



# FEBRUARY 2012

## Decoding Your New e-Reader

Rawlins Library  
All Ages

Did you get a new Kindle for Christmas? Nook? Ipad? We are here to help you figure out all the bells and whistles on your new e-Reader.

**Call 328-2621 to make an appointment today!**

### Free Tax Preparation @ the Library.

Want FREE help preparing your taxes? See insert for more details!

**Library Closure**  
All library locations will be closed:

**Monday, February 20 for President's Day.**

The library catalog and databases will still be available online at [carbonlibraries.org](http://carbonlibraries.org)

## Book Sale

Rawlins Library  
February 25 - March 3  
During Regular Hours

*All prices are by donation.*

It's time to find a good read!  
The Rawlins Library is hosting a book sale to raise funds for the Carbon County Library Foundation.

## WINTER READING PROGRAM

All Locations  
February 27 - March 30

### Read 'Em and Rate 'Em

Teens (Ages 11-18)

Teens, you can win a cool prize this by reviewing a book you've read this winter! This isn't a typical book review, though! Rate the cover design, tell us if you'd be BFFs with the main character, and more!

Pick up a review sheet at your library. Your review will be posted on the Teen Zone blog.

### Wanted: Readers

Kids (Ages 0 -12)

Howdy Partner! Looking for a boot-stompin' good time? Then stop by the library and check out our Winter Reading Program.

Round up and read 10 books (or 300 pages), fill out your reading log, and turn it in at your library for a prize that is sure to get you jumpin'!

# Programs @ Your Library

## Baggs

### Dixon Senior Care Visit

Adults  
Wednesday, February 1  
11:45 am - 12:45 pm

Book swap at the Dixon Senior Center.

### Happy Birthday!

All Ages  
Thursday, February 9  
12:00 noon



It's the Baggs Library's 25th Birthday! Come celebrate a great quarter century with food, books, and a special guest speaker, John Waggenter, from the American Heritage Center. Mr. Waggenter will be talking about the history of the I-80 route between Laramie and Rawlins.

## Encampment/Riverside

### Knitting Group

Adults  
Mondays  
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Bring your knitting projects, patterns, and ideas to share with the group.

### Yummm! Hot Cocoa!

Families  
Thursday, February 9  
7:00 pm

Come make some hot cocoa mixes to drink or to give away to friends. We will make several different recipes of hot cocoa including hot chocolate pops!

**Registration is appreciated. Please call 307-327-5775.**

### Book Discussion Group

Adults  
Monday, February 27  
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

We will be reading and discussing *Peace Like a River* by Leif Eiger this month.

## Hanna

### Family Game Night

All Ages  
Monday, February 6  
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Join us at the Hanna Library for an evening of fun and games. We will provide refreshments.



## Story Times @ Your Library



Call for more details

Baggs

Tuesdays @ 10:00 am  
307-383-7323

Elk Mountain

Tuesdays @ 3:30 pm  
307-348-7421

Encampment/Riverside  
Wednesdays @ 4:00 pm  
307-327-5775

Hanna

Wednesdays @ 3:00 pm  
307-325-9357

Medicine Bow

Thursdays @ 2:00 pm  
307-379-2888

Saratoga

Wednesdays @ 11:15 am  
307-326-8209

Sinclair

Thursdays @ 3:30 pm  
307-324-6231

## Medicine Bow

### Icons: Book Discussion Group

Adults  
Wednesday, February 1  
10:00 am - 11:30 am

Starting in February, Medicine Bow Library will host "Icons", a reading and discussion series featuring biographies of American cultural icons.

Lead by Robyn Lopez, participants will be reading:

*Cash* by Johnny Cash

*Jane Fonda's War* by Mary Hershberger

*Eleanor Roosevelt: Volume 1, 1884-1933* by Blanche Wiesen Cook

*A Movable Feast* by Ernest Hemingway

**For copies of each book please contact Bonnie at 307-379-2888.**

The program is offered by the Wyoming Humanities Council and is sponsored by the *We the People* initiative of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

## Saratoga

### A Pictorial History of the A-Cross Ranch

All Ages  
Thursday, February 9  
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Dick Perue, a local historian, will be giving a presentation entitled "A Pictorial History of the A-Cross Sanger-Jenkins Ranch".



All library programs are funded by:



# Programs @ the Rawlins Library

## Adult Programs

### 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.

Registration Required.

Call 307-328-2621

### Writing Group

Ages 16+

Wednesday, February 8

5:15 pm

Come talk to other local writers about the writing process, share your work, and improve your writing skills.

### Book Discussion Group

Adults

Saturday, February 18

10:00 am - 12:00 noon

We will be reading and discussing *Outliers: The Story of Success* by Malcolm Gladwell.

The potluck brunch starts at 10:00 am and the discussion starts at 10:30 am.

Call 307-328-2621 to obtain a copy of the book.

### Punking the Bard: Shakespeare in Modern Film

Adults

Wednesdays, February 1 - 15

6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Come watch Shakespeare's timeless stories get turned on their heads in settings that are at once both familiar and bizarre with our 4th annual winter film series. This event is free and open to the public

February 1: 10 Things I Hate About You (97 mins; PG-13)

February 8: My Own Private Idaho (104 mins; R)

February 15: The Tempest (110 mins; PG-13)

Please use the East Entrance of the Carbon Building when attending this program.

## Kids Programs

### Gone to the Birds

Kids, Ages 0-5  
with Caregivers  
Fridays @ 10:30 am

February has gone to the birds! We will be soaring in the clouds at story time this month with fun crafts, activities, and stories.

### Homes for the Birds

Kids, Ages 6 - 12  
Friday, February 10  
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Let your imagination soar high as you decorate a warm home for your favorite birds.

### Pass the Popcorn: Friday Movie Matinee

Kids ages 0 - 12  
Friday, February 24  
2:30 pm

Dolphin Tale

**PG** PARENTAL GUIDANCE SUGGESTED  
SOME MATERIAL MAY NOT BE SUITABLE FOR CHILDREN

(119 mins)



## Teen Programs (11 - 18 year olds)

### Teen Cribbage League Random Reads

Thursday, February 2  
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm

Come join the Teen Cribbage League. Newbies and cribbage experts are welcome. Come hang out with your friends, have some snacks, and play cribbage!

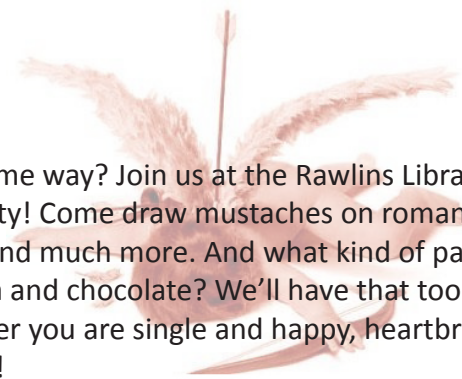
Saturday, February 11  
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Come join us for "Random Reads" our new teen book club! In February we'll be discussing *My Fair Godmother* by Janette Rallison. Join us to discuss this month's book and other books you are reading. New members are always welcome!

### Cupid is Stupid

Friday, February 10  
6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Cupid is stupid! Feel the same way? Join us at the Rawlins Library for an Anti-Valentine's Day party! Come draw mustaches on romance novels, take aim at cupid, and much more. And what kind of party would this be without pizza and chocolate? We'll have that too! It'll be a great time, whether you are single and happy, heartbroken and bitter, or madly in love!



**freefile @**

# Your Library!

Rawlins Library  
February 1 - April 15

**Do you want to file your taxes FREE online this year?**

**Need a computer?**

**Head to the Rawlins Library!**

The Rawlins Library is an official IRS FreeFile Tax Site this year.

We have nine computers and an available volunteer ready to help you get your taxes done fast, right, and online.

## freefile Hours:

Mondays: 10am - 6pm  
Tuesdays: 10am - 8pm  
Wednesdays: 10am - 6pm  
Thursdays: 10am - 6pm  
Fridays: 10am - 5pm

**Questions? Call Katie @ 307-328-2621**



### Wellness Challenge Midway Luncheon

Rawlins Recreation Center  
Thursday, February 23  
12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

# Locations & Hours

### Baggs Library

105 2<sup>nd</sup> St.  
Baggs, WY 82321  
307-383-7323  
Hours: Mon 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
Tue 9:00 am-2:00 pm  
Wed 1:00 pm-6:00 pm  
Thu 9:00 am-2:00 pm

### Elk Mountain Library

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

### Encampment/Riverside Library

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

### Hanna Library

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

### Medicine Bow Library

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

### 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

### Saratoga Library

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

### Sinclair Library

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* - - - - - Julie Evans  
*Library Board Member* - - - - - Sherril Bailey  
*Library Foundation President* - - - - - Louise Farr  
*Encampment/Riverside Friends of the Library President* - - - - - Mary Lou Noton  
*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 at the Rawlins Library. The Foundation meets on the second Tuesday of every month at 11:45 am at the Rawlins Senior Center. The public is invited to all meetings.