where the Crawdads Sing*

by Delia Owens

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

Fourth Wednesday

Farr Regional Library

August 28, 7 - 8:30 pm

## Book Lover's Book Club

Last Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

August 27, 6 - 7 pm

*Before We Were Yours*

by Lisa Wingate



## programs - recurring

### make-it programs

**Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13)**  
(limited to the first 20 children)

**First Saturday**

August 3, 10 - 11 am  
Erie Community Library

**\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.**

**Crafternoons**

(all skill levels welcome; adult)

**Meets every 2 weeks**

August 6 and 20, 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

**Open Sewing Sessions**

(basic instruction and assistance  
is available; adult & teen)

**Second Friday**

August 9, 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

**Carbon Valley Quilters**

(all skill levels welcome; ages 16+)

**Second Wednesday**

August 14, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required.

**Artmakers (ages 12+)**

**Third and Fourth Thursdays**

August 15 and 22, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

**LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)**

**Third Wednesday**

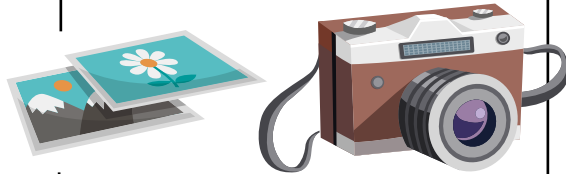
August 21, 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library



**Camera Club (ages 8-11)**

**Fourth Monday**

August 26, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Lincoln Park Library  
\*registration required



**Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books**

**Fourth Wednesday**

August 28, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Riverside Library

### teens

**Independence! #Adulting**  
**Cooking for One**

**First Thursday**

August 1, 4 - 5:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

**Teen Tech Series**  
**Frankentoyz**  
(while supplies last)

**Second Thursday**

August 8, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

**Teen Advisory Board**

**Second Tuesday**

August 13, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Teen Advisory Board**

**Third Tuesday**

August 20, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library

### movies



**Wednesday Night at the Movies**  
**Riverside Library**

**First Wednesday**

August 7, 6 - 8 pm  
*Dumbo*

**Throwback Thursdays**  
**at Centennial Park**

3 - 5 pm

**August 1** - *Lassie Come Home*  
(1943)

**August 8** - *Old Yeller* (1957)

**August 15** - *Best in Show* (2000)

**August 22** - *Hachi: A Dog's Tale*  
(2009)

### adult English learning classes

**Clases de Inglés con Aims**  
**ESL Classes with Aims**

**Mondays and Wednesdays**

May 29 - August 5  
1:30 - 3:30 pm  
Riverside Library

**English Conversations/  
Conversaciones en inglés**

**Thursdays**

4:00 - 5:00 pm  
Riverside Library

**English Hour/Hora de inglés**

**Mondays**

1:30 - 2:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

**Thursdays**

5:30 - 6:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

## programs - recurring

### children

#### Families N Jammies

First Wednesday

August 7, 6:00 - 6:30 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Baby Open Play

Second Thursday

August 8, 2:00 - 2:45 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)

Second Tuesday

August 13, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration required

#### Pajamarama (Ages 2 ½ - 6)

Fourth Wednesday

August 28, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### sensory & spectrum storytimes



#### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday

August 3, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

\*Registration required

### paws to read

#### Centennial Park Library

Second Monday

August 12, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

#### Riverside Library

Second Wednesday

August 14, 6 - 7 pm

#### Carbon Valley Regional Library

Second Wednesday

August 14, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

#### Erie Community Library

Fourth Wednesday

August 28

4:30 - 5:45 pm



### family fun saturdays

#### Lincoln Park Library

2:00 - 4:00 pm

#### First Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

#### Second Saturday

STEAM fun

#### Third Saturday

Theater Play

#### Fourth Saturday

Open Mic Karaoke

#### Fifth Saturday

SURPRISE!

### gaming programs

#### Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)

First Wednesday

August 7, 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

August 8, 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

#### Game On!

(ages 14+)

Second Sunday

August 11, 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

Second and Fourth Sundays

August 11 & 25, 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10

welcome with adult supervision

#### Carbon Valley Chess Club (ages 10-18)

Second Tuesday

August 13, 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Loteria

Second Tuesday

13 de agosto, 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library

### ukulele

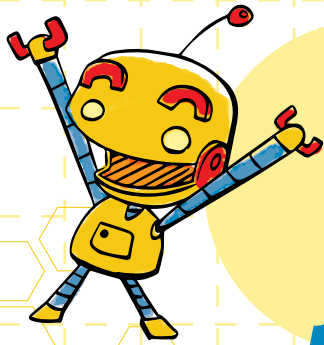
#### Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday

August 15, 6 - 7 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library





# YES! fest

Youth Engineering & Science Festival



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**YES!fest (Youth Engineering & Science Festival)** promises to be fun and educational for the whole family. Booths and exhibitors will provide hands-on activities and presentations throughout the day. Come and see the wondrous feats of building, electrifying exhibitors, and amazing aeronautics. Perfect for STEM enthusiasts of all ages!

**Sat, Sept. 21st**  
**10:00am-3:00pm**

**Greeley Rec Center**  
**651 10th Ave, Greeley**

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**#hpldyesfest**

## 2019 EXHIBITORS



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

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185 Lincoln Avenue, Nunn, CO 80648  
(970) 897-2385

# AFFILIATED LOCATIONS

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at the City of Greeley Museum**  
714 8th Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
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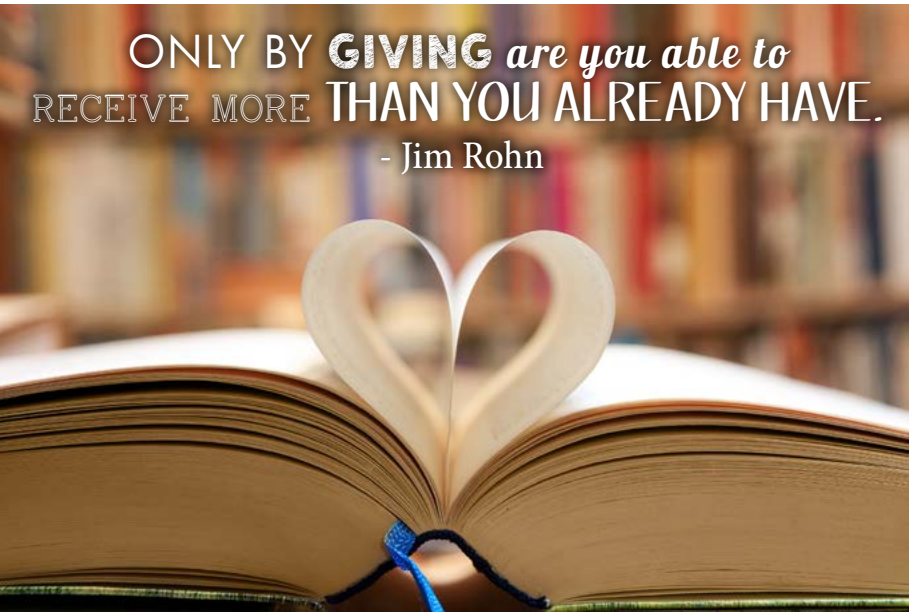
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## YES!fest (Youth Engineering and Science Festival) Launches on September 21

Would you like to make a water wheel, play with a robot, build an irrigation channel and create a monster out of sand all in one day?

You can do all of these things and more at the High Plains Library District's inaugural YES!fest (Youth Engineering and Science Festival) on Saturday, September 21, from 10am to 3pm at the Greeley Recreation Center, 651 10th Ave, Greeley. Free parking will be available next door at the Union Colony Civic Center

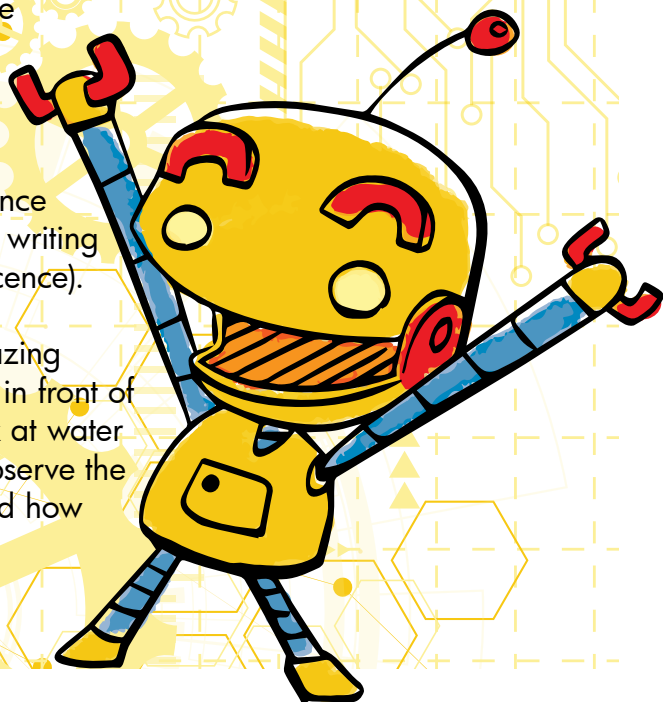
"We are extremely excited to offer the Yes!fest to our Community", said Dr. Matthew Horts, Executive Director, "The inaugural event will give families the opportunity to engage in hands-on STEM learning, activities and fun. The event will expose children and families to the work of science and technology and allow them to gain confidence in their skills."

We love science and engineering so much that we decided to put together this FREE festival, which is geared toward families with school-aged children and features nearly 30 exhibitors who recognize the importance of STEM in the lives of young people. Featuring booths from the City of Greeley's Engineering Department, Lockheed Martin, Poudre Learning Center, Noble Energy, City of Loveland Department of Water and Power, Ball Aerospace, Girl Scouts of Colorado, PDC Energy, Stantec, Difesco Services, the Society of Women Engineers and many more, YES!fest gives kids the opportunity to play, explore, learn, and be an engineer for a day.

Also on site, the Windsor High School Robotics team will be providing a hands-on workshop that teaches participants how to make a robot, and kids will also be able to interact with several pre-built robots.

Our light and optics room will allow participants to experience fun with mirrors, personal pinhole theaters, coloring in 3-D, writing with light (phosphorescence), and candy light (triboluminescence).

The West Greeley Conservation District will bring their amazing Riparian and River Water Study Trailer. This will be parked in front of the Greeley Rec Center and will provide an interactive look at water systems. Participants will learn about sediment transport, observe the making of a river and learn river functions, terminology, and how sediment is transported.



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## YES!fest continued

We will have several university-affiliated organizations, like UNC's Math and Science Teaching Institute, Rams Without Borders, and CSU's American Indian Science and Engineering Society to help participants find out how to connect to engineering careers, explore problem-solving activities and show that anyone can think just like an engineer.

Michelle Heffner, the president of the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE) at CSU, says, "What I like most about being an engineering student is that I get to learn so many different things across different fields of study. I have learned so much about all sciences, math, computing, social sciences, medicine, arts, history, and other humanities fields and the coolest thing to me is that I can combine my knowledge from any of these fields in order to create things, investigate questions that haven't been asked before, and better society. That's the core of engineering." If you stop by to see Michelle and SHPE, you will get to make a lava lamp, ink a leaf and create a "Stranger Things Monster". Michelle shared with us that until she went to a professional engineering conference while in college, she never saw anyone who looked like her - a Hispanic woman - working in the engineering field. She wants to be a role-model for young people who are considering a career in engineering.

Stantec Water Engineer Victor Sam says kids should, "Ask questions and then try it out! Why does it do that? How does it work? Does it go faster? Can I make it change back? Be curious! If you like something, you want to learn everything about it. Go ahead, I know you will be amazed and inspired!"

In addition to the numerous hands-on activities, there will be representatives from AIMS Community College and Front Range Community College to talk about the engineering programs at their schools. This is a great time for parents to ask questions about career paths, financial aid, and scholarship opportunities.

The concept of a community festival dedicated to engineering evolved from HPLD's involvement with Ready, Set, Create/Project Build, a National Science Foundation initiative. YES!fest 2019 aims to engage underserved and underrepresented community members and families in novel and meaningful ways. Through hands-on activities, we seek to create a change in attitude towards engineering, as a meaningful potential career option and as relevant in our everyday lives.

"Through the Ready, Set, Create! programs, the High Plains Library District recognized that we could engage and excite children about engineering as a possible future. However, we rarely caught the parents who also need to know that these careers are possible for their children. We are hoping that YES!fest brings all ages together to realize that in addition to engineering and science experiences being fun, that it's also a very possible career path for anyone who enjoys being curious problem solvers – being a math genius is not required," said Elena Rosenfeld, Associate Director of Outreach at the High Plains Library District.

Visitors will also have a chance to enter a contest to name the YES!fest mascot. Come along and say "yes" to YES!fest by bringing the family for a day of STEM fun and experimentation, all for FREE. For more information on everything YES!fest, visit us at [www.mylibrary.us/yesfest](http://www.mylibrary.us/yesfest)

- Melissa Beavers, Library Manager of Centennial Park Library, and YES!fest Committee Chair



## Teen Tour 2019: Angela Aguirre ~ Millennial Mija

As you probably know, library services aren't always confined to within the walls of the library. Outreach services and special events like YES! Fest and our annual Signature Author event go outside the library to enhance our district's impact on the community and meet patrons where it's most effective. Another annual event that may be less well known to the public, but is no less impactful, is Teen Tour.

The reason it might be a little less well known than some other district-wide events is that Teen Tour is a collaboration between High Plains Library District and local high schools and middle schools which brings an inspirational figure – often an accomplished writer or artist - to speak to young people at school-wide assemblies or classroom workshops.

For schools on tight budgets, bringing in an outside presenter can often present a significant financial challenge. The beauty of Teen Tour is that we are able to defray many of the costs associated with an outside presenter by having them do up to 15 presentations at a variety of local schools over the course of a week. Coordinating travel and the scheduling of 15 presentations between schools across Weld County is no small feat, but past Teen Tours have been able to reach over 4,000 students across its five-day span, attesting to the value of the library's involvement in this type of event.

One of our most exciting recent Teen Tour performers was Native American dancer and musician Supaman, who visited local middle schools in the fall of 2016. Students were in awe of not only his artistic skills and presentation but also of his personal story of overcoming a familial history of substance abuse. After every performance he was mobbed by students looking for an autograph or a selfie to commemorate the occasion. Two years ago, internationally-acclaimed poet Joaquin Zihuatanejo presented at local high schools where he held audiences in rapt attention with his stirring poetry and inspired students to tell their own story through poems.

For this year's Teen Tour we are extremely excited to be bringing writer and activist Angela Aguirre from Los Angeles to speak at our local high schools. Ms. Aguirre is a fierce advocate for women's issues and issues involving people with disabilities. As a person living with mental illness, she is very open and candid about her struggle with ADHD, anxiety, and Bipolar Depression. Ms. Aguirre will be presenting workshops that are meant to raise self-esteem while opening students' eyes to the challenges being faced by their peers and the people around them. It promises to be an inspirational week of art and advocacy that will leave a positive impression on all students involved.



Teen Tour 2019 will take place from September 30 through October 4 at local high schools.

Please contact [iruge@highplains.us](mailto:iruge@highplains.us) if you would like more information on this event.

# Millennial Mija

JUST A HOMEGIRL WITH A MESSAGE

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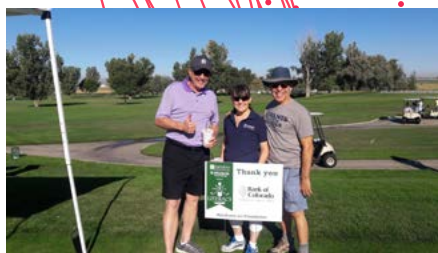
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## Writer in Residence



**Greeley Arts Picnic**

## Links for Literacy



**Meet the  
Writer in Residence**



**Riverside Playground**

# programs

## ADULT | Facebook for Beginners

September 3, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Facebook - it can be a big plunge into the social networking world. Learn about your profile, newsfeed, adding friends and messaging. We'll answer all your questions about security settings, privacy and who can see what on your profile. We'll also talk about accessing Facebook on mobile devices. **Must have current email account and basic experience in navigating the web. Existing Facebook account is preferable.**

## CHILDREN | Lincoln Park Singers

Tuesdays, September 3 - 17

4:30 - 5:15 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Recommended for ages 6-10. Be a part of Lincoln Park Singers! Rehearse with us as we prepare three songs to perform for family and friends on September 17.



## ADULT | Learn to Type

Wednesdays, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Drop in for typing practice for all skill levels. Practice in a small group environment in our typing lab. Space is limited.

## ADULT | Canvas and Cocoa: Acrylic Pour

September 5, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

There's nothing more satisfying than creating abstract masterpieces by letting pigment run amok. There are endless creative possibilities thanks to different ways to combine acrylic paints and there's something so satisfying about watching it spill across a surface. Getting started with acrylic pouring isn't particularly difficult, making it a great art form for all skill levels. With so many techniques to try, you can get as simple or complicated as you'd like. Take home your own canvas creation. Taught by Darlene Ruhle from The Art Spot.



## CHILDREN | Creating Comics with Stan Yan

September 5, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades K-5. This is your chance to draw, invent and create! Denver-based cartoonist Stan Yan will teach everyone how to create your own funny comic strip! This hands-on workshop will include learning character development, story structure, and sequential illustration techniques borrowed from storyboard artists.

## CHILDREN & TEEN | Youth Ukulele Lessons

Thursdays, September 5 - 26

4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 8-18. If you've ever wanted to learn to play ukulele, this is your chance! In this four week session we'll cover the basics of reading tabs, playing chords and even writing your own songs. No experience necessary and ukuleles will be provided to participants.

## CHILDREN + GRANDPARENTS | Grandparents Day Tea

September 6, 12:00 - 1:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration for each attendee is required; please limit your group to 4 people.](#)

Grandparents and grandchildren! Join us for a special afternoon tea in honor of Grandparents Day. We'll set out our very best china, sip tea and nibble on sweet bites together. We'll also have some fun crafts and activities to share with you and that special someone in your life.

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## ADULT | Learn to Play Mah Jongg

Fridays, September 6 - October 11  
1:00 - 4:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 18+. Join the growing craze and learn to play American Mah Jongg. The game involves skill, strategy, calculation, and a bit of luck. You will learn using the national Mah Jongg League (NMJL) rules and the 2019 official NMJL card will be provided. ***This program has six sessions which build off of each other. Attendance for all six is highly encouraged.***



## ALL AGES | Paws to Read for Everyone

September 6, 3:00 - 4:00 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

These adorable therapy dogs listen patiently and with open hearts whether you want to practice English, need a non-judgmental companion, or just love reading. For all ages.

[This program is offered in conjunction with our Signature Author Series event on Nov. 10.](#)

## TEEN | Haunted Library

September 6, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Do you hear strange creaking or rattling noises in your house late at night? Have you had paranormal experiences in the past? It might be time to get a few beginner ghost hunting tips under your belt. Rocky Mountain Paranormal Research Society will be presenting Ghost Hunting 101, where you will learn to hunt ghosts and spot paranormal activity. After the presentation, you'll put your skills to use and go on a ghost hunt in the library! You will discover the ghost's reason for haunting the library, unmask a dastardly villain, right an old wrong, and set the ghost free!

## ADULT | "The Cloud" for Beginners

September 7, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

What is the cloud and how can you use it to access your documents, photos, and other files from almost anywhere? Tablet, to phone, to your computer - you can easily sync and share your files across devices. We will teach you the basics of backing up your data to the cloud and discuss some popular options for storage.

## ADULT | Basics of Food Preservation

September 7

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Amber Webb from the CSU Extension Office will be teaching about the basics of food preservation. Learn about canning, freezing, dehydrating and the equipment you need to get started as well as the best methods for particular foods.

## ALL AGES | Precious Potential Pets

September 7

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Visit with the Weld Humane Society and their precious pets that could potentially be yours. Learn about fostering, adopting and the unconditional love that pets bring to their owners.

[This program is offered in conjunction with our Signature Author Series event on Nov. 10.](#)



## CHILDREN | Stepping Stone Fun

September 7, 1:30 - 3:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades K-5. Come add a personalized stepping stone to the Jan Cruz Education Nature Trail! Each participant will make 2 stepping stones - one to take home and one to be added to the nature trail for everyone to enjoy!



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## ADULT | Short Film Festival

September 9, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Each night we will be showing short films that were nominated for Oscars in 2019. This month, we will view the animated short: Late Afternoon; Live Action Short: Madre; and Documentary Short: Life Boat

## CHILDREN | Boat Race Science

September 10, 4:00 - 5:15 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 3-5. Join us for a STEM boat building afternoon! Participants will learn some of the science behind what makes a boat float and then have the opportunity to build their very own boat from the supplies given. After, we'll test the boats for capacity and speed.



## ADULT | Money Matters:

### Car Buying

September 10, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Thinking of purchasing a vehicle? Get informed about all your options! We'll discuss buying new and used autos, what to expect at a dealership, leasing considerations, ownership costs, and research resources. Presented by the Public Services Credit Union.

## ADULT | Internet Safety for Adults

September 11

10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

The Internet has brought countless wonders into our daily lives. Along with these wonders come some risks. Learn how to navigate the Internet and Social Media safely and with confidence in a welcoming environment that will be part presentation and part Q&A. Please bring your thoughts, experiences, and questions about Internet Safety so that we can all learn together.



## CHILDREN | Kids Crafterschool

3:30 - 4:30 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

September 11 - Origami Cranes

[Registration opens 8/28](#)

September 25 - Rubberband Bracelets

[Registration opens 9/11](#)

Grades 3-5. Join us for after-school creative fun! Have fun making your own masterpiece. Supplies provided.



## ADULT | Handmade Evening at the Library

September 11 and 18

6:00 - 8:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required and open](#)

[August 18 - 30](#)

Ages 18+. Celebrate the upcoming holidays while learning a new skill! Participants will be making the quilt-as-you-go, 15"x36" table runner. Put the faces on the pumpkins to make it for Halloween or leave them off to celebrate fall and Thanksgiving. Use of a sewing machine with a walking foot will be necessary! Participants must have use of rotary cutter and be able to accurately cut out fabric to measurements. This will be a two-part program. Please email Linda at [lhillman@highplains.us](mailto:lhillman@highplains.us) for a supply list.

## ADULT | How to get help with your Medicare Costs

September 11, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Learn about potential eligibility to programs such as Medicare Savings Program and Low Income Subsidy (LIS). LIS is a federal subsidy program administered by the Social Security Administration that helps low-income Medicare-eligible consumers save money on their prescription costs and other Part D related costs.

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**ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado**  
September 12, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

This month, we look at Wildlife Diversity: What Lives Here. Colorado sprawls across two vital boundaries: where biological east meets biological west, and where biological north meets biological south. Such geographic positioning translates to a marvelous wildlife diversity enjoyed by few states without a sea coast. Wildlife enthusiasts and watchers can thrive here in Colorado.

**ADULT | High Altitude Baking**  
September 12, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Baking at high-altitude can be tricky, even for the most experienced of bakers. Nicole Hampton, the author of the cookbook *Sugar High: Sweet & Savory Baking in Your High-Altitude Kitchen* and the blog *Dough-Eyed*, will be here to share tips and tricks that she has learned through her years of baking.

**ADULT | Make your own Aromatherapy Diffuser Bracelet**  
September 12, 6:30 - 8:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 8/29](#)

Learn about essential oils and their applications and then create your own aromatherapy diffuser bracelet using gemstone beads, lava beads, and essential oils. Supplies provided. [This class in offered in conjunction with the Signature Author Series event on November 10, 2019.](#)



**ADULT | Introduction to Email**  
September 13  
10:30 am - 12:30 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Sign up for a Gmail account and learn how to send and receive email, and how to attach and download files sent to you. This fun and hands on class will familiarize you with the advantages of email.



**CHILDREN | Ready, Set, Create! Span-tastic Bridges**  
September 14, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 2 - 5. Learn about the Engineer Design Process while challenging your creative mind. This month, design and build various types of bridges from everyday household items. All materials provided for this FREE program. Parents/caregivers are encouraged to participate with their children. Offered in conjunction with the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE).

**CHILDREN | Energy**  
September 16, 5:30 - 6:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 8/16](#)

September 24, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 8/24](#)

Grades 3-6. Join us for fun at the library with CSU Extension. Find out how energy works and use instruments to measure energy in our world.

**TEENS & ADULTS | 3D Printing & Design**  
September 16, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 8/17](#)

Ages 14+. Come learn about 3D printing and design. We'll show you how to make and edit your own 3D designs using free software, and how to make your designs come to life!



**ADULT | SBDC Small Business Start-Up Orientation Seminar**  
September 17, 6:00 - 7:45 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Join us for a FREE comprehensive seminar that will provide you with a Start-Up Guide, a list of resources and websites to support and promote your business, and a general overview of things to consider when starting a business.

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## CHILDREN | LEAP into Science: Young Inventors

September 18, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades K-2. Inventors are curious, imaginative, perseverant individuals who find creative solutions for practical problems, in responding to the needs of our changing world. Come hear inspiring stories of young inventors and do some hands-on inventing to make something unique and creative.

## CHILDREN & TEENS | Laugh Tracks

September 19, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 8/19](#)

Grades 3-8. If you're funny and you know it, make'em laugh! We'll help you record your favorite funny joke and add zany sound effects or background music. You'll get to keep a recording of your joke to share with anyone who wants to laugh.

## ADULT | Local History Series: The Legend of Soapy Smith

September 19, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Center**

**450 Powers Street, Erie**

Join us for the Legend of Soapy Smith, con artist, gangster and crime boss of the 19th century Old West. Mark Strivings will take us on a journey that includes history, scams, gun fights, cons and hustles. He will demonstrate a few of the cons that Soapy actually used and will teach you a couple of fun cons you can use on your friends.

## ALL AGES | YES!fest

September 21

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

**Greeley Recreation Center**

**651 10th Avenue, Greeley**

YES! Fest (Youth Engineering & Science Festival) promises to be fun and educational for the whole family. Booths and exhibitors will provide hands-on activities and presentations throughout the day. Come and see the wondrous feats of building, electrifying exhibitors, and amazing aeronautics. Perfect for STEM enthusiasts of all ages! Parking available at UCCC.



## ADULT & CHILD | Canvas and Cocoa

**Riverside Library**

September 21

10:30 - 11:30 am (preschoolers)

[Registration opens 8/21](#)

1:00 - 2:30 pm (elementary age)

[Registration opens 8/21](#)

Join Darlene Ruhle from The Art Spot as adult and child paint a masterpiece together and enjoy some cocoa and treats. Adult and child team will be painting a shared art piece to take home. No prior experience needed; all supplies provided. **Only one registration required for each child/adult team.**



## ADULT | Chair Yoga

September 24, 10:00 - 11:00 am

**Lincoln Park Library**

[Registration opens 8/24](#)

Join Bethany Wiley from Banner Health Wellness for Chair Yoga, one of the gentlest forms of yoga available. This approach uses the support and safety of a chair to adapt yoga positions. Emphasis will be on breathing, balance, and finding your own pace. [This program is offered in conjunction with the Signature Author Series event on November 10, 2019.](#)



## ALL AGES | Service Animals at Work

September 24, 3:30 - 4:30 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

Guide dogs for the blind are coming to the library to demonstrate how the power of partnership makes life a little easier for their human. Learn about the many tasks and functions they perform. [This program is offered in conjunction with the Signature Author Series event on November 10, 2019.](#)



# programs

## **NEW! Digital Music Lab for Teens**

September 24, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Try out some of the library's new digital music equipment as you craft your own hip-hop beats, EDM bangers, or whatever else you can dream up! Learn to craft sounds and songs like the professionals as we walk you through the basics of modern music production with occasional guest lessons from working musicians. No experience necessary - equipment and instruction will be provided.

## **ADULT | SBDC Small Business Seminar: Website Development & Design**

September 24, 6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Having a website and a presence on the Internet are essential and critical elements for promoting your start-up business. Come learn the components of building and designing a website using Wix and other online website building models. Facilitator: Jesse Esparza, East Colorado Counselor with Colorado SBDC Network for the Northeast-East Central Region.

## **ADULT | Fall Prevention Week**

**Movie Screening: Falling**

**Monologues**

September 25, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Did you know?

- Falls are the number one cause of injury, hospital visits and death from an injury among people age 65 and older.
- Each year 1 out of 3 older adults will experience a fall.
- 20% of older people who break a hip from falling die within a year of their injury.
- Falls are not inevitable.

Join us for a movie screening of *The Falling Monologues*. This short film shares a series of stories reflecting the thoughts, emotions, and lessons learned by some older adults after they've fallen, developed as a creative approach to spark interest and start discussion about fall prevention. Written and directed by Marilyn Faber, the performances are accompanied by commentary from Emily Nabors and Anna Nguyen of the Fall Prevention Center of Excellence and Fall Prevention Coalition. There will be a short discussion following the film.

## **ADULT | Small Business Fall Series: Google Proofing your Business in 2019**

September 26

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Please register at [www.bit.ly/eastcoevents](http://www.bit.ly/eastcoevents)

Google's algorithm seems to be ever-changing. In 2017, Google had 13 major algorithm changes and over 400 minor updates. Crazy, isn't it? It's no secret that most people feel like keeping up with Google is a moving target that shifts just when you think you have a foothold. Fortunately, several fundamental concepts of search engine optimization (SEO) have stood the test of time. Learn how to identify potential penalties, optimize for "position zero", and use local SEO to improve the presence of a local business.

## **ADULT | Chair Yoga**

September 26, 2:30 - 3:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration opens 8/26](#)

Ages 60+. Join Amy Hodges from Eaton Area Park and Recreation District for Chair Yoga, one of the gentlest forms of yoga available. This approach uses the support and safety of a chair to adapt yoga positions. Emphasis will be on breathing, balance, and finding your own pace. This program is a part of the Fall Prevention Week programs done in collaboration with the Weld County Area on Agency on Aging.

Did you enjoy the High Plains Chautauqua in August? Mark your calendars and [register here](#) for a light dinner and a chance to join the conversation about the future of this amazing program.



## High Plains Chautauqua Looking Forward - Community Meeting



**October 1st**  
**5:30-7:30pm**  
**Adults & Families**

This is the 20th year of High Plains Chautauqua in Weld County. There is much to celebrate about a program that has taken thousands of children and adults on annual journeys into our country's past through the words of those who helped to shape its present. This year, as several long-serving HPC volunteers retire, we seek a longer view and more input from the community. The HPC steering committee and Colorado Humanities invite the community to help us envision the future of High Plains Chautauqua and to explore ideas for creating other community humanities programs in Greeley and Weld County.

Farr Regional Library 1939 61st Ave, Greeley



# programs

## CHILDREN | Johnny Appleseed

September 26, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 8/26](#)

Ages 3-5. Celebrate Johnny Appleseed Day with hands on and educational crafts. Find out all about apples and the history of Johnny Appleseed. We will practice fine motor skills while making fun crafts to take home and enjoy.

## TEENS | Learn to Play the Ukulele

September 26, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Come learn how to play the ukulele. Bring your own or borrow one of ours. It's quick and easy to learn and you can play all your favorite tunes in no time. This is a 4 part series.

## ADULT | Money Matters:

### Managing Student Loan Debt

September 26, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Explore student loan debt issues and options to deal with them. Forty-four million Americans hold more than 1.4 trillion dollars in student loan balances, with the cost of repayment often leading to tremendous financial burden. This class will discuss options for repaying, reducing or avoiding student loans. We'll talk about grant and scholarship options, types of student loans, refinancing and consolidating, Public Service Loan Forgiveness, and resources for more information.

## ADULT | Cutting the Cable Cord

September 27, 10:00 - 11:00 am

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration opens 8/28](#)

Have you been wanting to learn more about the alternatives to cable but don't know where to start? Cutting the cable cord has become an increasingly popular option for watching television and is growing every day with more services and channels. This class will go over streaming and hardware options to see if cutting the cord is right for you.

## ADULT | Tech Cafe

September 27

10:00 am - 12:00 am

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## ADULTOS | Introducción al Correo Electrónico

27 de septiembre

10:15 - 11:15 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Inscripción es requerida](#)

Regístrese para una cuenta de correo electrónico de Gmail y aprenda a enviar y recibir correos electrónicos, adjuntar un archivo a un correo electrónico y descargar adjuntos que le han sido enviados.



## ADULT | Active Minds: Native Americans of Colorado

September 27, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Join Active Minds as we tell the stories of the original inhabitants of Colorado. From Mesa Verde to the high plains, we will trace the civilizations of the Ute, Cheyenne, Arapaho, Pueblo and other tribes as we seek to understand Colorado's Native American history and legacy.

## Anime Your Way with Carlos Nieto III

September 27 - Ages 10+

5:30 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration opens 8/27](#)

September 28 - Grades 6-12

11:00 am - 12:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 8/27](#)

September 28 - Grades K-5

1:30 - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 8/27](#)

Have you ever wanted to learn how to draw your own anime? Well now you can! Anime Your Way is a comprehensive step by step drawing program, developed over 10 years, by former Simpson's artist, Carlo Nieto III. You will learn how to create and modify an anime character from scratch, no matter what your drawing level is! Using simple shapes and easy to understand instructions, you will gain the knowledge to create your very own, unique anime characters. All materials are provided.

# programs

## ADULT | Random Fandom Trivia

September 27, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 8/30](#)

Ages 18+. Random Fandom Trivia is back with another adult after-hours trivia! Come and test your knowledge of two popular workplace sitcoms: Parks and Rec and The Office. Gather your team and compete against other fans in the community!

## ADULT | Craigslist 101

September 28, 10:00 - 11:30 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 8/29](#)

Learn how to post ads and reply to another poster's ad. We'll also tour the various areas of Craigslist and teach you to search safely and strategically.

## ALL AGES | Family Canvas Creations

**Erie Community Library**

September 29

1:00 - 2:30 pm

[Registration opens 8/28](#)

3:00 - 4:30 pm

[Registration opens 8/28](#)

Ages 8+. Join us for a fun family painting program. Each family will create a fall themed canvas painting with step by step instructions by artist and teacher Kyla Hammond. No formal art experience needed. All supplies provided. ***Please register for one session only; each member of the family must register separately, up to 4 people to paint one canvas.***



## CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Rocketry

September 30, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 8/30](#)

Grades K-5. Enjoy the day off school by designing and building your own rockets at the library. One kind of rocket will be straw rockets and the other will be stomp rockets.

# programs - book clubs

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

First and Third Tuesday

September 3 and 17

4:30 - 5:30 pm

### Prefects (ages 12-17)

First and Third Tuesday

September 3 and 17

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Non Fiction Book Club

First Monday\*

Farr Regional Library

September 9, 1 - 2 pm

*\*date moved for holiday closure*

*The Good Neighbor: the life  
and work of Fred Rogers*  
by Maxwell King

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

Second Monday

Erie Community Library

September 9, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library

### Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

Second Tuesday

Third Wednesday

September 10, 4:30 - 5:30 pm

September 18, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

### Prefects (ages 12-17)

Second Tuesday

September 10, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

Second Wednesday

Erie Community Library

September 11, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Kersey Book Club

Second Wednesday

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

September 11, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Unsheltered*

by Barbara Kingsolver

## Erie Evening Book Club

Second Thursday

Erie Community Library

*This book club is full.*

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

Third Tuesday

Farr Regional Library

September 17, 1:30 - 3 pm

*Kinship of Secrets*

by Eugenia Kim

## Choose Your Own Book Club

Third Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

September 17, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Best book you read this summer*

## Reading the West Book Group

Fourth Monday

Centennial Park Library

September 23, 3 - 4 pm

*Fool's Crow*

by James Welch

## Riverside Readers

Fourth Monday

Riverside Library

September 23, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*The Tattooist of Auschwitz*

by Heather Morris

## Book Lover's Book Club

Last Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

September 24, 6 - 7 pm

*Delicious*

by Ruth Reichl

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

Fourth Wednesday

Farr Regional Library

September 25, 7 - 8:30 pm



# programs - recurring

## make-it programs

### Crafternoons (adult)

Meets every 2 weeks

September 3 and 17, 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Quilters (ages 16+)

Second Wednesday

September 11, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required

### Open Sewing Sessions (adult & teen)

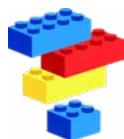
Second Friday

September 13, 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)

Third Wednesday

September 18, 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library



### Artmakers (ages 12+)

Third and Fourth Thursdays

September 19 and 26, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Camera Club (ages 8-11)

Fourth Monday

September 23, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Lincoln Park Library  
\*registration required



### Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books

Fourth Wednesday

September 25, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Riverside Library

### Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13) (limited to the first 20 children)

Fourth Saturday

September 28, 10 - 11 am  
Erie Community Library  
\*\*Parents of children younger than  
12 MUST remain in the library.

## music

### Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday

Sept. 19, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Digital Music Lab for Teens

Fourth Thursday

September 24, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required



## teens

### Independence! #Adulting Winterizing your Car

First Thursday

September 5, 4 - 5:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Second Tuesday

September 10, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Teen Tech Series Hogwarts Science

Second Thursday

September 11, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Third Tuesday

September 17, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library

## adults - legal

### Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

Second Monday

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

## movies



### Wednesday Night at the Movies Riverside Library

First Wednesday

September 4, 6 - 7:30 pm  
*Detective Pikachu*

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park

2 - 4 pm - **NEW TIME!**

Sept. 5 - *Double Indemnity*  
(1944)

Sept. 12 - *The Killers* (1946)

Sept. 19 - *Out of the Past* (1947)

Sept. 26 - *Kiss Me Deadly*  
(1955)

### Family Movie Night

#### Carbon Valley Regional Library

First Thursday

September 5, 6 - 8 pm  
*Dumbo*

## adults - English learning classes

### English Conversations/ Conversaciones en inglés

Thursdays

4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library

### English Hour/Hora de inglés

Mondays

1:30 - 2:30 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

Thursdays

5:30 - 6:30 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library



## programs - recurring

### children

#### Families N Jammies

First Wednesday

September 4, 6 - 6:30 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday

September 7, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

\*Registration required

#### Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)

Second Tuesday

September 10, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration required

#### Riverside STEAM Club: Energy

Second Wednesday

September 11, 4 - 4:45 pm

Riverside Library

#### Baby Open Play

Second Thursday

September 12, 2 - 2:45 pm

Erie Community Library

#### Beyond the Classroom: Energy (Grades 3-5)

Second Friday

September 13, 2 - 3 pm

Centennial Park Library

#### Storytime for the Spectrum

Third Saturday

September 21, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Centennial Park Library

#### Saturday Stretch: You and Me Yoga (preschoolers and their adult)

Third Saturday

September 21, 3:45 - 4:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Pajamarama (Ages 2 ½ - 6)

Fourth Wednesday

September 25, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### paws to read

#### Centennial Park Library

Second Monday

September 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

#### Riverside Library

Second Wednesday

September 11, 6 - 7 pm

#### Carbon Valley Regional Library

Second Wednesday

September 11, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

#### Erie Community Library

Fourth Wednesday

September 25

4:30 - 5:45 pm



### family fun saturdays

#### Lincoln Park Library

2 - 4 pm

##### First Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

##### Second Saturday

STEAM fun

##### Third Saturday

Theater Play

##### Fourth Saturday

Open Mic Karaoke

##### Fifth Saturday

SURPRISE!

### gaming programs

#### Erie Chess Club

(Grades 3-5)

First and Third Wednesday

September 4 and 18, 4 - 5 pm

Erie Community Library

\*registration required

#### Battle Card Club

(Children & Teens)

First Wednesday

September 4, 4:30 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Game On!

(ages 14+)

Second Sunday

September 8, 1 - 4 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Carbon Valley Chess Club

(ages 10-18)

Second Tuesday

September 10, 5 - 6 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

#### Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Loteria

Second Tuesday

10 de septiembre, 5 - 6 pm

Centennial Park Library

#### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

September 12, 10 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

#### JV Game Club

(ages 10+\*)

September 28, 1:30 - 4:30 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*children younger than 10

welcome with adult supervision



## LIBRARIES Visit [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours) for library hours

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Lincoln Park Library**

1012 11th Street, 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

### **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Evans Community Complex**

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

### **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

### **Nunn Town Hall**

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

## BOOK DEPOSITS

### **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Hill & Park Senior Center**

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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**Sunday, November 10**

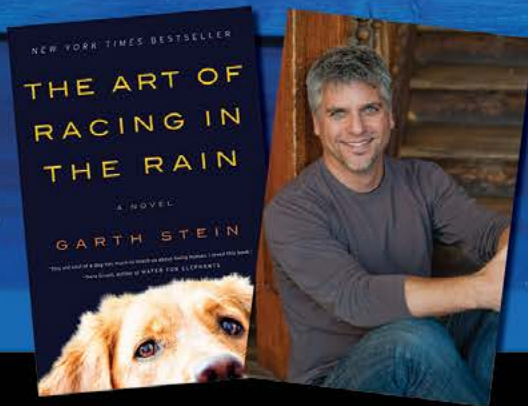
University of Northern Colorado Ballroom  
2101 10<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Greeley, Colorado

**2:00 – 3:00 pm**

Conversation with the Author

**3:15 pm**

Book Signing



*"You should shine with all of your light all the time."*

**Purchase tickets online beginning August 23**

**[MyLibrary.us/racingintherain](http://MyLibrary.us/racingintherain)**

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Conversation with the Author

**Option B – \$25**

Conversation with the Author & Book Signing



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### ANIMALS AS THERAPY

**Paws to Read for Everyone**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Friday, September 6, 3:00-4:00 pm**

All ages. These adorable therapy dogs listen patiently and with open hearts whether you want to practice English, need a non-judgmental companion, or just love reading.

**Precious Potential Pets**  
Riverside Library & Cultural Center  
3700 Golden Street, Evans

**Saturday, September 7, 11:00 am-noon**

All ages. Visit with the Weld Humane Society and their precious pets that could potentially be yours. Learn about fostering, adopting and the unconditional love that pets bring their owners.

**Service Animals at Work**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Tuesday, September 24, 3:30-4:30 pm**

All ages. Guide dogs for the blind are coming to the library to demonstrate how the power of partnership makes life a little easier for their human. Learn about the many tasks and functions they perform.

**Dog Day in October**  
Riverside Library & Cultural Center  
3700 Golden Street, Evans

**Saturday, October 19, 1:00-3:00 pm**

All ages. Come to our Open House that will showcase the many dogs in our community that help us, entertain us, and love us. Interact with dogs and the people who work with them to make our lives better.

**Gentle Persuasions - Dog Training 101**  
Farr Regional Library  
1939 61st Avenue, Greeley

**Friday, October 25, 6:00-7:00 pm**

All ages. Learn about dog training and good manners for our favorite canine friends. Whether you are new or well trained in dog ownership, don't miss the tips and tricks presented by Gentle Persuasions Training.

### ART AS THERAPY

**Aromatherapy Diffuser Bracelet**  
Centennial Park Library  
2227 23rd Avenue, Greeley

**Thursday, September 12, 6:30-8:30 pm**

Ages 18+. Learn about essential oils and their applications and then create your own aromatherapy diffuser bracelet using gemstone beads, lava beads, and essential oils. Supplies provided. Registration required.

**The Art of Lines**  
Erie Community Library  
400 Powers Street, Erie

**Saturday, October 5, 10:30 am-noon**

Ages 10+. Learn a fun and relaxing pen and pencil drawing technique. Create your own beautiful images using repetitive patterns on an Enzo dog shape. No art experience needed; supplies provided. Taught by local artist Lisette Walker. Registration required.

**DIY Self Care: Aromatherapy Bath Bombs**  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
7 Park Avenue, Firestone

**Monday, October 21**  
**12:30-2:00 pm (Grades 3-5)**  
**3:00-4:30 pm (Grades 6-12)**  
**6:00-7:30 pm (Ages 18+)**

Destress and learn how to make your own aromatherapy bath bomb to use as a tranquil addition to your bath or for a gift. Materials provided. Registration required.

### EXERCISE AS THERAPY

**Chair Yoga**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Tuesday, September 24, 10:00-11:00 am**

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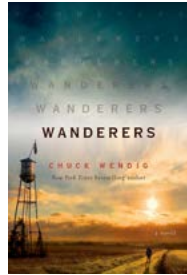
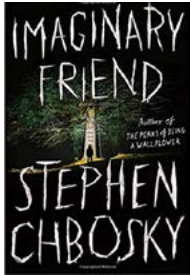
**“ To live every day as if it had been stolen from death, that is how I would like to live. To feel the joy of life, as Eve felt the joy of life. To separate oneself from the burden, the angst, the anguish that we all encounter every day. To say I am alive, I am wonderful, I am. I am. That is something to aspire to. ”**

*Enzo - The Art of Racing in the Rain*

## Terrifying Tales for Halloween

You don't have to look far to see that American pop culture is experiencing something of a horror renaissance. Recent hits at the box office include *IT*, *Midsommar*, *Pet Sematary*, *Us* and *Halloween 2018*, while the small screen has people flocking to *Stranger Things*, *The Walking Dead*, *Bird Box*, *American Horror Story*, and *The Haunting of Hill House*. Naturally, the trend reaches into the book world and with Halloween right around the corner, it's the perfect opportunity to dip into some darker tales. Below, we'll explore some of the biggest releases of the season that could take you anywhere from goosebumps to night terrors.

### Horrifically Big Releases



Horror has a tradition of releasing big, wrist-straining doorstoppers that often become classics. These are stories with intricate, comprehensive worldbuilding and intensive character development. Think of *The Stand* by horror master Stephen King, *The Passage* by Justin Cronin, or *The Fireman* by Joe Hill. 2019 has its share of horrifically big releases: one from the sci-fi world, one from a name you won't find surprising, and one that you probably will...

- ***Imaginary Friend*** by Stephen Chbosky (Find the book in our catalog [here](#))

If the name Stephen Chbosky sounds familiar, it's probably because you've read his 20 year-old YA classic *The Perks of Being a Wallflower*. (Or maybe you saw the movie, starring Emma Watson.) The author hasn't published anything since 1999, so this 720 page horror novel has a lot of readers excited and intrigued. The story follows a young boy who disappears for six days, and when he returns hears voices that have him unnaturally obsessed with completing a tree house in the woods by Christmas. The book has been called haunting, thrilling, and thought-provoking, and author Blake Crouch said it was like finding a classic Stephen King novel you hadn't read before.

- ***The Institute*** by Stephen King (Find the book [here](#); and the audiobook [here](#))

Stephen King has become a household name, and a new release is always an event. *The Institute* clocks in at 576 pages, and is a return to the "young kids fighting evil" format he made famous with *IT*. The story may bring to mind *The Umbrella Academy*, or even *X-Men*, as families with extraordinary children are attacked, the parents murdered, and the children placed inside the Institute. The staff there works to find the source of the children's power, and as long as they cooperate things don't seem so bad. But if they don't cooperate, the consequences are extreme, and some kids are never seen again.

- ***Wanderers*** by Chuck Wendig (Find the book [here](#) and the ebook [here](#).)

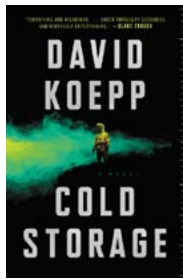
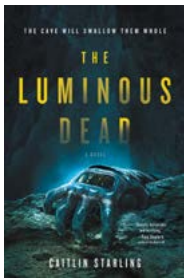
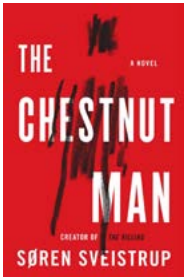
The largest of the three, *Wanderers* weighs in at a substantial 782 pages and uses every single one to build a post-apocalyptic world that may put you in mind of Stephen King's *The Stand*. The United States of this story is in the grip of a strange sleepwalking illness. The victims can't be woken, and are all heading to an unknown destination, surrounded by friends and family trying to protect them from a civilization that's collapsing more each day. Packed with uncertainty, violence, and social commentary, but no actual scary monsters, this is a great choice for readers who don't want to sign up for the darker corners of the genre.

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## Terrifying Tales for Halloween continued

### Get Your Thrills with a Side of Chills



If you'd rather be creeped out and unsettled than attract actual nightmares, dark thrillers might be more to your taste. These page-turning, heart-pounding stories get your adrenaline racing, and might even have you jumping at shadows, but never quite cross the line into the truly horrifying. (At least for most readers. As in everything, follow your instincts!) Riley Sager has become famous for this kind of creepy thriller, with *Final Girls* being his most recognizable, and fan favorites like Gillian Flynn's *Sharp Objects* and Thomas Harris's *Silence of the Lambs* were groundbreakers in this category.

- ***The Chestnut Man*** by Søren Sveistrup (Find the book [here](#).)

The author of this Scandinavian noir story is best known as a screenwriter and the creator of the hit series *The Killing*, so it's no surprise that this book is already in development as a television series. Set in Copenhagen, Denmark, the police are searching for a serial killer known for his disturbing calling card of small stick figures made out of chestnuts and matchsticks and left at the scene of each murder. Finding the fingerprint of a long-dead murder victim at a new murder scene further complicates the case. A perfect match for fans of Stieg Larsson's *Millennium* books or Jo Nesbø's *Harry Hole* series.

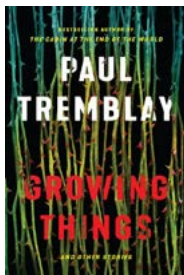
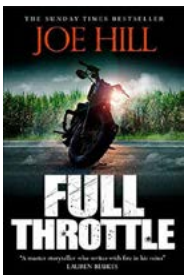
- ***The Luminous Dead*** by Caitlin Starling (Find the book [here](#).)

This dark sci-fi thriller is a stand-alone debut that requires no commitment! Picture the claustrophobic, paranoid horror of the film *The Descent* with a hefty dose of the weird and trippy scares of *Annihilation* by Jeff VanderMeer, and that should give you a sense of what to expect here. A caver on another planet is deep underground, mapping mineral deposits while her partner keeps an eye on things on the surface. But she's increasingly suspicious of her partner's decisions and suddenly cuts off all communication with the surface, leaving her to find her way out of the labyrinthine cave systems alone. And to fight the feeling that she's somehow being followed in the dark.

- ***Cold Storage*** by David Koepp (Find the book [here](#).)

Author David Koepp is best known as the screenwriter for megahits like *Jurassic Park*, *Spider-Man*, and *Mission: Impossible*, so it shouldn't be any surprise that this adventure thriller was immediately picked up for the movies. This is science-based scary thrills, with a mutating biological organism running rampant and threatening humanity with extinction, unless a bioterrorism agent and two regular security guards can manage to create a quarantine. In a world of Ebola outbreaks, this is a frighteningly plausible thriller that might have you questioning every sneeze.

### Short & Scary



Sometimes a nice short story or novella is exactly what you need, and it's a format that's been growing in popularity. Notable titles that pack a big punch without many pages include *Widow's Point* by Richard Chizmar and *Mapping the Interior* by Colorado author Stephen Graham Jones. And you can't go without mentioning legendary horror editor Ellen Datlow, who just released *Echoes: The Saga Anthology of Ghost Stories*. If you're pressed for time and attention, these tiny terrors could be just what you need.



## Terrifying Tales for Halloween continued

- **Full Throttle** by Joe Hill (Find the book [here](#).)

Joe Hill may be Stephen King's son, but he's more than made a name for himself in horror based on his own merit. He's gathered great reviews and satisfied readers through graphic novels, short stories, novellas, and full-length novels, and his fan base is set to grow. This collection of short stories includes "In the Tall Grass," which is being adapted into a Netflix movie due sometime this Fall, and "Faun," which Netflix plans on making into a movie. With AMC turning his novel *NOS4A2* into a series, there's never been a better time to jump on the Joe Hill train.

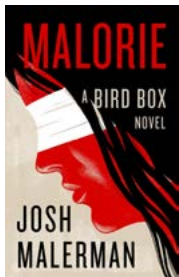
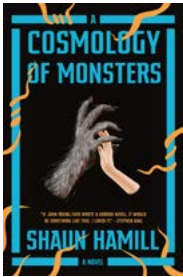
- **Growing Things** by Paul Tremblay (Find the book [here](#).)

This collection of 19 short stories includes several that are connected to the author's popular novels, including one that acts as a prequel to *Disappearance at Devil's Rock*, and several that are connected to the award-winning *A Head Full of Ghosts*. While many of the stories had been published before, this is the quickest way to experience Paul Tremblay's experiments with horror, suspense, weird fiction, and even storytelling format. (Choose your own adventure, anyone?)

- **The Monster of Elendhaven** by Jennifer Giesbrecht (Find the book [here](#).)

If you'd rather have a novella than a short story, Jennifer Giesbrecht has you covered. This is Giesbrecht's debut, and it's being described as an oily-dark, gothic revenge story. It takes place in a grim fantasy world where a thing with no name and a boy who can manipulate minds terrorize their community. If you enjoy bad characters working on bad plans, this is a one-sitting read that will satisfy your antihero cravings. But be prepared – this is a dark tale.

### Cinematic Screams



The success of scary movies and terrifying TV series has sent Hollywood straight to the new book section to find their next big hits. Keeping track of what you might soon see on the silver screen can be time consuming, so let us share some of the titles we're most excited about seeing come to the movies, expand our favorite movie worlds, and help you keep track of what's out there.

- **A Cosmology of Monsters** by Shaun Hamill (Find the book [here](#).)

This one's being turned into a TV series by the team that made *Hidden Figures* and the *Planet of the Apes* movies. Whether you're a fan of monsters, haunted house attractions, or a modern take on H.P. Lovecraft, this story has something to appeal. It features a family being stalked by a monster, the haunted house they build to deal with the curse, and the one member of the family who chooses to invite the monster in.

- **Malorie** by Josh Malerman (Find the book [here](#).)

Fans of the Netflix movie *Bird Box* won't want to miss *Malorie*, which takes place eight years after the events of the film and focuses on Malorie herself. Although there aren't any plans announced to adapt this for the screen, it has a strong connection to one of the most successful Netflix originals. You never know what might be coming in the future, and in the meantime it could scratch that itch for more stories from Malerman's world.



## Terrifying Tales for Halloween continued

- **Fangoria** (Find the book [here](#).)

Whether you like your horror on the screen or on the page, full of blood and gore or subtle menace, *Fangoria* is a magazine that can help you find what you're looking for. It's got news, reviews, and articles for everything going on in the genre, whether it's on TV, in theaters, or in the newest books. It's the resource that will ensure you don't miss the next big horror release. You can find copies at Farr Regional Library, or request to pick them up at the HPLD location of your choice!

### Truth Is More Frightening Than Fiction



Looking to take your horror appreciation a little further? We have some nonfiction picks that range from thoughtful guides to the genre to a joyful appreciation of the pulpier side of horror. Use these books to find more things to send chills down your spine, to better understand what scares you, or simply to learn how not to be the first to go should you find yourself unexpectedly living in a horror movie.

- **How to Survive a Horror Movie** by Seth Grahame-Smith (Find the book [here](#).)

This tongue-in-cheek guide is a must-read for anyone who suspects that they may be living in a horror movie. (Or just for horror movie fans, but it's more fun to pretend.) It includes handy tips for discovering what type of horror movie you've stumbled into, how to identify horror villains ranging from your standard slasher to haunted dolls or even aliens, and how to dodge all the classic horror pitfalls and come out victorious. If you can't avoid creepy cornfields or remote abandoned cabins, at least you can be prepared!

- **Paperbacks from Hell** by Grady Hendrix (Find the book [here](#).)

If you were a reader in the 1970s or 80s, this could be a nostalgic look back at the pulp horror that was popular at the time. If you weren't, it's a jaw-dropping look back at the sheer variety and outrageousness of the horror books being published. The book features hundreds of full-color reproductions of horror novel covers featuring creepy dolls, killer animals, and threatening skeletons, as well as hints about what holds up and what should stay in the pulpy past. Whether you enjoy reading horror or not, this is a fun way to spend some time.

- **Monster, She Wrote** by Lisa Kröger and Melanie R. Anderson (Find the book [here](#).)

Although horror is often thought of as a guy's genre, it's worth pointing out that Mary Shelley is usually credited with writing one of the first horror novels when she wrote *Frankenstein*. In fact, horror is packed with contributions from women for hundreds of years. Find new favorites from women you've heard of, like V.C. Andrews, to women you may not have, like Helen Oyeyemi, or women who have been largely lost to history, like Margaret "Mad Madge" Cavendish. *Monster, She Wrote* offers both biographies and reading lists for every horror fan.

This is just a taste of what the library has to offer horror fans or the horror curious. Don't see something that hits the spot? Drop in to your local library and let us show you the best we have to offer! Or, if you'd rather not have to drive all the way over here, just pop in a request with our [Personalized Reading List service](#) and we'll tailor a list of book suggestions just for you! Wishing everyone a **Spooktacular October**, and happy reading!

~ by Meagan Day, Librarian, Farr Regional Library

## Centennial Park focuses on Suicide Awareness

### IT KNOWS

#### NO FACE PORTRAITS OF SUICIDE SURVIVORS by Randy Bacon



In Production with National Alliance on Mental Illness - SWMO and 7 Billion Ones

### It Knows No Face: Portraits of Suicide Survivors

October 1 - 31

[Centennial Park Library](#)

It Knows No Face presents an extensive series of large scale, intimate black and white portraits by Randy Bacon (Founder of 7 Billion Ones, artist and photographer) of suicide survivors - individuals that lost a loved one to suicide or are personally dealing with suicidal thoughts, ideation, and/or attempts. This exhibit includes corresponding raw, heartfelt stories from each person talking candidly about suicide and the impact it has on their lives.

It Knows No Face has a mission through an exhibit to bring a powerful voice to the topic of suicide - a topic that for too long has been avoided, misjudged and misunderstood. We want to not only bring awareness, but also present a effective tool of hope and healing and prevention with "It Knows No Face" because it is not okay that we will lose almost one million of our loved ones this year to suicide --- one person every forty seconds! With the recent celebrity deaths of Kate Spade, Anthony Bourdain and Margot Kidder the topic of suicide is across headlines throughout the world. However, people still avoid the topic and

any discussion, yet the rate of suicide continues to grow significantly. With this in mind, It Knows No Face was championed to become a strong, much needed 'voice' for the deliberately silenced or the preferably unheard - people that are directly dealing with suicide. This very important project and movement's mission is to become a powerful tool to create measurable, positive change regarding mental illness and suicide. It Knows No Face is truly unlike anything previously produced on the topic of suicide. As the title denotes, It Knows No Face will clearly relay the face that suicide crosses all demographics - age, ethnicity, race, gender, socioeconomic status, etc.



### ADULTS | QPR Suicide Prevention Program

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## The Riddle of the Raven

October 1 - 31

[Lincoln Park Library](#)

During the demolition of the old Montresor Hotel, the workers make a ghastly discovery - a body entombed in one of the walls. The hotel had been built in 1948, but the clothing worn by the victim was from a century earlier. The only other clues to his identity are a leather-bound journal with cryptic notes and a copy of The Complete Works of Edgar Allan Poe. Who is the victim, and how did he end up behind the wall? Can you solve the mystery? Look for clues throughout the library; if you guess correctly, you may win a prize! Reveal is November 1.

## Family Fun Fitness

October 1, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

[Erie Community Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

Ages 4+. Join us for a fun interactive family program that will teach you and your kids new and different ways to move while keeping science and safety in mind. Team up to complete the "LEGO Challenge" and learn practical fitness tips for the whole family...because you're never too young to play! *Presented by Gary Gianetti, MS, fitness and health coach and owner of Healthy Altitudes.*

## High Plains Chautauqua: Looking Forward - Community Meeting

October 1, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

[Farr Regional Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

This is the 20<sup>th</sup> year of High Plains Chautauqua (HPC) in Weld County. There is much to celebrate about a program that has taken thousands of children and adults on annual journeys into our country's past through the words of those who helped to shape its present. This year, as several long-serving HPC volunteers retire, we seek a longer view and more input from the community. The HPC steering committee and Colorado Humanities invite the community to help us see the future of High Plains Chautauqua and to explore ideas for creating other community humanities programs in Greeley and Weld County. Please join the conversation. A light supper will be available at 5:30.



## CHILDREN | On the Road to Reading Early Literacy Fair: Mother Goose

October 2, 9:00 am - noon

[Carbon Valley Regional Library](#)

October 15, 9:00 - 11:00 am

[Farr Regional Library](#)

Ages birth - Pre-K. Read, Write, Sing, Talk and Play with your children! You and your child are invited to drop-in and enjoy lots of fun, interactive learning activities, imagination and musical games, fun crafts, and so much more!

## ADULTS | Facebook Beyond Basics

October 2, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

[Centennial Park Library](#)

[Registration required](#)

You know how to request friends, share pictures, and make status updates on Facebook. Are you ready to go 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.*

## ADULTS | Learn to Type

Wednesdays, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

[Farr Regional Library](#)

Drop in for typing practice for all skill levels. Space is limited.

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## CHILDREN | Sticky Fingers Cooking

October 2, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Grades K-2**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

October 17, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Grades 3-5**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Let your child release their inner chef! Children will prepare and eat healthy, international inspired recipes all while learning to cook in a fun, engaging, hands-on and real-world way! Professional chef instructors will reinforce kitchen skills associated with recipes and emphasize each area of cooking. Children will practice proper measurements and use a wide array of cooking utensils while preparing incredible culinary creations.

## ADULTS | Choosing a Medicare Plan

October 2, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn the basics of Original Medicare Parts A and B, eligibility and enrollment periods. Get answers to questions like: How to choose a Medicare Plan? What is the difference between a Medicare Advantage Plan and a Medicare Supplement plan? How do I choose a prescription plan? and more. After the presentation, there will be an opportunity for questions and an individual assessment of needs and eligibility in order to help you choose the right plan.



## CHILDREN | Get the Rhythm

October 3, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 3-5. Get the rhythm! Come explore making sound, trying different instruments, and playing rhythm together! This will be a fun filled hour of music and rhythm exploration! Let's make some noise!



## ADULTS | Money Matters: Medicare Options

October 3, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

October 24, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration opens 9/23](#)

Planning your retirement and new to Medicare, or just need a refresher? Please join us for an informative, educational session about the four Medicare parts (A, B, C, D) and Medicare supplement insurance. Whether you have already enrolled, or are just starting to think about signing up, this seminar will help you understand Medicare and your choices.

## TEENS | Music Technology with Soundtrap

October 3, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

October 17, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Learn how to use Soundtrap, a web based software, to create your one-of-a-kind song. With hundreds of sounds to choose from, you could make anything from a Jazz song to a hip-hop song.

## ADULTS | Cutting the Cord

October 4, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Have you been wanting to learn more about the alternatives to cable but don't know where to start? Cutting the cable cord has become an increasingly popular option for watching television and is growing every day with more services and channels. This class will go over streaming and hardware options to see if cutting the cord is right for you!

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## TEENS | Glow-in-the-Dark Capture the Flag

October 4, 5:30 - 7:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Calling all aliens and monsters! Join us after hours at the library to play our new game of Glow-in-the-Dark Capture the Flag. Devise your strategy and capture the opposing team's flag - in the dark! Come in costume, eat pizza, and take over the library! Best costume will receive a special prize. *Running shoes required.*

## CHILDREN | Rainbow Storytime

10:00 - 11:00 am  
**First Congregational Church**  
2101 16th Street, Greeley

October 5: Diverse Families  
October 19: Children with  
Developmental Disabilities

Preschool - Grade 2. All are welcome to explore diversity and inclusion through children's literature, conversation, activities, music and movement. These storytimes will include a stay and play for social support and engagement.

## ADULTS | Money Matters: Home Buying

October 5, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ready to buy your first home or maybe refinance your existing mortgage? Discover the current local market, the cost of renting versus buying, how to choose a realtor, different loan types, down payment options, closing costs, fees, and more.

## The Art of Lines

October 5, 10:30 am - noon  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 10+. Learn a fun and relaxing pen and pencil drawing technique. Create your own beautiful images using repetitive patterns on an Enzo dog shape. No experience needed; all supplies provided. [Offered as part of the SAS event on November 10, 2019.](#)

## Firestone Art & Music Show

October 5, 1:00 - 4:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

The Firestone Art and Music Show features local artists from the Carbon Valley and surrounding areas. The event is a great time to meet artists, listen to live music, take part in children's activities and a community art project and enjoy refreshments.



## International Observe the Moon Night

October 5, 7:00 - 9:00 pm  
**Bishop-Lehr Hall, UNC**  
501 20th Street, Greeley

Please join Centennial Park Library and Dr. Charles Kuehn with UNC's Physics and Astronomy Department to observe the moon and other wonders of the night sky. Telescopes will be provided or you can bring your own. Click [here](#) to see event/parking map.



## Food Drive with Food for Fines Incentive

October 6 - 19

Drop off non-perishable food items for our local food banks at [participating libraries](#). As an extra incentive, receive up to \$70 off your fines/fees in exchange for your donation. 1 can = \$1 off fines/fees.

## TEENS | Murder Mystery: Ravenwood Castle

October 6, 2:00 - 3:30 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Join your fellow detectives and see if you can solve the murder at Ravenwood Castle. Uncover the clues and question every participant to discover what really happened.

## ADULTS | App Cafe

October 7, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

Drop in for help on Word documents, Excel spreadsheets, Powerpoint presentations, Publisher posters. Bring your files and your questions and we will teach you how to put the finishing touches on your own work.

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## **ALL AGES | Funstoppable: The Amazing Race's Team Fun** October 7, 6:00 - 7:00 pm **Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Becca Droz and Floyd Pierce were total strangers before they got paired up at the beginning of *The Amazing Race's* 29th season, but they quickly became one of the most popular teams in the history of the show, earning the name Team Fun. Coming off their recent appearance on season 31, Becca and Floyd are bringing their positive energy and "funstoppable" attitudes to the library where they will discuss their journeys on *The Amazing Race* and FUNdamentals for success and teamwork. This is guaranteed to be an inspiring and engaging program for Race fans as well as those who've never seen the show. Don't miss it!

## **ADULTS | Social Media 101: Reddit** October 9, 3:00 - 4:00 pm **Centennial Park Library** [Registration required](#)

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.

## **CHILDREN | Kids Crafterschool** 3:30 - 4:30 pm

### **Farr Regional Library** October 9 - Fall Leaf Lanterns 3:30 - 4:30 pm [Registration opens 9/25](#)

### October 23 - Make Your Own Piñata 3:30 - 5:30 pm [Registration opens 10/9](#)

Grades 3-5. Join us for creative fun making your own masterpiece! Supplies provided.

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## **ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado** October 10, 12:00 - 1:30 pm **Farr Regional Library**

Pikes Peak speaks of Colorado the way the Eiffel Tower speaks of Paris. Other features define Colorado as well: Rabbit Ears Peak, Pawnee Buttes, Black Canyon of the Gunnison. Just as Colorado supports a terrific wildlife diversity, the state has many physical features worth recognizing.



## **ADULTS | Vintage Base Ball** October 10, 6:00 - 7:00 pm **Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Learn about the history of baseball in Colorado with the Colorado Vintage Base Ball Association. The CVBBA plays baseball around Colorado according to the rules of 1864 and with the uniforms and equipment that would have been used. Roger "Digger" Hadix from the CVBBA will be here to teach about the differences between vintage and modern baseball and how you can get involved in this fun hobby.



## **TEENS | Learn to Play the Ukulele** October 10 & 24, 6:00 - 7:00 pm **Riverside Library** [Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Come learn how to play the ukulele. Bring your own or borrow one of ours. It's quick and easy to learn and you can play all your favorite tunes in no time. These dates are part of a 4 part series.

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**ADULTS | Bead Therapy**  
**Thursdays: Spiral Rope Stitch**  
October 10 & 17  
6:30 - 8:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 9/26](#)

The spiral rope stitch is an essential bead stitch to add to your repertoire. It is one of the easiest bead stitches to learn and it works up quickly. However, the most exciting thing about the spiral rope stitch is how easy it is to let your creativity run wild. Bead weaving is a proven way to de-stress. Working with your hands, the repetition of the stitching, the colors and the creativity all combine to focus the mind and relax the body. So come join us for this spiral rope stitch **two-class** mini series. We will be creating a stylish bracelet in rich, metallic purple colors. Materials, tools and detailed instructions are all provided!

**TEENS | Photography Lab: Cyanotypes**  
October 11, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Join professional photographer Stephanie Burchett as she shows you the magic of cyanotypes, one of the earlier forms of modern photography. Learn the basics of how photographs are developed and create your own original cyanotype print to take home. No cameras required.

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SAFE:Teen provides basic suicide prevention information, outreach, and education to middle and high school students. This sixty-minute presentation by North Range Behavioral Health includes an educational component, a personal story about suicide survival, information on how to ask for and give help, and referral information. The goals of SAFE:Teen are to provide resources, help, and hope.

**ADULTS | Cryptocurrency**  
October 14, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration opens 9/14](#)

What is cryptocurrency? What is a blockchain? Why do people purchase electronic currencies such as bitcoin, litecoin, etc? Why does that gas station down the street take them along with cash? All these questions and more will be answered in a friendly discussion that will help shed light on this new and interesting way to interact with your neighbors and the rest of the world.

**ADULTS | Short Film Festival**  
October 14, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 9/14](#)

Each night we will be showing short films that were nominated for Oscars in 2019. This month, we will view the animated short: One Small Step; Live Action Short: Fauve; and Documentary Short: End Game.

**ADULTS | How Does It Work?**  
**Apps for Seniors**  
October 15, 10:00 - 11:30 am  
**Erie Community Center**  
**450 Powers Street, Erie**

Do you have a Smartphone or Tablet? Do you want to discover what your device can offer? Bring your device or use a tablet provided by the library to explore a variety of Android and Apple apps and games. [Register through Cindy Hickman, Active Adults Coordinator, Erie Community Center, 303-926-2795; deadline 1 week prior to date of class.](#)

**Rainbow Storytime: Celebrating & Supporting All Families**  
October 15, 10:15 - 11:00 am  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 9/16](#)

ALL are welcome to participate in a Rainbow Storytime: a celebration of all the different families in our community. We'll explore diversity and inclusion through children's literature, conversation, activities, music and movement. The storytime will include a stay and play for social support and engagement.

**CHILDREN & TEENS | The Science of Structures**  
October 16, 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 3-8. Design and build earthquake proof structures out of marshmallows and toothpicks and then take the Pringles challenge and make a structure that forms a circle. Finally, make a telescopic grabbing mechanism. Presented by 4-H and CSU Extension.



# programs

## ADULTS | Tech Cafe

October 17

11:00 am - noon

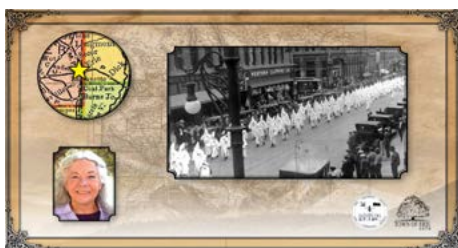
**Centennial Park Library**

October 25

10:00 am - noon

**Erie Community Library**

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Ask us! Drop in for one-on-one technology assistance.



## ADULT | Local History Series: Colorado's Ignominious Days under the Ku Klux Klan

October 17, 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Center**  
450 Powers Street, Erie

Colorado once had the second largest Ku Klux Klan membership of any state in the United States. The 1924 state elections brought a resurgence of the KKK's power far west of its traditional concentration in the Deep South. A reinvigorated membership drive in the West revived a dying institution at the time when the KKK hadn't even entered most Coloradoans' thoughts, much less lives, for generations. Learn how and why this happened. *Presented by Sharon Danhauer, who has a passion for history and is a member of the Loveland Historical Society and several other historic-minded organizations.*

## ADULT | Convert Your Media Workshop

October 19, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Preserve your memories by migrating them to digital format. We'll show you how to use library equipment to convert your old media from records, cassettes, photos, and more. Participants who have a basic comfort level with computer storage, cards, and drives will get more out of this class.

## ALL AGES | Dog Day in October

October 19, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Come to our Open House that will showcase the many dogs in our community that help us, entertain us, and love us. Interact with dogs and the people who work with them to make our lives better. *Offered in conjunction with the SAS event on Nov. 10, 2019.*



## ALL AGES | Haunted Library

October 19, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

October 26, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

The library has acquired a ghost! Rocky Mountain Paranormal Society will present instructions to help us find our wayward spirit. Join us as we try to help it cross over to the other side.



## CHILDREN | Fabulous Fall Flowerpots

**Erie Community Library**

October 20

1:00 - 2:00 pm - **Grades K-2**

*Registration opens 9/20*

2:30 - 3:30 pm - **Grades 3-5**

*Registration opens 9/20*

Join us to paint a fabulous fall flowerpot. All supplies, including potting soil and fall flowers, will be provided.



## DIY Self-Care Aromatherapy Bath Bombs

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

October 21

12:30 - 2:00 pm (**Grades 3-5**)

*Registration required*

3:00 - 4:30 pm (**Grades 6-12**)

*Registration required*

6:00 - 7:30 pm (**Ages 18+**)

*Registration required*

Destress and learn how to make your own aromatherapy bath bomb to use as a tranquil addition to your bath or for a gift. Materials provided. *Offered in conjunction with the SAS event on Nov. 10, 2019.*



# programs

## Family Food Fitness: Going Gluten Free - Technicolor Foods You'll Love

October 22, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 12+. Is your family facing a gluten-free future? While it can seem challenging and dismal, get ready to be surprised! Learn how to expand your food horizons in a more nutritious and delicious direction. In this cooking demo with volunteer participation, we'll make and taste a couple quick and easy Gluten Free meal ideas that the whole family will enjoy. We will also provide great, gluten-free recipes and resources to find gluten-free products. *Presented by Mary Collette Rogers, Healthy Kitchen Companion; and Helen Dohrman, Nutritional Health Coach, Natural Grocers*

## ADULT | Money Matters: Social Security Retirement Benefits

October 22, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

In this seminar you'll learn what your full retirement age is and how your benefit is determined; how retiring earlier than, or later than, your full retirement age will affect your Social Security benefit; why it's important to plan together with your spouse, and strategies you can use to boost retirement and survivor's benefits; and how working after you begin receiving Social Security could affect how much you receive.



## ADULT | Make Your Own Website

October 22, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration opens 9/22](#)

This class will take you through the step-by-step process to set up, customize, and publish your own website. There's no need to own a domain, we will show you how to build a website with only a few hours of work. Whether you're looking to make a site for a small business, non-profit, travel blog, or just for fun, we'll get you started and on your way!



## ADULTS | Handmade Evening at the Library

October 23, 6:00 - 8:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration open Sept. 29 - Oct. 11](#)

Ages 18+. This small cross-body purse would make an easy, quick gift for yourself or others. The size, 7 x 9 inches, is just perfect for an evening out! Please email Linda at [lhillman@highplains.us](mailto:lhillman@highplains.us) for a supply list.

## ADULT | Small Business Fall Series: Accounting Doesn't Need to be a Nightmare

October 24, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Please register at [www.bit.ly/eastcoevents](http://www.bit.ly/eastcoevents)

For most small business owners, accounting can be downright scary! Just the mention of reconciling the bank accounts or reading profit and loss statements is enough to instill fear in many entrepreneurs. Decoding the chart of accounts can be spooky and keep you up at night. But it doesn't need to be that way! Learn how the Xero accounting platform can make keeping your books easier and simplify the accounting for your business with CPA Cynthia L. Finkenbinder of Alpha Omega Accounting, LLC., and take the terror out of accounting for your business.

## ADULTS | Afternoon with an Artist: Monet and the Impressionists

October 24, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

French painter, Claude Monet, is arguably one of the most famous and well-known Impressionist artists of the 19th century. The Denver Art Museum will be hosting the most comprehensive U.S. exhibition of Monet paintings in more than two decades from October 21, 2019 - February 2, 2020. Do you have tickets? Are you excited? Join us for an afternoon presentation on Monet and French impressionism so that if you go, you will have a renewed appreciation of Monet and his era. Refreshments provided.

# programs



**TEENS | Spooky Songs**  
October 24, 4:00 - 5:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 9/24](#)

Grades 6-12. Come create some Spooky Songs a few days before Halloween....scare your friends with your cool ideas. Bring lyrics, record yourself singing or speaking, add instruments online or with a keyboard (provided), and use our music programming tool Soundtrap to add tracks and mix for a final scary song to download! Some Halloween-themed refreshments provided. Let's have some fun.

**Teen Scream After Hours Movie Night**  
October 25, 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

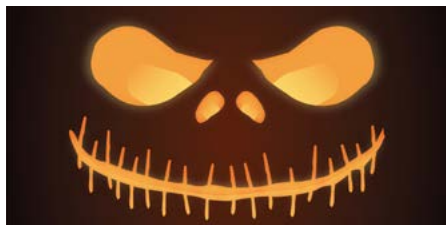
Grades 6-12. Have you ever wondered what the library looks like after dark? Does Centennial Park really have a resident ghost? Well, if you want to find out how creepy the building can be when all the lights are out, come to our Teen Scream After-Hours movie night, and find out for yourself! We will show a PG-13 scary movie, eat popcorn, and huddle up with friends in our most comfy, movie watching clothes. Pillows and blankets are encouraged, but not required. See you at the library...if you dare!

**ALL AGES | Gentle Persuasions: Dog Training 101**  
October 25, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

Learn about dog training and good manners for our favorite canine friends. Whether you are new or well trained in dog ownership, don't miss the tips and tricks presented by Gentle Persuasions Training. [Offered in conjunction with the SAS event on Nov. 10, 2019.](#)

**TEENS | A Very Hogwarts Murder**  
October 26, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. It's the Roaring 20s and everything at Hogwarts is just swell...until Professor Binns turns up dead! Put on your wizard robes or your fringed flapper dress, and get back to Hogwarts to solve the mystery!



**CHILDREN | Crafting a Spooky Story with Carter Wilson**  
**Erie Community Library**  
October 29, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
[Registration opens 9/30](#)

Grades 3-5. It's time to get a little creepy...a little scary...and a lot spooky! Author Carter Wilson will teach you how to write a story to spook your friends and family. He'll share some great ideas and tips to help you create your own frightening tale!

**ADULTS | Understanding Health Insurance**

**Erie Community Library**  
October 29, 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
[Registration opens 10/1](#)

Learn the basics of Health Insurance before 2020 Open Enrollment begins November 1st! Gain a better understanding of common health insurance concepts and rules including deductibles; max out of pocket; coinsurance; coverage basics (i.e. emergency, urgent care, office visits, labs, imaging & mental health); different types of coverage (ACA plans, short term, faith based and indemnity); group coverage; and fact vs. fiction and what may be on the horizon.

**ADULTS | Trivia Night: Journey through the Decades**  
October 30, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Platte Valley Fire Station Community Room**  
**27128 Weld County Road 53 Kersey**

Ages 18+. Come and take a journey through the 1950's up to the present day in "Trivia Night". Flex your mental muscles as you form teams or play individually to win prizes. We will provide the refreshments, music, and entertainment.

**ALL AGES | 3D Spooky Movie**  
October 31, 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

Celebrate the paranormal season with *ParaNorman and the Library* in full 3D movie style.

# book clubs

## American Girl Club (ages 8-11)

First Tuesday

Erie Community Library

October 1, 4 - 5 pm

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**\*\*Registration is required**

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

First and Third Tuesday

October 1 and 15

4:30 - 5:30 pm

### Prefects (ages 12-17)

First and Third Tuesday

October 1 and 15

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Non Fiction Book Club

First Monday

Farr Regional Library

October 7, 1 - 2 pm

*Educated* by Tara Westover

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library

### Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

Second Tuesday

Third Wednesday

October 8, 4:30 - 5:30 pm

October 16, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

### Prefects (ages 12-17)

Second Tuesday

October 8, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

Second Wednesday

Erie Community Library

October 9, 4 - 4:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Kersey Book Club

Second Wednesday

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

October 9, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Furiously Happy: a funny book  
about horrible things*

by Jenny Lawson

## Erie Evening Book Club

Second Thursday

Erie Community Library

**This book club is full.**

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

Second Monday

Erie Community Library

October 14, 4 - 4:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

Third Tuesday

Farr Regional Library

October 15, 1:30 - 3 pm

*American Housewife* by Helen Ellis

## Choose Your Own Book Club

Third Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

October 15, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Best Halloween/horror book you  
have read*

## Kersey Teen Book Club

Third Saturday

Kersey Library

October 19, 3 - 4 pm

*I am not your perfect Mexican  
Daughter* by Erika Sanchez

## Reading the West Book Group

Fourth Monday

Centennial Park Library

October 22, 3 - 4 pm

*The Line Becomes a River:  
Dispatches from the Border*  
by Francisco Cantu

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

Fourth Wednesday

Farr Regional Library

October 23, 7 - 8:30 pm

## Riverside Readers

Fourth Monday

Riverside Library

October 28, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*Where the Crawdads Sing*  
by Delia Owens

## Book Lover's Book Club

Last Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

October 29, 6 - 7 pm

*A Gentleman in Moscow*  
by Amor Towles



# recurring programs

## make-it programs

### Crafternoons (adult)

Meets every 2 weeks

October 1, 15 and 29, 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Quilters (ages 16+)

Second Wednesday

October 9, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required

### Open Sewing Sessions (adult & teen)

Second Friday

October 11, 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)

Third Wednesday

October 16, 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library

### Artmakers (ages 12+)

Third and Fourth Thursdays

October 17 and 24, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books (ages PreK-Grade 5)

Fourth Wednesday

October 23, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Riverside Library

### Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13) (limited to the first 20 children)

Fourth Saturday

October 26, 10 - 11 am  
Erie Community Library

**\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.**

### Camera Club (ages 8-11)

Fourth Monday

October 28, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Lincoln Park Library  
\*registration required

## music

### Ukulele Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday

October 17, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Digital Music Lab for Teens

Fourth Thursday

October 22, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required

## gaming programs

### Erie Chess Club (Grades 3-5)

First and Third Wednesday

October 2 and 16, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library  
\*registration required

### Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)

First Wednesday

October 2, 4:30 - 6 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Chess Club (ages 10-18)

Second Tuesday

October 8, 5 - 6 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Juguemos Lotería Let's Play Loteria

Second Tuesday

8 de octubre, 5 - 6 pm  
Centennial Park Library

### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

October 10, 10 - 11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library

### Game On! (ages 14+)

Second Sunday

October 13, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### JV Game Club (ages 10+\*)

October 19, 1 - 4 pm  
Centennial Park Library

*\*children younger than 10  
welcome with adult supervision*

## adults

### NEW! G.R.E.A.T.: A Kinship Support Group

Second Tuesday

October 10, 12 - 1:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

Are you a grandparent, aunt or uncle raising a grandchild, niece or nephew? Are you interested in connecting with others who are also raising kin? Check out G.R.E.A.T. (Grand, Resourceful, Empowered, and Treasured), a kinship support group that is just for YOU! We'll share community resources, presentations on topics relevant to your situation and fun activities focused on self-care. Bring a sack lunch---drinks and a dessert will be provided. You are NOT alone!

### Free Legal Self-Help Clinic

Second Monday

October 14, 3:30 - 5:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### SBDC Small Business Start-Up Business Seminars

Third Tuesday

October 15, 6 - 7:45 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration required



# recurring programs

## adults - English learning classes

### ESL Classes with Aims

Mondays and Wednesdays  
(August 26 - December 11)

1 - 3 pm

Riverside Library

### English Conversations/ Conversaciones en inglés

Thursdays

4 - 5 pm

Riverside Library

### English Hour/Hora de inglés

Mondays

1:30 - 2:30 pm

Lincoln Park Library

Thursdays

5:30 - 6:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## movies

### Wednesday Night at the Movies

First Wednesday

October 2, 6 - 7:30 pm

Riverside Library

*The Secret Life of Pets 2*

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park

First and Third Thursday

2 - 4 pm

Oct. 3 - *The Uninvited* (1944)

Oct. 17 - *The Others* (2001)

### Family Movie Night

First Thursday

October 3, 6 - 8 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

*The Secret Life of Pets 2*

## teens

### NEW! Young Activists Society (ages 10-18)

First Monday

October 7, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

Be a part of making a positive change in your community! There's never been a better time for young people to get involved and make an impact on the world around them.

Discuss issues that are important to you, meet current activists, and develop programs and projects that address the concerns of young people today. *"Be the change you wish to see in the world."* - Ghandi

### Independence! #Adulthood

First Thursday

October 3, 4 - 5:30 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Second Tuesday

October 8, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Teen Tech Series

Second Thursday

October 10, 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Third Tuesday

October 15, 4 - 5 pm

Erie Community Library

## children

### Riverside STEAM Club: Structures

Second Wednesday

October 9, 4 - 4:45 pm

Riverside Library

### Baby Open Play

Second Thursday

October 10, 2 - 2:45 pm

Erie Community Library

### Beyond the Classroom (Grades 3-5)

Centennial Park Library

Structures

October 11, 2 - 3 pm

Trick or Treat

October 25, 2 - 3 pm

### Ready, Set, Create! Designed to Survive (Grades 2-5)

Second Saturday

October 12, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*registration required

### LEAP into Science: Our Animal Neighbors (Grades K-2)

Third Wednesday

October 16, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Erie Community Library

\*registration required

### Saturday Stretch: You and Me Yoga (preschoolers and their adult)

Third Saturday

October 19, 3:45 - 4:30 pm

Erie Community Library

# recurring programs

## storytimes

### **Yoga Storytime (families)**

Tuesdays in October & November

4 - 4:30 pm

Farr Regional Library

### **Families N Jammies**

First Wednesday

October 2, 6 - 6:30 pm

Erie Community Library

### **Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs**

First Saturday

October 5, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

*\*Registration required*

### **Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)**

Second Tuesday

October 8, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

*\*registration required*

### **Storytime for the Spectrum**

Third Saturday

October 19, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Centennial Park Library

### **Pajamarama (Ages 2 ½ - 6)**

Fourth Wednesday

October 23, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## paws to read

### **Riverside Library**

Second Wednesday

October 9, 6 - 7 pm

### **Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Second Wednesday

October 9, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

### **Centennial Park Library**

Second Monday

October 14, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

### **Erie Community Library**

Fourth Wednesday

October 23, 4:30 - 5:45 pm

## family fun saturdays

### **Lincoln Park Library - 2 - 4 pm**

First Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

Second Saturday

STEAM fun

Third Saturday

Theater Play

Fourth Saturday

Open Mic Karaoke

Fifth Saturday

SURPRISE!



## LIBRARIES Visit [www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours](http://www.MyLibrary.us/locations-and-hours) for library hours

### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Lincoln Park Library**

1012 11th Street, 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

### **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Evans Community Complex**

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

### **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

### **Nunn Town Hall**

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

## BOOK DEPOSITS

### **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Hill & Park Senior Center**

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

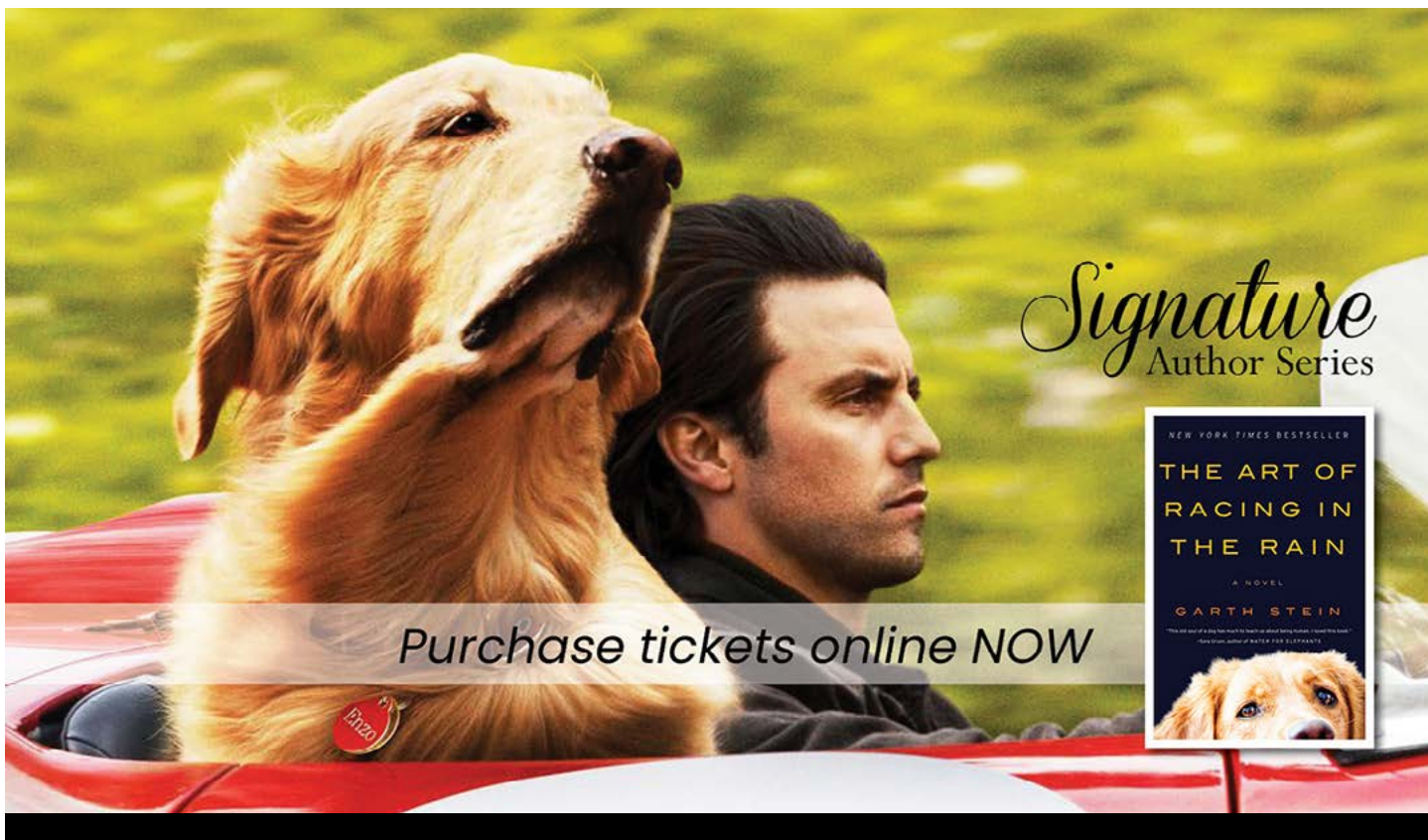
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**Sunday November 10, 2019**

University of Northern Colorado Ballroom, 2101 10th Avenue, Greeley, CO

**Conversation with Garth Stein: 2:00 pm**

**Book Signing: 3:15 pm**

**Ticket Prices**

Conversation with Garth Stein: \$15

Conversation with the Garth Stein & Book Signing: \$25

**[Purchase tickets here.](#)**

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**Event Booths**

North Range Behavioral Health

Weld County Department of Public Health and Environment

Community Grief Center

North Colorado Health Alliance

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### ANIMALS AS THERAPY

**Paws to Read for Everyone**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Friday, September 6, 3:00-4:00 pm**

All ages. These adorable therapy dogs listen patiently and with open hearts whether you want to practice English, need a non-judgmental companion, or just love reading.

**Precious Potential Pets**  
Riverside Library & Cultural Center  
3700 Golden Street, Evans

**Saturday, September 7, 11:00 am-noon**

All ages. Visit with the Weld Humane Society and their precious pets that could potentially be yours. Learn about fostering, adopting and the unconditional love that pets bring their owners.

**Service Animals at Work**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Tuesday, September 24, 3:30-4:30 pm**

All ages. Guide dogs for the blind are coming to the library to demonstrate how the power of partnership makes life a little easier for their human. Learn about the many tasks and functions they perform.

**Dog Day in October**  
Riverside Library & Cultural Center  
3700 Golden Street, Evans

**Saturday, October 19, 1:00-3:00 pm**

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Farr Regional Library  
1939 61st Avenue, Greeley

**Friday, October 25, 6:00-7:00 pm**

All ages. Learn about dog training and good manners for our favorite canine friends. Whether you are new or well trained in dog ownership, don't miss the tips and tricks presented by Gentle Persuasions Training.

### ART AS THERAPY

**Aromatherapy Diffuser Bracelet**  
Centennial Park Library  
2227 23rd Avenue, Greeley

**Thursday, September 12, 6:30-8:30 pm**

Ages 18+. Learn about essential oils and their applications and then create your own aromatherapy diffuser bracelet using gemstone beads, lava beads, and essential oils. Supplies provided. Registration required.

**The Art of Lines**  
Erie Community Library  
400 Powers Street, Erie

**Saturday, October 5, 10:30 am-noon**

Ages 10+. Learn a fun and relaxing pen and pencil drawing technique. Create your own beautiful images using repetitive patterns on an Enzo dog shape. No art experience needed; supplies provided. Taught by local artist Lisette Walker. Registration required.

**DIY Self Care: Aromatherapy Bath Bombs**  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
7 Park Avenue, Firestone

**Monday, October 21**  
**12:30-2:00 pm (Grades 3-5)**  
**3:00-4:30 pm (Grades 6-12)**  
**6:00-7:30 pm (Ages 18+)**

Destress and learn how to make your own aromatherapy bath bomb to use as a tranquil addition to your bath or for a gift. Materials provided. Registration required.

### EXERCISE AS THERAPY

**Chair Yoga**  
Lincoln Park Library  
1012 11th Street, Greeley

**Tuesday, September 24, 10:00-11:00 am**

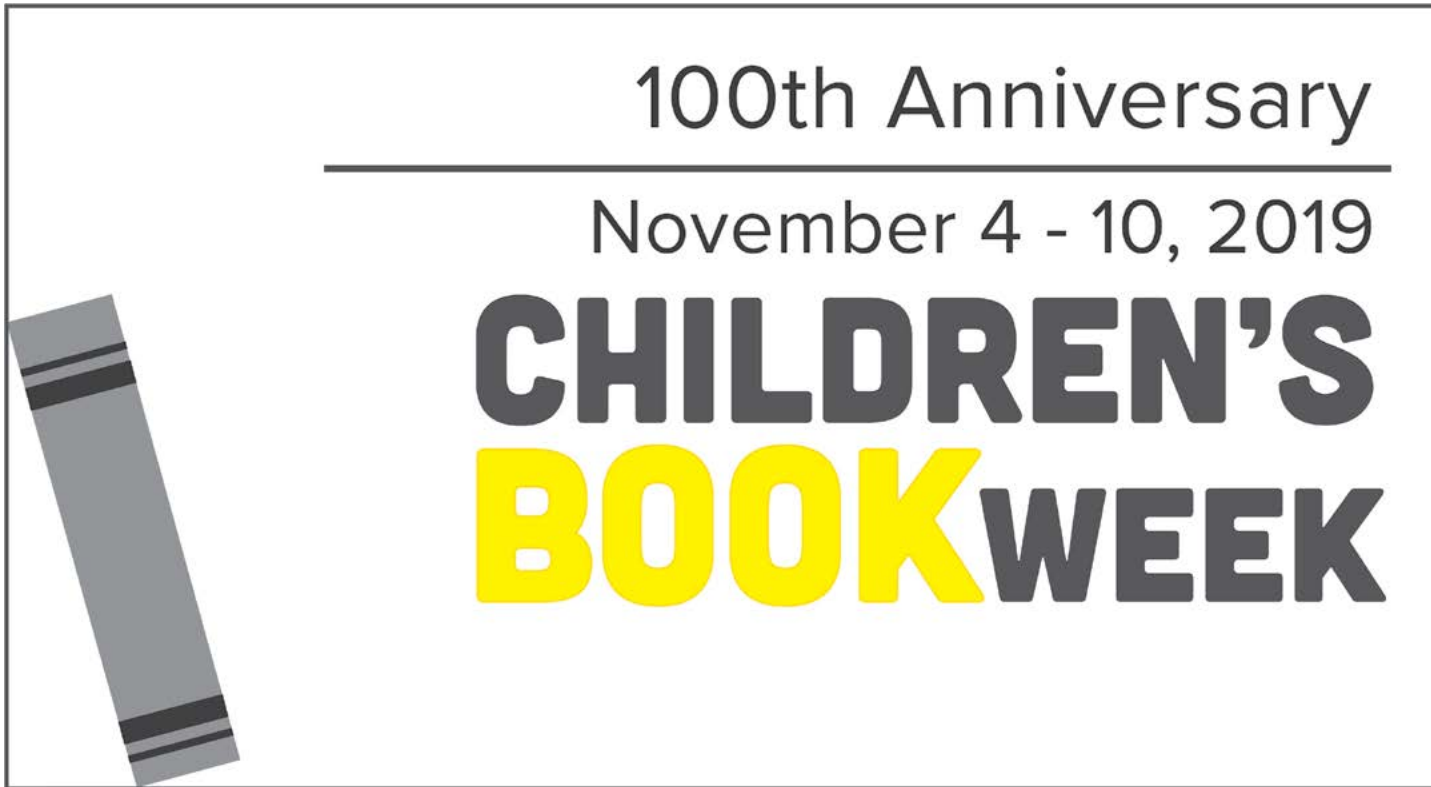
All ages. Bethany Wiley from Banner Health Wellness will teach us one of the gentlest forms of yoga available - chair yoga. This approach uses the support and safety of a chair to adapt yoga positions. Beginners welcome. Registration required.



**“ To live every day as if it had been stolen from death, that is how I would like to live. To feel the joy of life, as Eve felt the joy of life. To separate oneself from the burden, the angst, the anguish that we all encounter every day. To say I am alive, I am wonderful, I am. I am. That is something to aspire to. ”**

*Enzo - The Art of Racing in the Rain*





How many weeks are so wonderful they happen twice a year? Hint: it's not Tax Identity Theft Week or Termite Awareness Week. It's not even National Library Week. It's Children's Book Week! 2019 is the 100-year anniversary of this celebration of children's books and the joy of reading. It's such a big deal that one week was simply not enough. The first celebration in 2019 was April 29 to May 5, and now we're getting ready for the second Children's Book Week, happening November 4 to November 10. We love celebrating children's books all year round; still it's wonderful to do something special to highlight the impact books can have on readers of all ages—especially young readers.

Children's Book Week is organized by Every Child a Reader and the Children's Book Council. It's the longest running national literacy initiative in the country. The theme for the 100th Anniversary is "Read Now · Read Forever" and we couldn't be more excited to get all the families in our community reading.

Most adults have a book or two from their childhood that they remember clearly. Or maybe they remember a book their own child loved reading—sometimes over and over and over again. When people share memories about books, they are often sharing memories about love. Fostering a love of reading is an important element of developing literacy skills in children. A love of reading can come from the shared experience of enjoying a book together. "Read Now · Read Forever" builds upon the intergenerational experience of reading books and highlights the power of children's literature. These books can tell amazing stories in just a few pages, mixing together words and art into something entirely magical and life changing.

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## Children's Book Week continued

Children's Book Week gives us the opportunity to passionately share a love of stories, reading, and children's books. The High Plains Library District is hosting two events to do just that. Centennial Park Library and Erie Community Library will both host Read-A-Thons to highlight the joys of children's books.

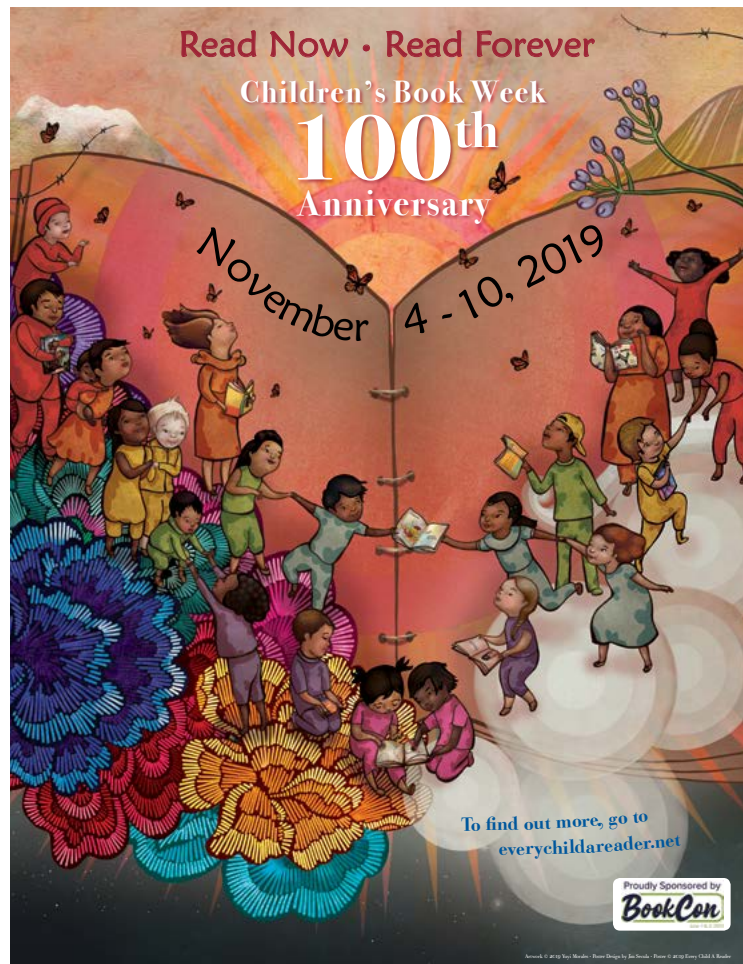
Centennial Park Library's Read-A-Thon will take place Wednesday, November 6th from 4:00-6:00 pm and feature author Natasha Wing, Greeley firefighter Greg Becker, and the Executive Director of the High Plains Library District, Matt Hortt.

Erie Community Library's Read-A-Thon is happening Thursday, November 7th from 4:00-6:00 pm. Celebrity readers include Erie's mayor, Jennifer Carroll, firefighters and police officers. Local authors Carter Wilson, Jennifer Chambliss Bertman, and Jenny Goebel will be there, and so will representatives from schools all around Erie, like principals and media specialists.

All the celebrity readers will help kids to connect to books and book creators and build upon the theme "Read Now · Read Forever."

Everyone in the community is invited to drop by these Read-A-Thons and help celebrate 100 years of Children's Book Week!

*~Kristin Spencer, Erie Community Library*





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## **Creative Exhibit: Lisa Downs & Barb McElroy**

November 1 - 30

**Lincoln Park Library**

Lisa Downs and Barb McElroy say this about their exhibit: "The discovery of our mutual passion for creativity, beauty and healing led us to reflect on our experiences with trauma and healing through our photography and art work. Our passions have provided an outlet for expressing our own journeys in life. Our hope is that our compassion for the well-being of your mental health will provide you with a positive perspective for your own or loved one's healing."

## **ADULTS | Craigslist 101**

November 1, 10:00 - 11:30 am

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn how to post ads and reply to another poster's ad, tour the different areas of Craigslist, and learn how to search safely and strategically.

## **CHILDREN | Spooktacular Dance Party**

November 1, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades K-2. Have you ever wanted to groove like a ghost? Or move like a mummy? Prance like a prince or princess? At this Spooktacular Dance Party you'll get a chance to do just that. Christine Rohde will teach us Spooktacular dance moves that are sure to be fun for everyone! Feel free to wear a costume as we dance the afternoon away.

## **ADULTS | 3D Design and Print Workshop**

November 2, 10:00 am - noon

**Farr Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

This is a beginner-level class for those who have never used 3D design software. We will cover the basics of 3D design and show you how to create a unique item. *Users should have good mouse and keyboard skills and basic familiarity with using the web.*

## **CHILDREN | Rainbow Storytime: Celebrating and Supporting Diversity and Inclusion**

10:00 - 11:00 am

**First Congregational Church**

**2101 16th Street, Greeley**

November 2: **Gender Identity**

November 16: **Let's Talk about Race**

Preschool - Grade 2. All are welcome to explore diversity and inclusion through children's literature, conversation, activities, music and movement. These storytimes will include a stay and play for social support and engagement.



## **Día de los Muertos Celebrations**

November 2

10:30 am - noon

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration is required](#)

Día de los Muertos is a holiday in which one remembers and celebrates someone who has passed away. We will be celebrating this holiday with a story time, activities and Mexican treats. *Día De Los Muertos, cuando recordamos y celebramos a esos que se han ido.. ¡Venga el 2 de noviembre para celebrar este día! Tendremos actividades, cuentacuentos y botanas mexicanas. Inscripción es requerida.*

1:00 - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Join us for our culturally authentic celebration as we honor the memory of our deceased loved ones through activities including sugar skull decorating, Day of the Dead face painting, paper flowers, storyteller, and authentic music and snacks. All are welcome to participate in Centennial Park Library's community altar, Life's Journey Never Ends. *Ven a celebrar una autentica celebración cultural y a rendir homenaje a la memoria de nuestros seres amados que han fallecido, con actividades como decoración de calaveritas de azúcar, pintacarita de Día de Muertos, flores de papel, cuentacuentos, música y botanas típicas. Todos son bienvenidos a participar en el altar comunitario de la biblioteca de Centennial Park, llamado: El viaje de la vida nunca termina.*

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## International Games Week Centennial Park Library

Welcome to International Games Week! During this time we will offer a different gaming experience each day of the week. Everyone is invited!

November 4, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Classic Board Games  
[Registration required](#)

November 5, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Trivia Games  
[Registration required](#)

November 6, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Party Games  
[Registration required](#)

November 7, 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Modern Board Games  
[Registration required](#)

November 8  
11:00 am - 12:30 pm  
Video Games  
[Registration required](#)

## ADULTS | App Cafe November 4, 6:00 - 7:00 pm Centennial Park Library

Drop-in for help on Word documents, Excel spreadsheets, Powerpoint presentations, Publisher posters. Bring your files and your questions and we will teach you how to put the finishing touches on your own work.

## ADULTS | Creating Holiday Greetings in Canva November 4, 6:00 - 7:30 pm Carbon Valley Regional Library [Registration required](#)

Looking to add some new flair to your holiday letters or cards? Learn how to use Canva, a free and simple graphic design software, to design creative and fun holiday greetings.

## ADULTS | Gender Revolution November 4, 6:30 - 8:30 pm Centennial Park Library [Registration preferred; not required](#)

During Transgender Awareness Month in November, Centennial Park Library will be screening Gender Revolution followed by a panel discussion. *Gender Revolution: A Journey with Katie Couric* is a 2017 documentary film about gender identity, produced by Katie Couric, National Geographic, and World of Wonder. Light refreshments will be served.

## ADULTS | Powerful Tools for Caregivers Tuesdays, Nov. 5 - Dec. 10 10:00 - 11:30 am Carbon Valley Regional Library [Registration required](#)

If you are caring for a loved one at home, this workshop will help you learn to reduce stress, guilt and anger; relaxation techniques; set goals and problem-solve (family caregivers only). Workshop meets once a week for six weeks and is led by the Weld County Area Agency on Aging.

## CHILDREN | Lincoln Park Singers Tuesdays, Nov. 5 - Dec. 3 4:30 - 5:15 pm Lincoln Park Library

Recommended ages 6-10. Be a part of Lincoln Park Singers caroling session! Rehearse with us as we prepare three songs for neighborhood caroling and a final performance for family and friends on December 10.

## ADULTS | Active Minds: Native Americans of Colorado November 5, 6:00 - 7:00 pm Lincoln Park Library

From Mesa Verde to the high plains, we will trace the civilizations of the Ute, Cheyenne, Arapaho, Pueblo and other tribes as we seek to understand Colorado's Native American history and legacy. *Note: This presentation is a webinar.*

## ADULTS | SBDC Small Business Seminar: Business Plan Development November 5, 6:00 - 7:45 pm Carbon Valley Regional Library [Registration required](#)

This seminar will provide an overview of the components essential to a business plan using generic templates suitable for all types of businesses. The real value of creating a business plan lies in the process of researching and thinking about your business in a systematic way. The act of planning helps you to think things through thoroughly, with study and research to look at your ideas critically to prepare an effective business plan.

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## ADULTS | YouTube 101

November 5, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

An introduction to YouTube - how to find, watch and share videos.



## TEENS & ADULTS | Strumming in the Stacks 3

Tuesdays, Nov. 5 - Dec. 3

6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

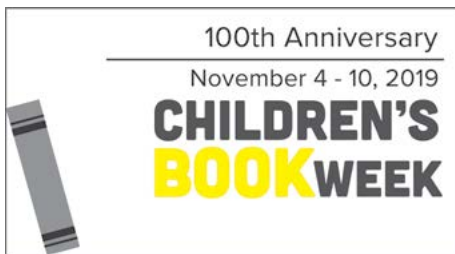
Ages 14+. It's time to dust off that 6-string and make music together. Use one of our acoustic guitars, or bring your own instrument. All experience levels welcome.

## ADULTS | Learn to Type

Wednesdays, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Far Regional Library**

Drop-in for typing practice for all skill levels. Space is limited.



## Children's Book Week

### Read-a-thon

November 6, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

November 7, 4:00 - 6:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

Celebrate the 100th anniversary of Children's Book Week with an afternoon Read-A-Thon. Stop by any time from 4:00 to 6:00 pm to hear celebrity readers share picture books. The theme for the 100th Anniversary is "Read Now · Read Forever."

## ADULTS | English Paper Piecing

November 7, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Learn a fun and easy craft you can do with just a few supplies. Join Judith Martinez from Tithmart's Quilting as she walks us through the process of English Paper Piecing and leave with a unique handmade decoration for your home.

## Youth Ukulele Lessons

November 7, 14 and 21

4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 10-18. If you've ever wanted to learn to play ukulele, this is your chance! In this three week session we'll cover the basics of reading tabs, playing chords and learning your favorite songs. No experience necessary and ukuleles will be provided to participants. Please plan to attend all 3 sessions.

## CHILDREN | Spantastic Bridges

November 7, 4:30 - 5:30 pm

**Mead Town Hall Community Room**

**441 3rd Street, Mead**

Grades 2-5. Come learn about the engineer design process while challenging your creative, problem-solving mind in this interactive program. Participants act as engineers as they design and build bridges from everyday household items. All supplies provided; parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate with their children.

## ADULTS | Money Matters:

### Retirement Income Planning

**Erie Community Library**

November 7, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Registration required](#)

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

November 21, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

[Registration required](#)

In this seminar you will learn

- how to plan for when your retirement will start;
- how long it will last and how to plan for the retirement lifestyle you want;
- steps to estimate the amount of money you'll need in retirement to meet your goals—factoring in health-care costs, taxes, and inflation; and
- how to supplement fixed income sources such as Social Security and an employer pension with your retirement savings—including the products and investment strategies you should consider, a sustainable withdrawal rate, and the best order to tap various accounts.

# programs

## (→) Soundtrap

### TEENS | Music Technology with Soundtrap

November 7, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

November 21, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Learn how to use Soundtrap, a web based software, to create your one-of-a-kind song. With hundreds of sounds to choose from, you could make anything from a Jazz song to a hip-hop song.

### ADULTS | Cryptocurrency

November 8, 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

What is cryptocurrency? What is a blockchain? Why do people purchase electronic currencies such as bitcoin, litecoin, etc? Why does that gas station down the street take them along with cash? All these questions and more will be answered in a friendly discussion that will help shed light on this new and interesting way to interact with your neighbors and the rest of the world.

### CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Gratitude Jar

November 8, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Grades K-12. Drop-in and get ready for Thanksgiving by making your own Gratitude Jar; capture the things you are grateful for inside the jar!

### ADULT | Active Minds: Aviation - From Kitty Hawk to Today

November 8, 3:00 - 4:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

Join Active Minds as we discuss the history of aviation in America. From the Wright Brothers' first tentative forays into flying, to the sleek, automated flying machines of today, and the supersonic flights of tomorrow, this presentation will cover the highs and lows of the aviation era. If you're into aviation giants like Amelia Earhart and Charles Lindbergh, and want to learn about drones, military aviation and more, this presentation is for you!

### CHILDREN | Get the Rhythm

November 9, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades K-5. Come explore making sound, trying different instruments, and playing rhythm together! This will be a fun filled hour with music, rhythm exploration; and a chance to try out the music-making software Soundtrap.

### Signature Author Series: Garth Stein and *The Art of Racing in the Rain*

November 10, 2:00 pm

**UNC Ballroom**

**2101 10th Avenue, Greeley**

2:00 - 3:00 pm: Conversation and Q&A with Garth Stein  
3:15 pm : Book Signing

Please visit [www.MyLibrary.us/racingintherain](http://www.MyLibrary.us/racingintherain) for ticketing and event information.

### CHILDREN | Mead Early Literacy Hour

**Guardian Angels Catholic Church**

**109 3rd Street, Mead**

November 12 and 26

9:00 - 10:00 am

Fun storytime for children up to age 6 and their caregivers, parents, and grandparents.

### Family Food Fitness: Natural Hacks to Support a Healthy Mood

**Erie Community Library**

November 12, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

[Registration required](#)

Ages 12+. Join Helen Dohrman, CN (Natural Grocers Health Coach) to gain a new understanding of the complexities that play a role in supporting a healthy mood - and what might hinder it! Helen offers tips and tricks for nutritional, supplemental, environmental and lifestyle factors to help us transition into the winter months.

### ADULT | Social Media 101: LinkedIn

November 13, 3:00 - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration opens 10/14](#)

LinkedIn is one of the world's largest professional networks with over 300 million members and growing. Join us for this short course on how to set up a LinkedIn account, fill out your LinkedIn profile and get tips on how to build your brand and profile. Bring your resume/work history. *Participants must have a working web-based email (such as Yahoo or Gmail) and good basic computing skills.*



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## **CHILDREN | Kids Crafterschool: Artistic Acrylic Painting**

**Farr Regional Library**  
November 13, 3:30 - 4:30 pm  
[Registration opens 10/30](#)

Grades 3-5. Join us for creative fun making your own masterpiece! Supplies provided.

## **ALL AGES | Henna-mazing**

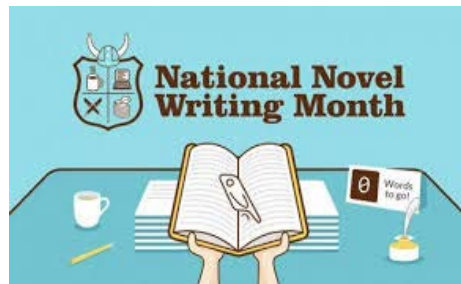
November 13, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**  
[Registration opens 10/28](#)

Join Leah from Face Fiesta in this hands-on henna class that will explore how to create beautiful henna designs - including basic building blocks for creating symmetrical and asymmetrical creations. We'll also spend time learning skills for creating Indian, Gulf, and Moroccan style designs.

## **ADULT | Kevin Cook: Twelve Dozen Things about Colorado**

November 14, 12:00 - 1:30 pm  
**Farr Regional Library**

This month, we look at State Symbols. Sometime past, people decided certain animals, plants, and minerals symbolize natural character of place. Coloradans adopted this ideal and began assigning official status to things Colorado. Thus we have a state bird, a state fish, and several other things legally designated as symbols of Colorado.



## **TEENS & ADULTS | NaNoWriMo Write-In with Laura Brashear**

November 14 & 21  
3:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join our Writer-In-Residence for a National Novel Writing Month Write-In. Bring a laptop, some creativity and any questions you'd like to ask Laura Brashear about the writing process.

## **ADULTS | Emergency Preparedness Workshop**

November 14, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

In this fun, interactive session learn how to make an emergency plan; when to stay where you are and when you go somewhere else; what you should have in your emergency kit; which hazards we are most likely to encounter in our area and how to recognize disaster myths; and why people behave differently in disasters and how to overcome our natural human reactions and take actions to protect yourself and your family. Each participant will take home an emergency plan outline and a preparedness guide. Presented by The Carbon Valley Emergency Management Agency,

## **TEENS | Learn to Play the Ukulele**

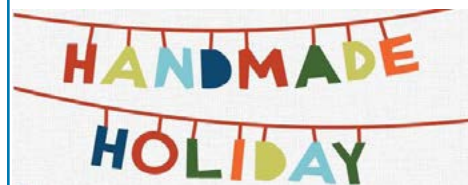
November 14, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Come learn how to play the ukulele. Bring your own or borrow one of ours. It's quick and easy to learn and you can play all your favorite tunes in no time. These dates are part of a 4 part series.

## **CHILDREN | Little Explorers: Animal Exploration with the Colorado Ballet**

November 16, 10:30 - 11:30 am  
**Riverside Library**  
[Registration opens 10/15](#)

Toddlers/preschoolers. Learn how to shake, shimmy, and slide like your favorite animal. We will play with exciting props, sing songs, and read our favorite animal stories... all while dancing!



## **ADULTS | Handmade Holidays**

November 16, 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

Come, bring your holiday projects and gather to chat and stitch in a relaxing atmosphere! If you need help with a stitch or want to share your skills with others, please come! Any portable project you have is welcome (the library is only supplying light refreshments).

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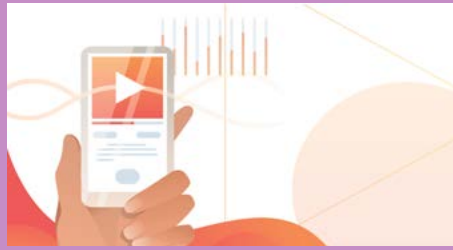


**CHILDREN & TEENS | Smash Bros 2019**  
November 16, 1:00 - 3:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 10-18. Who will stand atop the Smash Bros podium? Compete to be crowned the 2019 Super Smash Bros. champion of Carbon Valley Library as you play this classic Nintendo favorite with your fellow smashers! Snacks and refreshments will be served and prizes awarded for top finishers.

**ADULTS | Short Film Festival**  
November 18, 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 10/19](#)

Each night we will be showing short films that were nominated for Oscars in 2019. This month, we will view the animated short: Weekends; Live Action Short: Marguerite; and Documentary Short: Black Sheep.



**TEENS & ADULTS | Getting Your Voice Heard: How to Make a Podcast**  
November 18 and 25  
7:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Ages 12+. Join veteran podcaster Hannah Wright for a comprehensive look at how to envision, create and market your own podcast. Podcasting is the fastest growing segment of media and there's never been a better time to turn your idea into reality. The first session will deal with identifying an audience and refining the topic and style of your podcast. Then in the second session we'll look at common approaches to recording, publishing and marketing your podcast. Please plan to join us for both sessions:

**Nov. 18: Finding Your Voice: How to Start a Podcast**

- The idea
- Defining the idea
- Making the thing

**Nov. 25: Making Your Voice Heard: How to Get Your Podcast Out There**

- "How do I get it on iTunes?"
- Building your house
- Growing your show

**ADULTS | How Does It Work? Navigation, Browsing and Security**  
November 19, 10:00 - 11:30 am  
**Erie Community Center**  
**450 Powers Street, Erie**

Do you have a Smartphone or Tablet? Do you want to discover what your device can offer? Bring your device or use a tablet provided by the library to learn about browsers, cookies, and general internet security. *Register through Cindy Hickman, Active Adults Coordinator, Erie Community Center, 303-926-2795; deadline 1 week prior to date of class.*

**ADULT | Amazing Indoor Plants**  
November 20, 6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
[Registration required](#)

Want to learn about "Amazing Indoor Plants!" and how to keep them happy in your home environment? Join Amy Lentz, Weld County's CSU Horticulture Extension Agent, as she covers many aspects of successfully growing a variety of house plants including light levels, propagation and pest issues.

**CHILDREN | Bilingual Storytime**  
November 20, 6:30 - 7:00 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join us for a Bilingual Storytime! Learn some new Spanish vocabulary, while enjoying a bilingual book! All ages welcome. ¡Acompañanos para los cuentacuentos bilingües! ¡Aprende vocabulario en inglés mientras disfruta de un libro bilingüe! Todas las edades son bienvenidas.

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## **ADULT | Tech Cafe: Holiday Shopping Edition**

November 21, 11:00 am - noon  
**Centennial Park Library**

Not only can you drop-in for one-on-one technology assistance this month, we can also help you pick out the best tech for your holiday dollars. Need to know the difference between this tablet and that phone? This laptop and that All-in-One desktop? Ask us!

## **CHILDREN | Staying Safe Around Dogs with the Denver Dumb Friends League**

November 21, 4:00 - 5:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 10/21](#)

Grades K-5. Petting a dog may be fun, but is it always safe? The Denver Dumb Friends League will teach us how to meet a dog by practicing some basic steps. We'll learn what an animal's body posture may be communicating about how he or she is feeling, and how respecting an animal's feelings will keep everyone safe.

## **Adult Beginner Meditation Class**

November 21, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration opens 10/21](#)

Join us to experience a lively and entertaining introduction to meditation. Terry Ray will teach simple tools to help you begin a regular meditation practice on your own. Registration required.

*Terry Ray has been practicing meditation since 1974, and teaching for over 30 years.*

## **ADULT | Local History Series: History of the San Luis Valley**

November 21, 7:00 - 8:00 pm  
**Erie Community Center**  
**450 Powers Street, Erie**

The San Luis Valley is located in south central Colorado and is one of the most diverse and interesting parts of the state with its history, scenery, wildlife and modern life experiences. Spanish settlements date back hundreds of years while humans have been here on and off since the Clovis period over 10,000 years ago. Wildlife migration routes date back many millennia. The Valley is about a four-hour drive from Denver. Upon entering the Valley, the majesty of the mountains and the vast expanses take over. Add in the traditional food at local establishments and the experience just gets better. We will explore the history, the available activities, the wildlife and the modern life of the Valley.

*Bob Dean is a professional nature and travel photographer as well as a history aficionado. He teaches photography workshops for many organizations, including the Denver Museum of Nature and Science, as well as presenting history topics to Colorado libraries.*

## **TEENS | Marvel Trivia Night**

November 22, 5:30 - 7:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[Registration open 10/25](#)

Calling all teen fans of Marvel Cinematic Universe. Join us for a night of trivia and pizza at the library!! Test your knowledge of all things MCU against other fans in the community. Cosplay encouraged!!!

## **ADULTS | Crash Course in Creative Writing**

November 22, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Platte Valley Fire Station**  
**Community Room**  
**27128 WCR 53, Kersey**

Join the Kersey Library for some creative writing. Learn about the fundamental elements of a writing a story, try some writing prompts, and discuss workshopping techniques for constructive feedback.



## **ALL AGES | Nutcracker Storytime**

November 25  
11:30 am - 12:30 pm  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Centennial State Ballet returns with their annual event - Nutcracker Storytime! Join us during Thanksgiving break for a FREE mini performance of *The Nutcracker* with music, narration and ballet dancers from your local pre-professional youth ballet company. Join Clara and her Nutcracker prince as they travel to the land of sweets in this Classic Holiday tale! Families are invited to take photos with the dancers after the event.

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## ALL AGES | Meet Children's Author Nyibol Bior

November 25, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

When she was just a child, Nyibol Bior's world was turned upside down as her country of Sudan descended into civil war. Bior and her family were forced to leave their home and walk hundreds of miles in search of refuge. Eventually her path brought her to the United States where she received a second chance to live the life she had dreamed. Now she is telling her story in a soon-to-be-published children's book, *My Beautiful Colors* that brings her message of hope and courage to readers of all ages. Please join us for this inspiring and uplifting program.



## CHILDREN | Touch a Truck with Smokey Bear

November 26, 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Lincoln Park Library

Get behind the wheel of an actual fire truck, talk to fire fighters and learn what the life of a firefighter is like. Smokey Bear will be here to teach us about fire safety.

## CHILDREN | School's Out, Library's In: Pine Cone Turkeys

November 26, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

Grades K-12. Drop-in and make an original pine cone turkey for your Thanksgiving table.



## ALL AGES | Hip-Hop Dance

November 30, 2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Riverside Library

After eating all that turkey, come over to the library to shake your tail feathers and learn some hip hop dance moves with The Dance Factory!

## book a librarian appointment

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# book clubs

## Non Fiction Book Club

First Monday

Farr Regional Library

November 4, 1 - 2 pm

*The Moment of Lift: How empowering women change the world*

by Melinda Gates

## American Girl Club (ages 8-11)

First Tuesday

Erie Community Library

November 5, 4 - 5 pm

Samantha

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

First and Third Tuesday

November 5 and 19

4:30 - 5:30 pm

Prefects (ages 12-17)

First and Third Tuesday

November 5 and 19

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

Second Monday

Erie Community Library

November 12, 4 - 4:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Erie Community Library

Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)

Second Tuesday

Third Wednesday

November 12, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

November 20, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

Prefects (ages 12-17)

Second Tuesday

November 12, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

Second Wednesday

Erie Community Library

November 13, 4 - 4:45 pm

**\*\*Registration is required**

## Kersey Book Club

Second Wednesday

Platte Valley Fire Station

27128 CR 53, Kersey

November 13, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Painted House*

by John Grisham

## Erie Evening Book Club

Second Thursday

Erie Community Library

**This book club is full.**

## Kersey Teen Book Club

Third Saturday

Kersey Library

November 16, 3 - 4 pm

*Salt to the Sea* by Rita Sepetys

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

Third Tuesday

Farr Regional Library

November 19, 1:30 - 3 pm

*The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Society* by Mary Ann Shaffer

and Annie Barrows

## Choose Your Own Book Club

Third Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

November 19, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Best award winner*

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

Fourth Wednesday

**\*holiday schedule this month**

Farr Regional Library

November 20, 7 - 8:30 pm

## Riverside Readers

Fourth Monday

Riverside Library

November 25, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*Then She Was Gone*

by Lisa Jewell

## Reading the West Book Group

Fourth Tuesday

Centennial Park Library

November 26, 3 - 4 pm

*The Sea of Grass: A Family Tale from the American Heartland*

by Walter Echo-Hawk

## Book Lover's Book Club

Last Tuesday

Carbon Valley Regional Library

November 26, 6 - 7 pm

*Mayflower*

by Nathaniel Philbrick



# recurring programs

## make-it programs

### Open Sewing Sessions (adult & teen)

Second Friday

November 8, 10 am - 1 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Crafternoons (adult)

Meets every 2 weeks

November 12 and 26, 4 - 6 pm  
Farr Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Quilters (ages 16+)

Second Wednesday

November 13, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required

### LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)

Third Wednesday

November 20, 4 - 5 pm  
Riverside Library

### Artmakers (ages 12+)

Third and Fourth Thursdays

November 21, 4 - 6 pm  
Lincoln Park Library

### Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13) (limited to the first 20 children)

Fourth Saturday

November 23, 10 - 11 am  
Erie Community Library

**\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.**

### Camera Club (ages 8-11)

Fourth Monday

November 25, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Lincoln Park Library  
\*registration required

### Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books (ages PreK-Grade 5)

Fourth Wednesday

November 27, 4 - 4:45 pm  
Riverside Library

## music

### Ukulele Strumming Circle (ages 12+)

Third Thursday

November 21, 6 - 7 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Digital Music Lab for Teens

Fourth Tuesday

November 26, 4 - 5 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library  
\*registration is required

## adults

### G.R.E.A.T.: A Kinship Support Group

Second Tuesday

November 12, 12 - 1:30 pm  
Centennial Park Library

### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

November 14, 10 - 11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library

### SBDC Small Business Start-Up Business Seminars

Third Tuesday

November 19, 6 - 7:45 pm  
Erie Community Library  
\*registration required

## gaming programs

### **NEW!** Kersey Board Games Club (all ages)

Saturdays

4 - 5 pm  
Kersey Library

### Erie Chess Club (Grades 3-5)

First and Third Wednesday

November 6 and 20, 4 - 5 pm  
Erie Community Library  
\*registration required

### Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)

First Wednesday

November 6, 4:30 - 6 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Game On! (ages 14+)

Second Sunday

November 10, 1 - 4 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Carbon Valley Chess Club (ages 10-18)

Second Tuesday

November 12, 5 - 6 pm  
Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Juguemos Lotería

Let's Play Loteria

Second Tuesday

12 de noviembre, 5 - 6 pm  
Centennial Park Library

### Active Adults Games and Coffee

Second Thursday

November 14, 10 - 11:30 am  
Farr Regional Library

### JV Game Club (ages 10+\*)

November 23, 1 - 4 pm  
Centennial Park Library  
\*children younger than 10  
welcome with adult supervision

# recurring programs

## adults - English learning classes

### ESL Classes with Aims

Mondays and Wednesdays  
(August 26 - December 11)

1 - 3 pm

Riverside Library

### English Conversations/ Conversaciones en inglés

Thursdays

4 - 5 pm

Riverside Library

### English Hour/Hora de inglés

Mondays

1:30 - 2:30 pm

Lincoln Park Library

Thursdays

5:30 - 6:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

## movies

### Wednesday Night at the Movies

First Wednesday

November 6, 6 - 7:30 pm

Riverside Library

*Toy Story 4*

### Throwback Thursdays at Centennial Park

First and Third Thursday

2 - 4 pm

Nov. 7 - *Planes, Trains and Automobiles*

Nov. 21 - *Nobody's Fool*

### Family Movie Night

First Thursday

November 7, 6 - 7:30 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

*The Wild Life*

## teens

### Young Activists Society (ages 10-18)

First Monday

November 4, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Independence! #Adulthood

First Thursday

November 7, 4 - 5:30 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Second Tuesday

November 12, 4 - 5 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

### Teen Tech Series

Second Thursday

November 14, 4 - 6 pm

Lincoln Park Library

### Teen Advisory Board

Third Tuesday

November 19, 4 - 5 pm

Erie Community Library

## family fun saturdays

### Lincoln Park Library - 2 - 4 pm

First Saturday

Learn how to play the ukulele

Second Saturday

STEAM fun

Third Saturday

Theater Play

Fourth Saturday

Open Mic Karaoke

Fifth Saturday

SURPRISE!

## children

### Beyond the Classroom (Grades 3-5)

Centennial Park Library

Cows & Dairy

November 8, 2 - 3 pm

How to Evaluate a Cookie

November 22, 2 - 3 pm

### Ready, Set, Create! Clean Up Our World (Grades 2-5)

Second Saturday

November 9, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Centennial Park Library

\*registration required

### Riverside STEAM Club: Cows

Second Wednesday

November 13, 4 - 4:45 pm

Riverside Library

### Baby Open Play

Second Thursday

November 14, 2 - 2:45 pm

Erie Community Library

### LEAP into Science: Can You Hear Me Now? (Grades K-2)

Third Wednesday

November 20, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Erie Community Library

\*registration required

# recurring programs

## storytimes

### Yoga Storytime (families)

Tuesdays in October & November

4 - 4:30 pm

Farr Regional Library

### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

First Saturday

November 2, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Farr Regional Library

\*Registration required

### Families N Jammies

First Wednesday

November 6, 6 - 6:30 pm

Erie Community Library

### Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)

Second Tuesday

November 12, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

Carbon Valley Regional Library

\*registration required

### Storytime for the Spectrum

Third Saturday

November 16, 10:30 - 11:30 am

Centennial Park Library

## paws to read

### Riverside Library

Second Wednesday

November 13, 6 - 7 pm

### Carbon Valley Regional Library

Second Wednesday

November 13, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

### Centennial Park Library

Second Monday

\*no session in November\*

### Erie Community Library

Fourth Wednesday

\*no session in November\*



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### **Administration & Support Services**

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

### **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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Lincoln Park Library**

1012 11th Street, 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  
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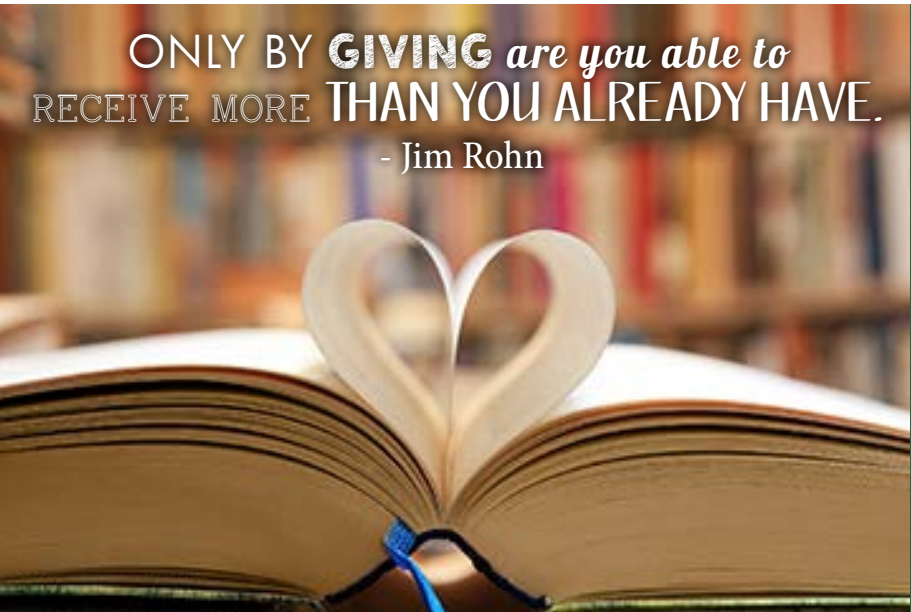
- Briggsdale Library**  
42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611
- Evans Community Complex**  
1100 37th Street, Evans, CO 80620  
(970) 475-1125
- Milliken Public Computer Center**  
1109 Broad Street, Milliken, CO 80543  
(970) 660-5045
- Nunn Town Hall**  
185 Lincoln Avenue, Nunn, CO 80648  
(970) 897-2385

# 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

# BOOK DEPOSITS

- Briggsdale Library**  
42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611
- Hill & Park Senior Center**  
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

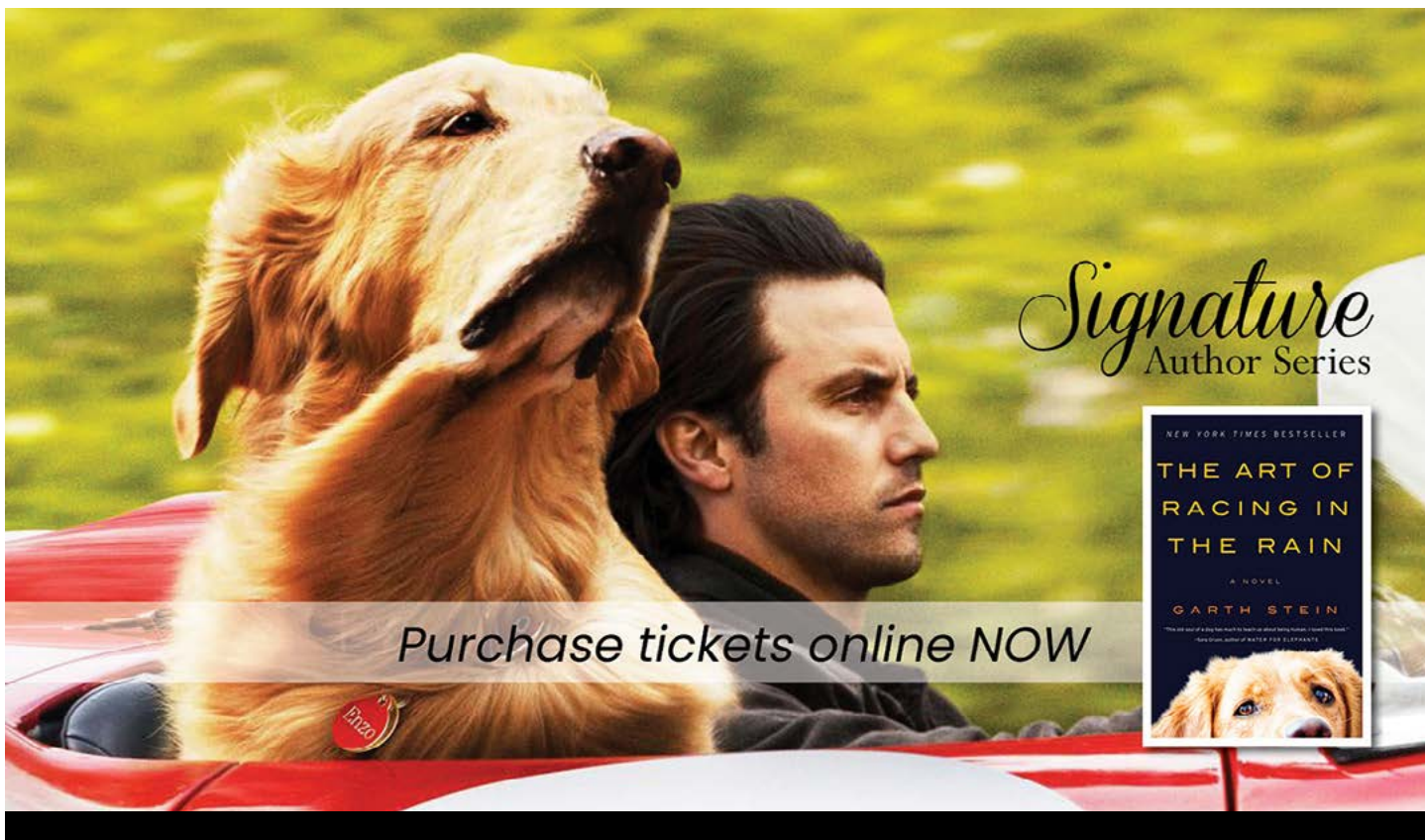


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**Sunday November 10, 2019**

University of Northern Colorado Ballroom, 2101 10th Avenue, Greeley, CO

**Conversation with Garth Stein: 2:00 pm**

**Book Signing: 3:15 pm**

**Ticket Prices**

Conversation with Garth Stein: \$15

Conversation with the Garth Stein & Book Signing: \$25

**[Purchase tickets here.](#)**

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North Range Behavioral Health

Weld County Department of Public Health and Environment

Community Grief Center

North Colorado Health Alliance





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ne Explore Share Games  
Laugh Dream Connect Experience

## A Message from the Executive Director

If you've kept your ear to the ground lately, you may have heard that High Plains Library District purchased the Greeley Tribune building in October! Our goal is to have a section of the building open as a library within the next year. We are so excited to finally establish a robust downtown library and look forward to getting input from the community on how to best serve our patrons in this new location.

### “Where are our lions?”

In travelling around our District over the last year talking to focus groups, this question had stuck with me. The community member posing the question mentioned that the New York Public Library has two lions out front, and they each have names. People in New York know the lions' names. “Where are our lions?” Our community expressed a need for a destination downtown library in Greeley. And that's what we are going to deliver, along with our own version of 'lions' (we will be gathering community input on what our mascots should be).

On a financial note, December 15 will mark the date our Certificates of Participation (COPs) are paid off. HPLD will be debt free – the first time in almost 20 years. This is the library equivalent of paying off mortgages on multiple houses! At the time our mill levy override was approved 20 years ago, our Board of Trustees promised the community that the District would lower our mill levy by \$1,000,000, and now that these COPs will be paid off, the Board is proud to deliver on that promise. In 2020, our mill levy will be reduced from 3.249 to 3.177.

This next year you can expect our HPLD Strategic Plan to continue moving forward and for HPLD to be reaching more and more of our amazing community. We have some exciting new projects coming up this next year – projects that span across the District, from Erie to New Raymer. This next year, we hope to see you in one of our libraries, at our booth at a community event, or maybe you we will come to you with our PopUp Library in your community.

No matter where 2020 takes you, we hope to be there to help every step of the way in any way we can.

Sincerely,  
Dr. Matthew Horts  
Executive Director

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## Support the HPLD Foundation this holiday season

There are numerous ways you can support our community and your library this holiday season. You can give back simply while buying gifts online and stocking up on groceries for a holiday meal or you can join a state-wide day of giving. No matter how you choose to give, you can make a difference in our community. Your gift to the HPLD Foundation ensures that your favorite programs across the District are available to all residents in our community for years to come. Learn more about the many ways to give below.



**Amazon Smile** - Whether using your business account or personal accounts, making purchases through Amazon Smile is an easy way to help your library foundation. You can support your library with a few simple steps:

1. Go to [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com) and log in using your Amazon credentials.
2. After signing in, you will be directed to select your charitable organization.
3. Under the heading "Or pick your own charitable organization" enter "High Plains Library District Foundation" then click "Search".
4. Select "High Plains Library District Foundation".
5. Click "Start Shopping".
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3. Go to "My Account"
4. Click "Enroll in Community Rewards"
5. Search for and add "High Plains Library District Foundation" or enter ID number QX008
6. Use your card every time you shop and we get donations at no cost to you!

**Colorado Gives Day** - Colorado Gives Day is a statewide movement to give where you live. On December 10, Coloradans come together to support their neighbors by donating to their favorite causes. Your gift goes further on Colorado Gives Day through an incentive fund that provides a proportional match to increase your donation. You can schedule your donation to the Foundation at <http://bit.ly/HPLDemp> or check out all of the participating Weld County non-profits at [WeldCoGives.org](http://WeldCoGives.org).

You can also get the whole family involved. Through Colorado Gives Day's "Kids For" campaign, you can buy a donation eCard for a kid for them to give to the charity of their choice. [ColoradoGives.org/KidsFor](http://ColoradoGives.org/KidsFor) has activities about charitable giving and an easy-to-use platform for kids to experience the feeling of giving back.

# programs

**ADULTS | App Cafe**  
December 2, 6:00 - 7:00 pm  
**Centennial Park Library**

Drop-in for help on Word documents Excel spreadsheets, PowerPoint presentations, Publisher posters. Bring your files and your questions and we will teach you how to put the finishing touches on your own work.



**ALL AGES | Mush! Stories from the Iditarod with Karen Land & Noggin**

December 2, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
**Erie Community Library**  
[One registration per family required](#)

Karen Land - writer, public speaker, and three-time participant in the 1,049 mile Iditarod Sled Dog Race across Alaska - and her sled dog, Noggin, will "talk trail." Learn about what it takes to compete in the Iditarod and how much mushers love their dogs. You might even get a chance to meet Noggin!

**CHILDREN | Lincoln Park Singers**  
Tuesdays, Nov. 5 - Dec. 10  
4:30 - 5:15 pm  
**Lincoln Park Library**

Recommended ages 6-10.  
Rehearse with us as we prepare for neighborhood caroling and a final performance for family and friends on December 10.

## Connect2DOT

**ADULTS | SBDC - Connect2DOT:**

**Part One:** December 3

**Part Two:** January 14

6:00 - 7:45 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[One registration signs you up for both events.](#)

Connect2DOT is an innovative program partnership between the Colorado Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Network and the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT), designed to help small businesses become more competitive and successful in bidding and contracting with CDOT and other local governmental agencies. In addition to free unlimited consulting and business training, the East Colorado SBDC Network provides online resources and events tailored to construction contractors and professional design, architecture and engineering firms. If you're just starting your business and want to explore opportunities with CDOT, or if you're an experienced subcontractor looking to grow and expand your business, we have the expertise and resources to help.



**TEENS & ADULTS | Strumming in the Stacks 3**

Tuesdays, Nov. 5 - Dec. 3  
6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

**Ages 14+.** It's time to dust off that 6-string and make music together. Use one of our acoustic guitars, or bring your own instrument. All experience levels welcome.

**ADULTS | Handmade Evening at the Library**

December 4, 6:00 - 8:30 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

**Ages 18+.** Learn how to make a unique fabric gift bag just in time for Christmas. This project will use 2 fat quarter materials of your choice. Pattern will be provided as well as a simple gift idea. *Must be able to use a rotary cutter and ruler to measure and cut fabric accurately, must be able to fuse interfacing to fabric, and must be able to accurately sew 1/4" seams. Some prep work will need to be done before program date.*

**ADULTS | Digitize It!**

December 5, 9:00 - 11:00 am

**Far Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Use our equipment to digitize your old media - convert VHS, cassettes, records and other media to digital. Migrate CDs to audio files, upload to the cloud, or save to a drive. We will teach you to use the equipment and help out with any issues.

# programs



## **TEENS | Our Song: Songwriting to Create Community**

December 5, 4:00 - 6:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

What would you like to write a song about? Bring your personal writing and any instruments you play to help write a song together that is meaningful to you. We will address social issues, bilingual cultural inclusion, LGBTQ inclusion, and political issues - so come ready to tell us what you'd like to write a song about! Join with talented songwriters in the band [2MX2](#) to make lyrics and music together as a group and create a song for your community! Help perform this song for friends and family at the end of the workshop.

## **ALL AGES | An Evening on the Polar Express**

December 6, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Come in your pajamas for a Polar Express family storytime. Snacks will be served as you "ride" the Riverside train and listen to the timeless classic book. Make "Snowman Soup" and other winter crafts. Santa will be visiting so bring your cameras! Limited to 100 people, so please reserve your spot on the Polar Express.

## **TEENS & ADULTS | Erie Coffee Roasters - your morning coffee**

December 7, 10:00 am - noon

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 16+. Come have your morning cuppa at the library! Erie Coffee Roasters will talk about coffee types, how it's brewed, and offer tastes of different roasts.



## **ALL AGES | Santa at the Library**

December 7, 10:30 am - 1:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Join us for photos with Santa, crafts and face painting. *This event is part of the annual Carbon Valley Holiday Festival.*

## **ALL AGES | Centennial Park Library Holiday Extravaganza**

December 7, 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Join us for a full day of music, gift making, and a sharing of holiday traditions. Make your own specialty hot chocolate in a jar, create custom gift wrap and boxes, or read a story to one of our PAWS to Read furry friends, all while you listen to festive music and enjoy a tasty treat. Everyone is welcome. Gift materials and refreshments available while supplies last.

## **CHILDREN | On the Road to Reading Early Literacy Fair: Mother Goose**

December 7, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Lincoln Park Library**

**Ages Birth-PreK.** Read, Write, Sing, Talk and Play with your children! Visit any time with your children and enjoy imagination and musical games, fun crafts, and so much more!

## **ALL AGES | Books and Bears with UNC: Snow Activities**

December 8, 3:00 - 4:00 pm

**Centennial Park Library**

Talk, sing, read, write and play together during this storytime presented by UNC's SPSO (School Psychology Student Organization).

## **ADULTS | Short Film Festival**

December 9, 6:00 - 8:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Each night we will be showing short films that were nominated for Oscars in 2019. This month, we will view the animated short: Animal Behavior; Live Action Short: Detainment; Documentary Short: A Night at the Garden.

## **CHILDREN | Mead Early Literacy Hour**

**Guardian Angels Catholic Church  
109 3rd Street, Mead**

December 10, 9:00 - 10:00 am

Fun storytime for children up to age 6 and their caregivers, parents, and grandparents.

# programs

## CHILDREN | Santa Visit Storytime

December 10, 11:00 am - noon

**Centennial Park Library**

December 13, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Farr Regional Library**

You better watch out, you better not cry. You better not pout, I'm telling you why. Santa Claus is coming to the library! Come for a special storytime holiday craft, and Santa visit. Don't forget your camera!

## CHILDREN | Handmade Holiday

December 10, 4:00 - 5:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

**Grades 3-5.** Let's get into the holiday spirit! Please join us to make some homemade gifts for your friends, family and teachers.

## ADULTS | eBooks 101

**Centennial Park Library**

December 11

10:15 am - 12:15 pm

[Registration required](#)

Learn how to download FREE eBooks and audiobooks from the High Plains Library District! We'll explain how to find, check out, download, and transfer them to any device. For best results, please bring your device with you to class.

## CHILDREN | Kids Crafterschool:

**Diamond Painting**

**Farr Regional Library**

December 11, 3:30 - 4:30 pm

[Registration opens 11/27](#)

**Grades 3-5.** Join us for creative fun making your own masterpiece! Supplies provided.



**December 11, 4:00 - 5:30 pm**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

**Ages 8-18.** Learn to code with Minecraft and Star Wars.

**December 12, 3:30 - 5:30 pm**

**Farr Regional Library**

**All ages.** Minecraft, Light Bot, Code Combat and all of the Hour of Code favorites.

**December 12, 4:00 - 5:00 pm**

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

**Grades 2-5.** Harry Potter: Learn to Code and Make Magic.

**December 12, 4:00 - 6:00 pm**

**Lincoln Park Library**

**All ages.** Hour of Code on the Mondo Pad.

**December 12, 4:00 - 6:00 pm**

**Riverside Library**

[Registration required](#)

**All ages.** Come codeaborate with us!

**December 14**

**10:15 am - 12:15 pm**

**Centennial Park Library**

[Registration required](#)

**All ages.** SCRATCH that coding itch! Learn to code a simple computer game that will teach the fundamentals of coding using the SCRATCH programming language.

## ADULT | Homemade Holiday

December 12, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

[Registration opens 11/20](#)

**Ages 18+.** Join us to make several homemade gifts for you to take home and give someone special.

## ADULTS | Weather the Storm with Stories

December 12, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

Let there be a cloudburst of tales with images that keep our minds warm and energized. Let there be story. Kathy Santopietro, professional storyteller, will engage us with memorable characters, classic plots and a gale of emotions soaked in snow, wind and rain. Stories are accompanied by some classic poetry and even a visit from a meteorologist.



## ALL AGES | Winter Wonderland Workshop

**Erie Community Library**

December 15

1:00 - 2:00 pm

[One registration per family](#)

2:30 - 3:30 pm

[One registration per family](#)

Please join us to create your very own family Winter Wonderland! Each family will work together to engineer a shared Winter Wonderland scene.



# programs

## ADULTS | Canvas & Cocoa

December 15, 2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

[Registration required](#)

Ages 18+. Come in from the cold and enjoy some warm cocoa while having fun painting a wintry scene to take home. No experience necessary; all supplies provided. Taught by Independent Gallery on the Go guide Stacie Markham.

## CHILDREN | Nature's Educators present Colorado Natives

December 16, 4:00 - 5:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 11/18](#)

Ages 5-11. Colorado is a special place that has its own pride and identity. From the high forests of the Rocky Mountains to the open expanses of the Great Plains - it's our beautiful home that we share with amazing wildlife. In this program, learn what makes Colorado's habitats such a great place for some of our feathered, scaly, and slimy neighbors. Also, meet animal ambassadors that are true Colorado natives!

## book a librarian appointment

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## TEENS | Stranger Crafts

December 16, 5:30 - 7:00 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Grades 6-12. Are you a fan of the Netflix show *Stranger Things*? Join us for an evening of crafting. Make a perler bead keychain of your favorite character while you snack on Eggos and talk about the show with fellow fans.



## ADULTS | Watercolor Workshop

December 17, 5:30 - 7:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration required](#)

Create a watercolor painting with step-by-step instructions. Taught by local artist Kristi Arzola. No experience necessary; all supplies provided.

## ADULTS | Tech Cafe

December 19, 11:00 am - noon

**Centennial Park Library**

Need help learning to use a computer? Not sure how to use your new device? Need help with the internet or your email? Ask us! Drop-in for one-on-one technology assistance.

## Adult Beginner Meditation Class

December 19, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

**Erie Community Library**

[Registration opens 11/18](#)

Join us to experience a lively and entertaining introduction to meditation. Experienced meditator Chuck Langdon will teach simple tools to help you begin a regular meditation practice on your own. *Chuck is currently in the two-year Mindfulness Meditation Teacher Certification program.*

## ADULTS | Candle Craft

December 19, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

**Platte Valley Fire Station**

**27128 CR 53, Kersey**

Ages 18+. Create containers for candles; all supplies provided.

## ALL AGES | Jingle All the Way with Soundtrap Music Mixer

**Lincoln Park Library**

December 20, 2:00 - 3:30 pm

Jingle all the Way to your own version of the classic tune. Build a unique song by recording tracks and using Soundtrap technology to stack the tracks to create your personalized song.

## CHILDREN & TEENS | School's Out, Library's In: Pine Cone Elves

December 23, 2:00 - 3:00 pm

**Riverside Library**

Grades K-12. Drop-in and make a fun holiday elf using pine cones, chenille stems, and a few magical supplies!

## programs



### **ALL AGES | Noon Year's Celebration 2019**

December 31, Noon - 1:00 pm  
[Erie Community Library](#)

It's too hard to stay up until midnight! Families are invited to celebrate the end of 2019 at noon instead of midnight. Peter Davison will perform his show *Fun Things* featuring juggling, dancing, comedy, and audience participation. Let's bring in 2020 with some fun! Space is limited so come early to get a good spot. This program is provided by the Think 360 Arts, a local non-profit organization.



### **ALL AGES | Ann Lincoln Noon Year's Eve Celebration**

December 31, Noon - 12:50 pm  
[Lincoln Park Library](#)

Celebrate New Year's Eve with Ann Lincoln. She will help us usher in 2020 with smiles and laughs on the faces of audience members with her comedy, magic and juggling.

# book clubs for all ages

## Non Fiction Book Club

**First Monday**

**Farr Regional Library**

December 2, 1 - 2 pm

*The Pioneers: The heroic story of the settlers who brought the American ideal west*

by David McCullough

## American Girl Club (ages 8-11)

**First Tuesday**

**Erie Community Library**

December 3, 4 - 5 pm

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*\*Registration is required*

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

**First and Third Tuesday**

December 3 and 17

4:30 - 5:30 pm

**Prefects (ages 12-17)**

**First and Third Tuesday**

December 3 and 17

6:30 - 7:30 pm

## Reading Team! (Grades 3-5)

**Second Monday**

**Erie Community Library**

December 9, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*Registration is required*

## Riverside Readers

**Fourth Monday**

**\*holiday schedule**

**Riverside Library**

December 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

*Short stories and cookies*

## Harry Potter Book Clubs at

**Erie Community Library**

**Junior Prefects (ages 8-11)**

**Second Tuesday**

**Third Wednesday**

December 10, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

December 18, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

**Prefects (ages 12-17)**

**Second Tuesday**

December 10, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

*\*\*Registration is required*

## Middle School Book Club (Grades 6-8)

**Second Wednesday**

**Erie Community Library**

December 11, 4 - 4:45 pm

*\*Registration is required*

## Kersey Book Club

**Second Wednesday**

**Platte Valley Fire Station**

**27128 CR 53, Kersey**

December 11, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Uncommon Type: Some Stories*

by Tom Hanks

## Be the Change Book Club and facilitated discussion

**Date and library varies**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

December 11, 6 - 7:30 pm

*No Visible Bruises: What We*

*Don't Know About Domestic*

*Violence* by Rachel Louise Snyder.

Facilitated Discussion led by representatives of the Safe Shelter of St. Vrain.

*\*Registration is required*

## Erie Evening Book Club

**Second Thursday**

**Erie Community Library**

*This book club is full.*

## Farr Afternoon Book Club

**Third Tuesday**

**Farr Regional Library**

December 17, 1:30 - 3 pm

*Holiday book exchange*

## Book Lover's Book Club

**Last Tuesday**

**\*holiday schedule**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

December 17, 6 - 7 pm

*Mr. Dickens and His Carol*

by Samantha Silva

## Choose Your Own Book Club

**Third Tuesday**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

December 17, 6 - 7:30 pm

*Winter*

## Kersey Teen Book Club

**Third Saturday**

**Kersey Library**

December 21, 3 - 4 pm

*The Poet X* by Elizabeth Acevedo

## Muse: A Poetry Circle

**Fourth Wednesday**

**Farr Regional Library**

**No session in December**



# recurring programs

## make-it programs

**Crafternoons (adult)**  
**Meets every 2 weeks**  
**Farr Regional Library**  
December 10, 4 - 6 pm  
\*registration is required

**Carbon Valley Quilters (ages 16+)**  
**Second Wednesday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 11, 1 - 4 pm  
\*registration is required

**Open Sewing Sessions (adult & teen)**  
**Second Friday**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
December 13, 10 am - 1 pm

**LEGO Club (Grades 1-12)**  
**Third Wednesday**  
**Riverside Library**  
December 18, 4 - 5 pm

**Artmakers (ages 12+)**  
**Third and Fourth Thursdays**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
December 19 and 26, 4 - 6 pm

**Erie LEGO Club (ages 6-13)**  
**(limited to the first 20 children)**  
**Fourth Saturday**  
**Erie Community Library**  
December 21, 10 - 11 am  
*\*\*Parents of children younger than 12 MUST remain in the library.*

**Camera Club (ages 8-11)**  
**Fourth Monday**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
December 23, 4 - 4:45 pm  
\*registration required

**Kids Create: Art Inspired by Books (ages PreK-Grade 5)**  
**Fourth Wednesday**  
**Riverside Library**  
No session in December

## music

**Digital Music Lab for Teens**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
**Fourth Tuesday**  
No session in December  
\*registration is required

## adults

**Free VIRTUAL Legal Self-Help Clinic**  
**Second Monday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 9, 3:30 - 5 pm  
\*First come, first served

**Active Adults Games and Coffee**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Farr Regional Library**  
December 12, 10 - 11:30 am

**G.R.E.A.T.: A Kinship Support Group**  
**Second Thursday**  
Centennial Park Library  
December 12, 12 - 1 pm

**Kevin Cook presents Twelve Dozen Things About Colorado**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Farr Regional Library**  
December 12, 12 - 1:30 pm  
*200 Years in an Hour*

## gaming programs

**Kersey Board Games Club (all ages)**  
**Saturdays**  
**Kersey Library**  
4 - 5 pm

**Erie Chess Club (Grades 3-5)**  
**First and Third Wednesday**  
**Erie Community Library**  
No December sessions  
\*registration required

**Battle Card Club (Children & Teens)**  
**First Wednesday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 4, 4:30 - 6 pm

**Game On! (ages 14+)**  
**Second Sunday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 8, 1 - 4 pm

**Carbon Valley Chess Club (ages 10-18)**  
**Second Tuesday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 10, 5 - 6 pm  
\*registration required

**Juguemos Lotería**  
**Let's Play Loteria**  
**Second Tuesday**  
**Centennial Park Library**  
10 de diciembre, 5 - 6 pm

**Active Adults Games and Coffee**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Farr Regional Library**  
December 12, 10 - 11:30 am

**JV Game Club (ages 10+\*)**  
**Centennial Park Library**  
December 28, 1 - 4 pm  
*\*children younger than 10 welcome with adult supervision*



# recurring programs

## adults - English learning classes

**ESL Classes with Aims**  
**Mondays and Wednesdays**  
**(August 26 - December 11)**  
**Riverside Library**  
1 - 3 pm

**English Hour/Hora de inglés**  
**Mondays**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
1:30 - 2:30 pm

**Thursdays**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
5:30 - 6:30 pm

## movies

**Wednesday Night at the Movies**  
**First Wednesday**  
**Riverside Library**  
December 4, 6 - 7:30 pm  
*The Grinch*

**Throwback Thursdays**  
**at Centennial Park**  
**First and Third Thursday**  
2 - 4 pm  
Dec. 5 - *Holiday Inn (1942)*  
Dec. 19 - *Remember the Night (1940)*

**Family Movie Night**  
**First Thursday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 5, 6 - 8 pm  
*Toy Story 4*

## teens

**Independence! #Adulthood**  
**First Thursday**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
No December session

**Teen Advisory Board**  
**Second Tuesday**  
**Carbon Valley Regional Library**  
December 10, 4 - 5 pm

**Teen Tech Series**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Lincoln Park Library**  
December 12, 4 - 6 pm

**Teen Advisory Board**  
**Third Tuesday**  
**Erie Community Library**  
December 17, 4 - 5 pm

## family fun saturdays

**Lincoln Park Library - 2 - 4 pm**  
**First Saturday**  
Learn how to play the ukulele

**Second Saturday**  
STEAM fun

**Third Saturday**  
Theater Play

**Fourth Saturday**  
Open Mic Karaoke

**Fifth Saturday**  
SURPRISE!

## children

**Riverside STEAM Club: Recycling**  
**Second Wednesday**  
**Riverside Library**  
December 11, 4 - 4:45 pm

**Baby Open Play**  
**Second Thursday**  
**Erie Community Library**  
December 11, 2 - 2:45 pm

**Beyond the Classroom**  
**(Grades 3-5)**  
**Centennial Park Library**  
**Recycling**  
December 13, 2 - 3 pm

**Ready, Set, Create! Power From Nature (Grades 2-5)**  
**Second Saturday**  
**Centennial Park Library**  
December 14, 2 - 3 pm  
\*registration required

# recurring programs

## storytimes

### Yoga Storytime (families)

**First Tuesday**

**Farr Regional Library**

No December session

### Families N Jammies

**First Wednesday**

**Erie Community Library**

December 4, 6 - 6:30 pm

### Sensory Storytime for Children with Special Needs

**First Saturday**

**Farr Regional Library**

December 7, 10:30 - 11:30 am

*\*Registration required*

### Wiggle Worms: Yoga Storytime (Ages 3-6)

**Second Tuesday**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

December 10, 6:30 - 7:15 pm

*\*registration required*

### Bilingual Storytime

**Third Thursday**

**Carbon Valley Regional Library**

December 19, 6:30 - 7 pm

### Storytime for the Spectrum

**Third Saturday**

**Centennial Park Library**

December 21, 10:30 - 11:30 am

## paws to read

### Centennial Park Library

**Second Monday**

December 9, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

### Riverside Library

**Second Wednesday**

December 11, 6 - 7 pm

### Carbon Valley Regional Library

**Second Wednesday**

December 11, 6:30 - 7:45 pm

### Erie Community Library

**Fourth Wednesday**

No December session

*Our next regular storytime session:*





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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  
1-888-861-READ(7323)

### **Lincoln Park Library**

1012 11th Street, Greeley, CO 80631  
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703 Birch Street, Gilcrest, CO 80623  
(970) 737-1035

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### **Outreach**

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### **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

### **Briggsdale Library**

42089 WCR 70  
Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Evans Community Complex**

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

### **Milliken Public Computer Center**

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

### **Nunn Town Hall**

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

## BOOK DEPOSITS

### **Briggsdale Library**

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Briggsdale, CO 80611

### **Pierce Senior Center**

321 Main  
Pierce, CO 80650

### **Hill & Park Senior Center**

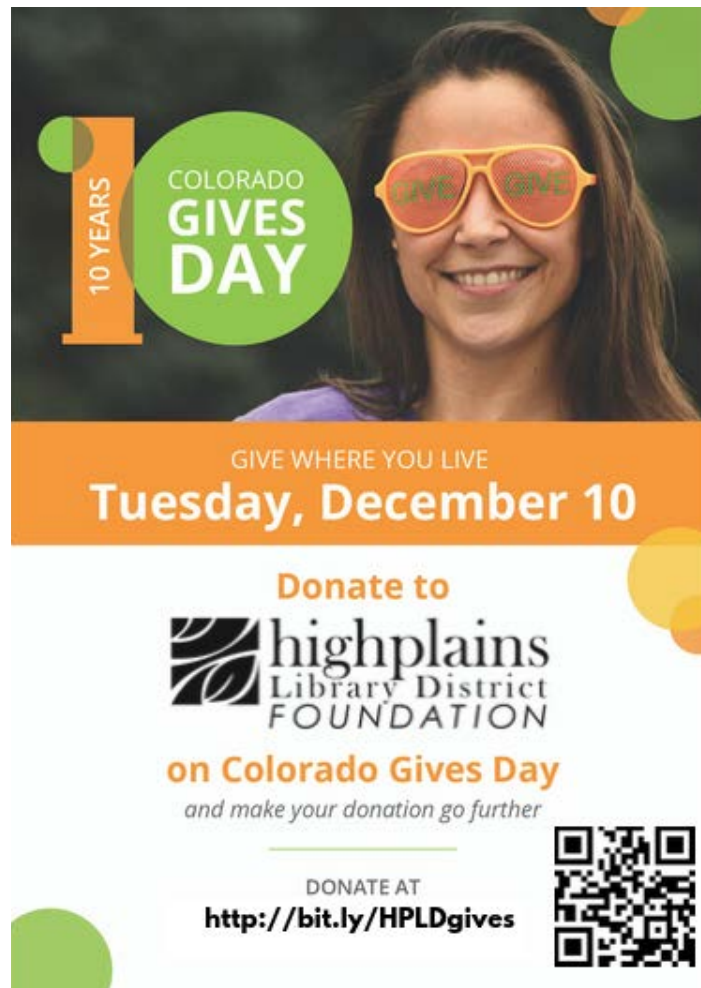
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