Book Van Joins Library Outreach “Fleet”

by Paul Paladino, Director

Through the generosity of an anonymous local donor, the Montrose Regional Library District will receive a new tool this fall to promote literacy in the community. A Book Van is being outfitted by Summit Body Works of Fort Lupton and should take to the streets of Montrose and Olathe in October. The 19 foot Sprinter Van will be able to visit locations that the current 32 foot bookmobile cannot. Staff is very excited about the 13 locations they will be able to serve each month.

Staff from the Book Van will go to locations around the community and take carts full of books into facilities in what is known as a mobile library stall. Arriving at a location, the van will sit for a few moments while staff cars full of books are unloaded. The carts are then loaded with specific items depending on what stops it will visit each day. Carts will be loaded on and off the van using a lift, similar to a handicap chair lift, located inside the rear doors of the van. The van is capable of seating three people with the driver’s seat, passenger seat, and a jump seat.

Books and other items will be checked out using a laptop computer and either Wi-Fi from the facility or a Wi-Fi Hotspot on the Van which utilizes cellular phone service. If neither of these are available, staff can use either an offline system or a good old paper form and then enter the information into the library’s computer system later, by hand.

Six cities and their public libraries have joined forces to launch an annual regional reading program to be called “Four Corners/One Book” with the stated goals of promoting literacy, encouraging dialogue, and building community through the shared experience of story. The towns of Montrose, Cortez, Dolores, Mancos, Ignacio and Moab have selected *Church of the Graveyard Saints* by C. Joseph Greaves as the program’s inaugural title.

An author event to launch the program in Montrose will be held at Maggie’s Books (345 E. Main St.) at 7:00 p.m. on September 23, 2019. The launch party will feature a meet-and-greet with author Chuck Greaves, book sales and signings, and a drawing for free copies of the book. Public book discussions and author talks are slated for January of 2020.

About the Program

Community-wide reading programs designed to promote civic unity through the power of literature have proliferated since the Washington Center for the Book pioneered the concept in 1989. “Literature lets us explore different ways of being in the world,” said Montrose Library Assistant Director Tania Hajjar. “Readers bring their own perspectives to a story, and discussing all these interpretations can help us learn more about the world and about each other. Four Corners/One Book will give us another way to come together as a community.”

About the Author

Writing both literary fiction (as C. Joseph Greaves) and mystery fiction (as Chuck Greaves), the author has been a finalist for most of the major awards in crime fiction including the Shamus, Macavity, Lefty, and Audiobook, as well as the New Mexico's Independent Book Award, and Colorado Book Awards. He is the author of five previous novels including *Hard Twisted* and *Tom & Lucky*, the latter a Wall Street Journal “Best Books of 2015” selection and finalist for the 2016 Harper Lee Prize. Mr. Greaves lives, writes, and farms in the Four Corners region.

“Four Corners/One Book” Program Slated

Six Regional Cities Join to Launch Community-Wide Reading Program

Corners, tells the story of a young woman’s return to her small hometown only to discover that the oil and gas boom promising prosperity to the larger community is threatening her family’s ranching heritage. Of the novel’s central theme, Publishers Weekly wrote: “Can one go home again?” Greaves explores this question with both passion and compassion, taking readers on a lyrical, vivid tour of the West.”

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voice (970) 859-7236

**Hours**

Mon-Thurs: 8:30-5:00

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**A New Adventure:**

Longtime cataloger Susan Hartman retires

On September 30 we bid adieu to friend and colleague Susan Hartman. In her nine years with the Montrose Library as both Cataloger and Head of Technical Services, Susan has worked behind the scenes to improve access to library resources.

Susan is a self-described “almost-native” of Colorado, and began her long career in Denver, cataloging the private library of a collector of history books. She was hired soon afterwards by Northglenn Schools, and it was there in the late 70s that she advocated for access to OCLC, a new technology that connected libraries nationwide.

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What’s next for Susan? First up is a road trip through the Southwest, featuring a long-awaited visit to Bryce and Zion national parks. She will continue playing in a bell choir, pursue volunteer work, fix up her fixer-upper house, adopt a dog, and finally catalog her home library!

“We have been extremely fortunate to have Susan on staff,” continued Paladino. “Library patrons will benefit from her work for years to come.”

Congratulations to Susan on her well-deserved retirement!

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**Brush Up Your Computer Skills This Fall**

by Lindsay Beckman,  
Head of Adult Services

**Meeting Room**

Monday, October 14, 2019 -- 4-5 p.m.

**Computer Basics**

Are you a stranger to computers? Do you get frustrated by terminology or struggle to find where you need to go once a computer is powered up? Our Computer Basics class is for you! Geoff Oslund and Jeanette Messano will guide you through how to use a mouse, locate the internet browser and use a search engine, and much more.

Seats are limited, so reserve your spot today by contacting Lindsay Beckman at 970-964-2558 or lbeckman@montroselibrary.org. This class is for adults ages 18 and older.

**Meeting Room**

Thursday, November 14, 2019 --4-5 p.m.

**Internet Basics**

Technology changes so fast nowadays, it’s hard to keep up! If you are familiar with how to use the basic functions of a computer, but would like to brush up on your internet skills, check out our Internet Basics class. Geoff Oslund and Jeanette Messano will provide tips for conducting internet searches, setting up and using an email address, safety tips, and more.

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**Building & Grounds**

Joe Costello  
Bob Ray

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Newsletter Editor: Jonathan Heath

Many thanks to all who contributed!
Library Voices: Bill Sycalik - 9/27

National Parks Marathon Project: A Personal Quest to Run 26.2 Miles in All 61 U.S. National Parks

Bill Sycalik was a little tired – tired of New York City, tired of being distant from the outdoors he enjoys. So in mid-2016 he packed up his car and started a 15 month sabbatical where he ran 51 marathons in all the National Parks outside of Alaska. He has since run marathons at the two new National Parks and is currently in Alaska knocking two more off the list (Denali and Wrangell St. Elias).

Hear how Bill decided to make a change, break out of the routine and embrace the fear and unknown of a grand adventure that has taken him to some of the most beautiful natural places in our world. Bill will also share some of his favorite National Parks for trail running and exploring. Bill will speak about his experiences on September 27, 6:30 – 8:00 in the library meeting room. All are welcome to join him for a trail run sponsored by the San Juan Mountain Runners on September 28.

*Please note that the library is closed for staff training on September 27, but will reopen in the evening for this special event.

Introducing...Adulting 101 Courses

Because learning is a life-long endeavor

Applying for a Job
Janice Becker, MRC
(Career Coach at Becker Career Counseling, LLC)
A course to teach adults the basics of applying for a job.

September 18, from 6 pm to 8 pm
Community Meeting Room

Financial Know-How
Jim Elder
(Chief Financial Officer of Eldorado Financial, Inc.)
A course to teach adults the basics of financial management and planning.

October 9, from 6 pm to 8 pm
Community Meeting Room

Adaptive Tools for Applying for a Job
Janice Becker, MRC
(Career Coach at Becker Career Counseling)
A course to teach people with disabilities how to apply for a job.

October 23, from 6 pm to 8 pm
Community Meeting Room

Diet & Exercise
Lindsay Fishering, MS, RD, CNSC
(Dietitian at Montrose Memorial Hospital)
John Wagner
(Fitness Leader at Montrose Recreation District)

A course to teach adults how to maintain a healthy lifestyle through diet and exercise.

November 6, from 6 pm to 8 pm
Community Meeting Room

Basic Car Care
Dennis Goodhue
(President of Diamond G Repair)
A course to teach driving adults ways to inspect and maintain their vehicles.

December 11, from 6 pm to 8 pm
Bag Sale ($5) from 3 - 5 p.m.

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Friday, October 18: 8-12 p.m. FOL Members Only
12 p.m. - 6 p.m. General Public
Saturday, October 19: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, October 20: 1 - 5 p.m.

We accept credit cards, checks, and cash. Not yet a Friends member? Join at the sale!

Montrose Staff Win State Awards

Jeri Gilham and Joseph Costello of the Montrose Library are being recognized this fall for excellence in library service.

Jeri Gilham, Head of Outreach, is the 2019 winner of the Excellence in Youth Services Award, given by the Colorado Association of Libraries (CAL). This award celebrates the importance of offering quality library services to children and teens by recognizing an individual who serves patrons from birth to age 18 in a way that goes beyond offering basic, traditional library services.

Jeri is a strong advocate for those in need in and never tires of engaging youth in educational and hands on activities. Under her leadership, attendance has increased at children’s programs in our main branch and on the Bookmobile. This year the Montrose Library Youth Services Department won the Beacon Best Award for “Best Place to Bring Your Grandkids,” demonstrating the warm and inviting nature Jeri has encouraged in her staff to turn the library’s children room into a community center.

The CAL Unsung Hero Award of 2019 goes to Joseph Costello, the Facilities Manager of the Montrose Library. This award is meant to honor those persons who give unselfishly to their libraries or library community but don’t receive recognition or thanks because their work is unseen or goes unnoticed.

Our patrons might not recognize him, but they benefit from Joe’s work to improve the beauty and functionality of our library. He contributes to the success of every department with his willingness to help in any way, tackle any project that comes up, and produce a high quality product with limited time and resources. He even has the considerability to labor on his projects in the depths of the boiler room to avoid disturbing staff and patrons. It’s that kind of conscientiousness and grace that have made him beloved and indispensable, helping us achieve our goals and making the Montrose Library a better place for patrons and staff alike.

Jeri and Joe will be honored at an Awards Luncheon at the Colorado Association of Libraries annual conference in Loveland on September 19. Congratulations to both!
A UNIVERSE OF STORIES:
MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

REGISTERED: 698 KIDS FROM BIRTH TO 5TH GRADE
*UP 20 PERCENT

41 INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS
ATTENDANCE: 2,398
*UP 43 PERCENT

Special Events

Library Card Sign-up Month
Don’t have a card? Now’s the time to get one! (Or anytime). Visit the library or see the fliers for more information.

K-9 Storytime
Join us for a special storytime with Sgt. Searcy and K-9 Tigo from the Montrose Sheriff’s Department. Don’t miss this exciting opportunity to hear a story from Sgt. Searcy and ask questions after!
9/28 10-11am
10/5 10:30-11:30am
10/12 10-11am
10/19 10-11am

FrankenToys
A new program for kids aged 10-13! A club just for you. You get to decide: the name of your club, what projects to work on, and speakers to invite.
10/3 4-5:30pm

Unicorn Storytime
Ridgway Mighty Mini Therapy Horses will join us dressed in their unicorn outfits for a special unicorn storytime! Costumes encouraged. Ages 0-6
10/5 10-11am

1000 Books Before Kindergarten: Tape Town
Bring your toy cars for a drive in Tape Town! Stop to get your license at the DMV, go to the bank, farmers market, and more! Ages 0-6
10/19 10-11am

Funday Storytime
A family storytime for ages 0-6. Monday 10-11am

Baby and Me for Families
Early literacy through stories, songs, and rhymes for ages 0-3. Tuesday 10-10:30am

Playtime
Develop social skills and play with games and activities that target early literacy. Ages 0-3. Tuesday 10-10:30am

Baby and Me for Families
Early literacy through stories, songs, and rhymes for ages 0-3. Tuesday 11-11:30am

Weekly programs run September 3rd - December 13th

Weekly programs

*S’mores & Spooky Stories
Want to bring your older kiddos in on the Halloween fun? In addition to spooky tales, we’ll have marshmallow races. Ages 6-12. 10/23 5:30-6:30pm

Spooky Storytime
Come in costume to this SpoOoOoky storytime! Afterward, trick-or-treat around the library for some fun treats.

Families welcome.
10/31 10-11am

Native American Heritage Program
Celebrate Native American Heritage Month with guest flutist Bobby Jimenez and crafts and games with the Ute Indian Museum. Everyone welcome!
11/16 11am-12pm

Around the World in 60 Minutes
A multi-lingual story time event! Come to hear stories in different languages and stay for a fun craft. Ages 2-6.
11/20 and 12/11 10-11am

Kids Crafting Bonanza
Drop in and craft with us! Create something for yourself or as a gift for someone. Designed for kids 3-13.
12/21 11am-12:30pm

Noon Years Eve
Go to sleep on time and ring in the New Year at noon! Snacks, crafts, dancing, and fun! Families welcome.
12/31 10am-12pm

Stop by the Children’s room to create fun crafts at our craft table all season long!

*Read to Rover
Build confidence and communication skills by reading to a Morningstar Therapy Dog. Tuesday 3:30-4:30pm

The Bold and the Italicized
Family-friendly storyline featuring stories, songs, and activities. Toddler-preschool age appropriate.
Wednesday 10-11am

*Sensory Storytime
Designed for kiddos on the spectrum, with sensory integration issues, or other developmental disabilities.
Friday 10-11am

Dates may change. Call the library or see the fliers for more information.

Special Thanks to:
Toadstool Face Painting
Black Canyon Astronomical Society
Morningstar Therapy Dogs
Nature’s Educators
Ann Lincoln - Magician/Juggler
Drum Safari
Ute Indian Museum
Maslow Academy
Centennial Middle School Robotics
STEMPunkED
Canyon Country Discovery Center
Gyroscope

Monthly Programs

Chess Club
Learn and play chess. All ages. Chess sets and fun provided!
1st Tuesday 4-5:30pm

Lego Club
Ages 4-12. Attendance limited to 45 kids.
4th Wednesday 3-4pm

Art Club
Study an art style and leave with 1-2 completed works. Ages 4-12.
3rd Thursday 3:30-4:30pm

*STREAM
A different science and art topic every month. Ages 4-9.
2nd Saturday 10-11am

Programs with an asterisk(*) require sign up.
Call 970/249-9656, Option 2
OUTREACH SERVICES HAS LANDED...

27 INDIVIDUAL PROGRAMS
3 PERFORMERS:
NATURE’S EDUCATORS
POLYMER PALOOZA
TOADSTOOL FACE PAINTING

One Volunteer: Jana Ackerman

Special Thanks to:
Olathe Boys & Girls Club
Olathe Migrant Head Start
Olathe Town Park
Montrose River Meadows Community

Bookmobile Schedule
September 2019 to May 2020

First Thursday of every month:
Montrose Early Childhood Center
(900 Colorado Avenue, Montrose)
- September 5 • October 3 • November 7
  8:45 am - 10:30 am & 12:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Look for the Bookmobile at these upcoming community events:
- October 19
  Scarecrow Festival
  10 am to 12 pm
  Montrose Botanic Gardens
- October 26
  DeVries Annual Punkin’ Chunkin
  9 am to 4 pm
  Olathe Pumpkin Patch

- October 31
  Trunk or Treat
  5 pm to 7 pm
  Montrose County Fairgrounds
- December 7
  Montrose Annual Holiday Parade
  5 pm
  Main Street, Montrose

Second and fourth Thursday of every month:
Peak Virtual Academy
(526 N. 6th St, Montrose)
9:00 am - 10:00 am

Olathe Elementary School
(326 N. 3rd Street, Olathe)
10:30 am - 12:30 pm

River Meadows Housing Community
(62880 LaSalle Road, Montrose)
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

- September 12 & 26 • October 10 & 24
  - November 14 • December 12

Check our Other resources:
Check out the kids zone on Overdrive! Download the app to your device, or access the library of thousands of e-books and e-audio right on your computer!

Library Card Sign-up Month!
A library card brings stories to life!

Resources for Educators:
Place an educator’s request via our website, by phone, or in person. Tell us what materials you need, the age intended, and amount up to 20. Educators can request a second library card that will allow check-out of up to 20 books for 8 weeks.

Ask a staff member for more information.

Badge quest is back! Ask about the badge of the month!
What’s Next?  
Fall Programming!

by Susan Rice,  
Branch Manager

The journey into fall is bittersweet. Summer is at its end. I know this because kids are back in school. The days are hot and the nights have cooled down considerably. The Naturita Community Library is gearing up for a red hot collection of literacy and exploring literacy for children and adults this fall and beginning of winter. Keep up with the library activities on the Naturita Library Facebook page and check out the calendar of events on the Montrose Regional Library District website.

The Adventurous Book Club begins on September 24th at 1:00 with a light lunch and a lot of conversation exploring the book, *Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine* written by Gail Honeyman. It is a story about a young woman who doesn’t know that life could be better than fine and who struggles with social skills. Awkward is an understatement for Eleanor who speaks exactly what she is thinking.

The adult “Heritage Series” will be exploring some old crafts like candle making, printing on fabric and soap making. Kids in the library are entertained with computers and with fun activities at the “Makerspace Table.” Thursday after school the Pinhead Institute out of Telluride comes to join the library in presenting science hands-on learning experiences.

We have a “Family Night” planned in the beginning of November with a craft for the whole family to enjoy.

The library cools down during December when the holiday season kicks into high gear, but we come back in January with a whole new set of programs to enlighten all who attend.

Please note that the Naturita Community Library has a new telephone number 787-2270. Call us for further details about programming.

Exploring Literacy

by Raena Wedel

School is under way for another year and library programs are beginning. The Naturita Community Library is proud to report that Literacy for Little Ones is going strong. The goal of this program is to boost preschoolers’ and toddlers’ desire to learn through talking, reading, singing, writing, and playing.

The library is guided by two national programs: Every Child Ready to Read, which supports the five teaching skills mentioned above, and The Pyramid Model, which promotes social-emotional competence. The stories and crafts that are implemented in the program are based on the structure of each national program adding science and math with fun books and hands-on projects. Through books and crafts, children learn and explore subjects like space, nature, and recognizing their feelings. Other projects include learning and identifying their name, memorizing nursery rhymes through repetition, and singing new songs.

A new facet to the program is implementing American Sign Language to a number of the songs. Students responded well to sign language last year, so it will continue through this school year.

Literacy for Little Ones is every Tuesday in the library at 11:15 a.m. Parents of a preschool child are welcome to observe the program at the preschool beginning at 9:15 a.m. Tuesday mornings and 1:55 p.m. on Tuesday afternoons.

Literacy for Little Ones  
Fall/Winter Scheduled Dates:

| September: | 10, 24 |
| October:   | 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 |
| November:  | 5, 12, 19 |
| December:  | 3, 10, 17 |
| January:   | 14, 21, 28 |
What happens behind the staff door?

by Susan Hartman, Head of Technical Services

Staff is always going through that doorway – ever wonder what happens back there? Only the kindergarten classes come for “the tour.” Two departments call the back room home, Circulation and Technical Services (cataloging).

The back room is where Circulation takes returned books off your record. (Nope, they don’t mysteriously come off your card as you put them through the bookdrop.) The materials are then organized on carts to be reshelved by trained volunteers. The back room is where most of the phone calls are made and received regarding holds, renewals, and other issues requiring patron privacy.

The other department in the back room is Technical Services—that’s where I work.

Behind the Scenes: volunteers Julie Case & Sally Wilkinson prepare new materials to add to the library collection.

When new materials arrive at the library, we are the ones who acknowledge receipt so the library can pay for them. Then we make sure there is a record in the catalog that properly describes each item and we check that the call number on the item also matches what is in the catalog. The call number is used to get books about the same discipline (not quite like a subject) together on the shelf so it’s easy to find, as well as browse what else is available. If we can’t find a catalog record, we create one. All books are property stamped and some books are also jacketed or laminated. And yes, we get some discs in those flimsy cardboard boxes-or-worse that need to be re-cased. We have a lot of wonderful volunteers who help get materials ready to go on the shelf.

So you put a hold on a book that we don’t own yet – Technical Services knows and is watching for it. When it arrives, we snatch it from the rest and give it priority treatment so you get it as soon as possible. Regrettfully, not everything arrives within three weeks of ordering.

On the other side, since nothing lasts forever, we also have volunteers in the back room who clean problem discs, and volunteers who come in every week to replace the place that need (and can be) repaired. Technical Services also provides cataloging support for our three branches.

“Behind the staff door” a lot is happening!

Volunteer News

The Library welcomes new volunteers Carolyn Beardshear, Cindy Johnson, Amelia Miller, Judy Ottman, Abigail Rensfrow, and Rebecca Vigil. Volunteers kept the library running smoothly this summer, and also helped with several large projects involving the collection. Special thanks go out to Nancy Lamm, Judy Ottman, and Ruth Sendecki for the extra time spent on these special projects!

He comes not once, but twice a week to make sure that the 20,000 books, DVDs, magazines and other materials that circulate each month are back in a place where people can find them. He’s also a willing sub for other volunteers, frequently stepping in at a moment’s notice.

But that’s not all. What else needs to be done? Rearrange all the picture books and shelving units in the Children’s Room? No problem! Provide crowd control at a rowdy Star Wars Day party? Sure! Judge the staff holiday bake-off competition? You bet! And in the best example of going above and beyond the call of duty? Ray dons a full-body suit of fur and Snoopy head in support of National Library Card Sign Up Month. Ray is a willing, helpful, cheerful and a super hero volunteer!

To inquire about volunteer opportunities at the library, please contact Tania Hajar at 964-2546 or thajjar@montroselibrary.org.
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- **For Teens**
- **For Adults**
- **For Everyone**
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