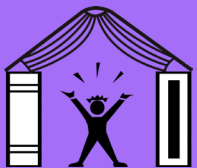
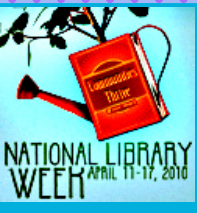


# APRIL 2010

# Carbon County Reader

engage, enrich, and empower

Join the Carbon County Library System as we celebrate National Library Week, April 11 - 17, and our importance to the many communities we serve in Carbon County! Stop by the library and learn what we can do for you.

### *The Thrive Five Contest*

As part of our National Library Week celebration we are asking customers of all ages to name things found at the library that help their communities thrive. What does that mean? Tell us about anything at your library that you cannot live without and you will be entered to win a book gift certificate! Stop by your local library for more details and a submission form! Submissions are due at your library Saturday, April 17.

### *Teen Room Grand Opening*

In celebration of National Library Week, the Carbon County Main Library will be holding a Grand Opening of our new Teen Room! We will be demonstrating our new Wii equipment, serving refreshments, and answering questions. Stop by for all the fun, and to be entered for door prizes

Tuesday, April 13  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm



### *Crime Victims' Rights: Fairness. Dignity. Respect.*

In honor of National Crime Victims' Rights Week the Sheriff's Department will have an exhibit in the Rawlins Library April 18-24 during regular hours.

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## Interlude Concerts



Judy Tigner, clarinet;  
Charles Junkin, cello;  
and Della Smith, flute.

Thursday, April 15  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Rawlins

Thursday, April 22  
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm  
Hanna

Get your taxes in and then head for the library for a well earned relaxing evening of chamber music performed by Carbon County's own chamber trio - Interlude!

## Free Tax Preparation

Get your taxes filed FREE by trained tax volunteers @ your library.

**Rawlins Main Library**  
**Tuesday, April 6 or Sunday, April 11**

See back page for more details.

### *Please Pardon Our Mess*

Things are happening at the Rawlins library. Library staff are working hard to make the Rawlins library even better! Although we are trying to reduce the inconvenience to customers, there may be some services that will not be available as the remodeling takes place.

The main library will close on Wednesday, April 7 and may remain closed at least 2 days while we install new carpet. Customers are encouraged to call on Friday and Saturday to check to see if the library is open.

Customers can still call, return books, use wi-fi outside, email (from the website), or visit one of the Library System's 7 other branches. In addition, the Carbon County Higher Education Center on Rodeo Street has a computer lab available for the public when not in use for classes.

Visit us at 328-2618 or online at carbonlibraries.org

**@ the Branches****Encampment/Riverside****Knitting Group**

Adults  
Mondays  
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Bring your own knitting projects, patterns and ideas to share with fellow knitters.

**Beading Group**

Adults  
Wednesdays  
4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Bring your own beading project to work on or work on Christmas Stars while enjoying the company of other beaders.

**Book Discussion Group**

Adults  
Monday, April 19  
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

This month we will be discussing "Lord Jim" by Joseph Conrad.

**Student Art Show**

All Ages  
April 26 - May 5  
During Regular Hours

Stop by the library and peruse the talent of our local students.

**Medicine Bow****Women's Self Defense Class**

Women of All Ages  
Tuesday, April 27  
7:00 pm

County Deputy, Louis Braun will be teaching women, young and old, how to protect themselves. For more information call the Sheriff's Department at 307-324-2776.

**Little Snake River****Dixon Senior Care Visit**

Adults  
Wednesday, April 7  
11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Book Swap and visiting at the Dixon Senior Center.

**Friends of the Library Meeting**

Adults  
Thursday, April 8  
12:00 noon

The LSRV Friends of the Library will be having a potluck lunch followed by a business meeting.

**Book Discussion Group**

Adults  
Friday, April 30  
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

This month we will be discussing "The Mistress Of The Art Of Death" by Ariana Franklin.

**Saratoga****Fear Factor:****Zombie Nite Cafe**

Teens (11-18)  
Thursday, April 8  
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Fear Factor has been overrun by brain-guzzling zombies! Are you brave enough to enter their den and compete for the ultimate prize?

**Parental consent is required.**

**Consent forms can be picked up at the Saratoga library.**

**Pronghorn Passage**

Adults  
Thursday, April 22  
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Emilene Ostlind and Joe Riis will tell their story of walking the 150 mile migration corridor of the pronghorn antelope. This multimedia presentation is brought to you through the Wyoming Humanities Council.

**Saratoga Friends of the Library Book Sale**

All Ages  
April 24 - April 30  
10:00 am - 4:00 pm Sat and Sun  
During Regular Hours Mon - Fri

Books, Books, Books, plus a lot more! Donations taken for all book sale items. This book sale is made possible by the Saratoga FOL.

**Story Times @ the Branches**

Call for more details

Elk Mountain ----- Tue @ 3:30 pm  
307-348-7421

Encampment ----- Wed @ 4:00 pm  
307-327-5775

Hanna ----- Wed @ 3:00 pm  
307-325-9357

LSRV ----- Tue @ 10:00 am  
307-383-7323

Medicine Bow ----- Thu @ 2:00 pm  
307-379-2888

Saratoga ----- Wed @ 11:15 am  
307-326-8209

Sinclair ----- Thu @ 3:30 pm  
307-324-6231

## @ Rawlins

## Adults and Families

**Teenage Wasteland: Graphic Novel Discussion Group 2010**

Adults (18+)

Thursdays, April 8, 22

5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

The Graphic Novel Discussion Group is back!

**Teenage Wasteland** will feature four books that explore the teenage condition in four different comic sub-genres in an effort to examine teenage life in American pop culture.

April 22 - We will be discussing both:

*Hopeless Savages: Ground Zero* by Jen Van Meter

&

*Black Hole* by Charles Burns

**Registration Required**

Call 307-328-2689

**Technology SOS**

Come for our free individualized help sessions where you ask the questions and we provide the answers. Problems with MS Word? Confused by your digital camera? We're here to help.

Call to schedule an appointment or to register for one of our sessions.

Wednesday, April 7

8:00 am

Wednesday, April 28

6:00 pm

**Registration Required.**

Call 307-328-2689

**Book Discussion Group**

Adults

Saturday, April 17

10:00 am - 12:00 noon

This month we will be discussing "The Heart Is A Lonely Hunter" by Carson McCullers and eating a potluck brunch.

Call 307-328-2689 to obtain a copy of the book.

## Kids Programs

**Spring Flings and Easter Things**

(0 - 6 year olds and caregivers)

Fridays @ 10:30 am



Spring is in the air. Join us for a story and a craft to help warm our hearts as the weather warms us. Do not let Spring Fever get you. . . go out and get it!

*There will be no story time on April 9 and 23.*

**Spring is Nature's Way of Saying: "Let's Party"**

(6 - 12 year olds)

Wednesdays @ 2:00 pm

Get your groove on and head to the library! We will make amazing Spring Time crafts. Come get in on the fun and let the celebration begin!

*There will be no story time on April 7 and 21.*

**Wednesday Movie Day**

(6 - 12 year olds)

Wednesday, April 28

We will watch *Charlotte's Web*.  
(113 minutes; rated G)

**Eggs, Chicks, and Bunnies. Oh, My!**

Kids 0-12

Friday, April 2

1:00 pm



Get ready for the Easter Bunny with some awesome Easter crafts and activities.



School is out, so why not come down to the library for some fun?



**Teen Programs**  
(11 - 18 year olds)

**NIGHT OF THE LIVING DEAD**

Teens (Middle School)

Saturday, April 17

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Watch the movie that started it all: *Night of the Living Dead*. We will be chowing down and studying survival techniques! Be There!

96 minutes; not rated (1968 version)



*Coming in May*

- Free Comic Book Day May 1, 2010
- Dick Derue will be speaking in Encampment

# Locations & Hours

## Free Tax Preparation

Sponsored by the Albany County Public Library Foundation, Tax Help Wyoming, First Interstate Bank, and the IRS

### Rawlins Main Library

215 W. Buffalo St.

Sunday:

April 11

Noon - 4:00 pm

Tuesday:

April 6

4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Get your taxes filed FREE by trained tax volunteers @ your library. Your household income must be \$50,000 or less. First come, first served.

Returns are private and confidential, most can be e-filed for a quick refund, usually within five days. Bring W-2 forms, social security numbers/dates of birth for all household members, other relevant tax forms including 1099s and 1098s, and if possible, a copy of 2008 tax return.

For more details, call 328-2686 or 307-721-2580 ext. 5428.

### Rawlins Library

215 W. Buffalo St.

Rawlins, WY 82301

307-328-2618

800-343-0953

Hours: Mon 10:00 am-8:00 pm  
 Tue 10:00 am-8:00 pm  
 Wed 10:00 am-6:00 pm  
 Thu 10:00 am-8:00 pm  
 Fri 10:00 am-5:00 pm  
 Sat 10:00 am-3:00 pm

### Little Snake River Branch

105 2<sup>nd</sup> St.

Baggs, WY 82321

307-383-7323

Hours: Mon closed  
 Tue 9:00 am-12:00 noon  
 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
 Wed 9:00 am-11:00 am  
 Thu 9:00 am-12:00 noon  
 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
 Fri 9:00 am-11:00 am

### Elk Mountain Branch

105 Bridge St.

Elk Mountain, WY 82324

307-348-7421

Hours: Tue 9:00 am-11:00 am  
 2:30 pm-6:30 pm  
 Thu 2:30 pm-6:30 pm

### Medicine Bow Branch

314 Sage St

Medicine Bow, WY 82329

307-379-2888

Hours: Tue 9:30 am-12:00 noon  
 Thu 9:30 am-12:00 noon  
 1:00 pm-6:00 pm

### Encampment/Riverside Branch

202 Rankin St.

Encampment, WY 82325

307-327-5775

Hours: Mon 11:00 am-4:00 pm  
 Tue 11:00 am-4:00 pm  
 Wed 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
 Thu 11:00 am-4:00 pm

### Saratoga Branch

503 W. Elm St.

Saratoga, WY 82331

307-326-8209

Hours: Mon 11:00 am-7:00 pm  
 Tue 11:00 am-7:00 pm  
 Wed 11:00 am-7:00 pm  
 Thu 11:00 am-7:00 pm  
 Fri 11:00 am-3:00 pm

### Hanna Branch

303 3<sup>rd</sup> St.

Hanna, WY 82327

307-325-9357

Hours: Mon 2:30 pm-6:30 pm  
 Wed 12:00 noon-4:00 pm  
 Fri 9:30 am-11:30 am

### Sinclair Branch

7<sup>th</sup> & Lincoln

Sinclair, WY 82334

307-324-6231

Hours: Tue 1:00 pm-5:00 pm  
 Thu 1:00 pm-5:00 pm  
 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

## Library Leaders

- Library Board Chair - - - - - Larry Moore
- Library Board Vice Chair - - - - - Christine Throgmorton
- Library Board Treasurer - - - - - Patti Hays
- Library Secretary - - - - - Sherril Bailey
- Library Board Member - - - - - Julie Evans
- Library Foundation President - - - - - Louise Farr
- Encampment/Riverside Friends of the Library President - - - Alan Braga
- Little Snake River Friends of the Library President - - - - - June Graff
- Saratoga Friends of the Library President - - - - - Dave Gloss
- Library Director - - - - - Kristin E. Herr

The Library Board meets on the third Tuesday of every month at 9:30 am in the Bess Sheller Room. The Foundation meets on the second Tuesday of every month at 12 noon; call for location. The public is invited to all meetings.

