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The Newsletter of:

# The Friends of the Loveland Public Library Foundation, Inc.

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### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Barnes & Noble Book Fair to Benefit the Friends - Aug. 8

Teen Book Sale @ Library - Aug. 14-15

Loveland Loves to Read Events - Sept. 28-Oct. 3

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## August-September, 2015 Twelfth Annual Loveland Loves to Read

September 28, Rialto Theater, 7 p.m.

The Friends of the Loveland Library proudly present William Kent Krueger, who will discuss his Edgar Award winning novel, *Ordinary Grace*, this year's community read. A sensitive coming-of-age story becomes a tense mystery during the summer of 1961 when several unlikely deaths occur in a small Minnesota community. Tickets for the Rialto



Author William Krueger

evening are \$5, available through the Rialto Box Office beginning **August 1**. On Tuesday, **September 29**, you can join us for luncheon with the author at Biaggi's; \$30. Movie night at the library on Wednesday, **September 30**, features *Stand By Me*; free, includes popcorn. (Continued on p. 2)

#### **August Book Sales Alert!**

In addition to the big Friends' Fall Book Sale, we are mounting two smaller events in August to benefit the Friends' fundraising efforts to support the Loveland Library: The Barnes & Noble Book Fair on **August 8** and the teen book sale at the Loveland Library on **August 14-15.** (Continued on p. 2)

#### Twelfth Annual Loveland Loves to Read

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Back by popular demand is a writing workshop on Saturday,
October 3; Victoria Hanley will present "Top Five Tips for the Novelist"; \$15. Three book discussions will be offered at the library, and one at the Chilson Senior Center. All are invited to attend.

The library features 25 copies of *Ordinary Grace*, as well book bags containing 10 copies with notes for book groups. Library patrons can also "check out" digital copies of *Ordinary Grace*, using the Library's OneClick Digital service. Help in accessing this new service can be found on the library's website, www.lovelandpubliclibrary.org. For information, call (970) 962-2712 or visit www.friendsofthelovelandlibrary.org.

For lunch and workshop reservations, call (970) 613-2000.

#### **August Book Sales Alert!**

(Continued from p. 1) Library staff and Friends' volunteers will be at the Barnes & Noble store in the Promenade Shops in Loveland on Saturday, August 8 from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. informing customers about library services and the benefits of being a member of the Friends of the Library. When customers purchase merchandise that day and mention the Friends, we will receive 10% of that amount. Proceeds will fund upcoming events such as the Authors Showcase. Detailed information will be on the Friends' webpage.

Online sales at the Barnes & Noble website between **August 8** & **15** that include the Friends' book fair ID 11660867 will also qualify. Friends' members are encouraged to tell their friends and associates about this easy way to support the library. Representatives of the Friends for two to three hour shifts are needed for this event. Contact Jo at the library (962-2593) if you can spend a few hours volunteering that day.



Teens are organizing a book sale of teen books that have been donated to the Friends. The sale will be from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. on Friday-Saturday, **August 14-15**. Proceeds from the sale will be donated by the Friends to support teen programs at the library. Cashiers are needed for two-four hour shifts on both days. If you can help, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator Brenda Glover at 970 669-1604; email: brendaglover@comcast.net.

## Huge Donation To Our Used Book Sale!

The Friends would like to extend a huge THANK YOU to Stephanie Stauder & her husband for donating over 10,000 books that were remaining since the closing of their Anthology Book Store. Over the years, they had partnered with the Friends and contributed Anthology's overstock for our used book

sales. This recent donation has kept the volunteers at the Sorting Place busy. This wonderful selection of books will be available at our fall used book sale.

We can't forget our other Book Store supporters who regularly contribute books to our sales: Thank you to Barbara Haynes at Book Haven in Loveland (watch for their move to a new location on 29<sup>th</sup> St.) and Theresa Bayless at Book Lovers in Fort Collins. Don't forget to thank them when you visit their stores.

#### **Volunteer Corner**

Kudos to Pauline Denning, our volunteer newsletter editor/publisher. For many years Pauline has devoted a full week of her time every other month to put together the Friends newsletter, *The Need to Know*. Her expertise with composition, layouts and illustrations to make our newsletter so appealing is much appreciated.

A special thank you to Peggy Kindschy, wife and unofficial assistant to our treasurer Jon Kindschy. Peggy gives many hours each week sending out receipts/acknowledgements of donations and keeping the files organized.

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#### **Volunteer Corner**

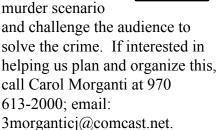
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In addition, Peggy participates in some committees of the Friends. Her ever-cheerful manner keeps other volunteers going as she works full-time during the weeks of our used book sales.

Sorting Place Volunteers: If interested in helping to sort, pack and do other chores on a regular basis at the Sorting Place, please call our Volunteer Coordinator. We are developing a list of interested volunteers and will contact you for our next training session. We ask for a commitment of several hours every Tuesday and/or Wednesday. Familiarity with book categories, and a strong back for lifting boxes is a plus. Enjoying camaraderie with fellow book-lovers is mandatory!

Mystery lovers—here's a golden opportunity! The Fundraising Committee is interested in a fun event with a murder mystery

theme. We are hoping to recruit youth drama groups to act out a murder scenario



For all other volunteer jobs, contact our Volunteer Coordinator Brenda Glover at 970 669-1604; email:brendaglover@comcast.net

#### **Library News**

## Colorado Poet Laureate @ the Library

Colorado Poet Laureate Joe Hutchison will present a poetry reading on Friday, **August 21** at 7:00 p.m. at the

Loveland Library. He will follow up this event by conducting a poetry writing workshop



workshop Poet Laureate Hutchinson entitled "Live in the Layers," on Saturday, **August 22** at 10 a.m.

Hutchison, who is the author of more than 15 books, lives in the mountains southwest of Denver. He teaches at the University of Denver's University College. In September, 2014, Governor John Hickenlooper appointed him Colorado Poet Laureate.

The poetry reading on Friday evening is free and open to the public. To register for the Saturday workshop, call Therese Torpy at the Library at 970-962-2407. The workshop is free but donations will be accepted.

These events are presented through a partnership of the Friends of the Loveland Public Library, the Loveland Museum and Gallery, and the Northern Chapter of Columbine Poets.

#### Loveland Library's 1st Annual Local Authors Showcase

The Loveland Public Library has been fortunate to be approached by many local authors who would like to share their work with

library residents through presentations and signing events. To serve both authors and library patrons, Loveland Public Library and the Friends of the Library Foundation are sponsoring a Local Authors Showcase on Saturday, November 7. This showcase will provide an opportunity for authors to meet. talk with, and sell their books to the public. As a special treat, Avi, author of more than seventy books for children and young adults, including 2003 Newbery Medal winner Crispin: The Cross of Lead, will sign books from 2-3 p.m. He has also won two Newbery Honors and many other awards for his fiction.

To be a showcased author, submit your application at <a href="http://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/">http://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/</a>

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**September 15**, 2015. The showcase is free to all. Information: 962-2765.

#### Tools for Writers and Artists

The Loveland Public Library has just added a great new tool to support writers and artists. Next month, the library will be launching Self-e and Creator to support the arts community in Loveland

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(Continued from p. 3) Self-e allows writers to upload an electronic copy of their books to the new Biblioboard platform. The author's book will not only be available in the Loveland Public Library but across Colorado with other libraries that subscribe to the Biblioboard service. In addition, Self-e is partnering with Library Journal, which selects titles that are featured nationwide. This is a great opportunity for new and emerging writers to get exposure.

Creator will allow the library to partner with the arts community in Loveland to highlight artists' works. Artists can submit their work to the library in the form of images, music files, and video clips. The Library will curate the materials and make them available on the Biblioboard platform. We are hoping to highlight the works of a variety artists including students and the Guest in the Galleria. Books can be submitted from the Self-e link on the Adult Resource page on the library's website. For more information on artistic submissions or in general about the new program, please contact the Adult Services desk at 970-962-2402 or reference@cityofloveland.org.

#### **Talking About Books**

The Book Discussion Groups meet the first Tuesday of each month at 9:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. and the following Wednesday at 9 a.m. 962-2402.

August 4 & 5: William Faulkner's masterpiece, The Bear. In this simple coming-ofage novella, a bear hunt becomes a story of life, death, guilt, and the legacy of Southern culture that occupied Faulkner's imagination throughout his writing career. If you're going to read just one Faulkner work, this is it!

**September 1 & 2**: *Ordinary* Grace, William Kent Krueger, this year's Loveland Loves to Read selection. Please see elsewhere in this newsletter for a description of this amazing book and other program events.

The Great Ideas Discussion based on Mortimer Adler's Great *Ideas*, will continue to meet every other Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. starting **September 4**. Brian Hanson has been leading this discussion of philosophical questions at the library for many years. Newcomers are always welcome, 962-2401.

#### **Support Your Library: Great Books for Great Kids**



Once again Runza Restaurants are donating 15% of sales on Tuesday, August 25, to hometown libraries to purchase children's books. The Loveland Runza is located at 2204 North Lincoln, Runza has donated funds for children's books for more than 10 years and the library and kids in Loveland appreciate their ongoing support.

#### **Library Closed August 28** for Staff Training

On Friday, August 28, all library employees will be participating in hands-on training to learn how to use and create with the library's technology to provide better customer service. The library will be closed to the public that entire day.

#### **Dahlia Show Returns to** Loveland

The Loveland Public Library will host the Colorado Dahlia Society's northern show, Dahlias, Candy to the Eve, Saturday, September 12 & Sunday, September 13. Two years ago, the show filled the library galleria with amazing blooms and arrangements and this year should be no exception. The show is open to the public after the judging Saturday morning until closing at 6 p.m. and Sunday 1-4 p.m. You don't have to be a member of the society to show dahlias. Anyone interested may bring flowers to the library Saturday morning between 9-10 a.m. 962-2404.

#### **Personal Finance Classes**

The Elder Care Network's Education class on Thursday, **August 13** at 5 p.m. is "Financial Transitions for the Newly Single." MaryAnne Heyman, experienced Certified Financial Planner professional, will provide information needed to confidently move forward with a financial system for the newly single person or those helping parents through this transition. The class is free and open to all.

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"Medicare & You" will be presented on Tuesday,

September 15 at 6:30 p.m. by
Craig Stout & Chip Murphy.
Medicare can be confusing.
Craig Stout will break it down for you so that your rights and options become clear and manageable. He will address enrollment periods, employer plans and how it all fits into your healthcare planning. 962-2759.

"Your Rights/Your Options: Financial Planning for LGBT Individuals and Families" is the topic on Wednesday, **September 23** at 6:30p.m., presented by Nancy Hazelrigg. Bringing clarity to your long-term financial picture can seem like a significant challenge, even more so if you're a member of the LGBT community. 962-2759.

#### All About Technology

"Code & Coffee" will meet on Saturday, **August 15** at the LoCo Artisan Coffee Shop starting at 10 a.m. If you are interested in learning how to program, come meet local representatives of Girl Develop It (GDI) and likeminded individuals (men welcome!). GDI seeks to provide affordable opportunities for women interested in learning web and software development. Starting this fall, GDI will be offering affordable classes at the Loveland Library.

"Protect Your Selfie" is the topic on Tuesday, **August 18** at 6:30 p.m., presented by Hannah Button from the Better Business Bureau. Learn about the world of social media, using good character, and how you can keep yourself safe online. We will discuss password strength, privacy settings, software updates, suspicious links, and more. *Registration is required*. To register please call 962-2759 or e-mail: amanda.armstrong@cityofloveland.org.

Parents, did you know that you can access great resources for your child's education from the Loveland Public Library's website without coming into the library? The Loveland Public Library is offering "Staying Ahead of the Curve", an introduction to the library's electronic resources that are

available to help your children with their school work. To find out



about these great resource please join us on Tuesday, **September 1** from 7- 8 p.m. in the library's iLearn Classroom. Space is limited so please call 970-962-2402 or email reference@cityofloveland.org to reserve a spot for this opportunity.

Music, Music, Music
On Saturday, August 29 at 7
p.m., the Library will present
"Jazz in the Library - Poetry In
Music", an evening of chamberjazz with vibraphonist/
percussionist Chris Lee and
vocalist/cellist Colleen O'Brien,
also known as *Primal Mates*. For
over 30 years, Chris and Colleen

have been performing music together, combining the attention to composition and form of chamber music with the freedom and improvisational interplay of jazz. The library will close at 6 p.m. and reopen at 6:30 with seating in the Galleria. This is presented free of charge with funding from the Friends of the Library Foundation. 962-2402.

Sean Gaskell will give a performance on the Kora, an ancient 21-stringed harp from West Africa on Wednesday, **September 9** at 6:30 p.m. He will feature traditional songs in addition to some of his own personal compositions. The music is traditionally played by oral and musical historians known as Griots. Admission is free and families are encouraged to attend. 962-2587.

Retired school orchestra teacher Jim Found will present a series of talks about famou symphonies starting with Shubert's *The Unfinished* on **September 14** at 6:30 p.m. On **October 12**, Tchaikovsky's *Fifth Symphony* and on **December 14**, Brahms' *Fourth* will be featured. 962-2401.

#### War Talks with Joe Bowden

Retired Lt. Col. Joe Bowden will once again will share information from his U.S. Air Force career on **August 26** at 6:30 p.m., when he will discuss how the weather affects a pilot, specifically a military pilot flying a simulated combat training mission. 962-2401.

## Bikes, Parades and the LIMO

Look for the Library's LIMO at the Corn Roast parade and watch for bicycle related activities and displays in the library in the days leading up to the Pro Challenge bike race that will roar through Loveland on August 22. The LIMO, the library's interactive mobile outreach, has been to the lagoon concerts and the farmers' market at Fairgrounds Park and will be at the Mehaffey Park dedication August 1. It will be popping up around town during the national Outside the Lines (OTL) celebration of libraries. September 13-19. The goal of OTL is to highlight the creativity, innovation and engagement happening in libraries and to share that message in fun ways outside the library.



#### **Health Talks**

Psychologist Dr. Andrea Kulberg will be discussing anxiety, panic and OCD on Monday, **August** 31. On **September 21** at 6:30 p.m., she will discuss healthy family boundaries. She will discuss how to develop healthy patterns of interaction to build a more functional family.

Dr. Jared Dawson's topic for his 6:30 p.m. talk on **August 27** will be building a stronger immunity

before returning to school. He will also present on **September 18**. The topic is to be announced.

#### **Nature Talks**

Kevin Cook's nature programs this year focus on writers of Colorado. These presentations are the first Tuesday of the month at 12 noon and 2 p.m. and the first Wednesday at 6 p.m. Topics include Ann Swinger, author of *Beyond the Aspen Grove* and C. F. Mutel and John Emerick, authors of *From Grassland to Glacier*. 962-2401.

Dr. Kathy Keeler, the Wandering Botanist, presents fascinating stories about familiar plants on Wednesday, **August 19** at 6:30 p.m. Rabbitbrush, watermelons and more are the topic. Starting in September, Keeler will focus on the plants and plantlore as well as the culture in a certain part of the world starting with "A Wandering Botanist in China." Her presentation on **September 16** will be at a new time: 12 noon. 962-2401.

#### **Movie Nights**

Classic westerns are shown the fourth Monday evening of each month at 6:30 p.m. Titles are available in the library. Free popcorn is also provided. 962-2401

#### **Teenseen**

The summer reading program may be finished but there still are some unique programs planned for teens both before and after schools starts again. Some of the upcoming events include a Divergent Party (8/4), ArtBots (8/13), Chopped Food Challenge (8/11), Suncatchers (8/25),

TeaInk Writers (9/1) and Anime Junkies (9/16.) Teens are encouraged to attend the Teen Advisory Board meeting on Thursday, September 24 at 4 p.m. to help plan programming and suggest additions to the teen collection. Teens should be sure to check the website and Instagram account or stop by for more information and to register for the events that require it. 962-2548.

#### **Volunteers Wanted**

We are looking for volunteers to be interviewed to help develop a marketing plan for the Adult Services division. Volunteers will be interviewed by a CSU student working to develop the plan. The interview should take about 20 minutes. If you are interested, please contact Amy Phillips at <a href="mailto:amy.phillips@cityofloveland.org">amy.phillips@cityofloveland.org</a> or Robert Ayala at <a href="mailto:robert.ayala@cityofloveland.org">robert.ayala@cityofloveland.org</a>.

Kids Read would like to extend a heartfelt *Thank You!* to the Friends of the Library. With your support, our dedicated Buddy Reading volunteers have provided positive reading experiences for more than 200 young readers at four different sites in the Loveland community.

We are still looking for volunteers. If you enjoy reading and spending time with kids, consider becoming a Buddy Reader. Volunteers are fully trained and asked to commit 2-4 hours a month at the Library. For more information, please contact Jane Askham at jane.askham@cityofloveland.org.

## **Donations Needed for Memorial**

The "Remembering Patty Goodwine" memorial piece designated for placement at the Library will be fabricated by her sister, Euleta Palser. Patty was one of two people who lost their lives in the Big Thompson Canyon Flood in September of 2013. She had worked as the library's administrative assistant for over 30 years.

Euleta Palser's personal belongs, plus all of her tools and mosaic inventory were lost to the river so she has been collecting ceramics to use for this memorial project. Anyone wanting to donate dishes (especially in red shades) and broken or chipped ceramic flower pots can drop

them off at the greeter desk at the library entrance.



The

"Remembering Patty Goodwine" memorial account at the Home State Bank is still accepting donations for contributions to this project. 962-2404.

#### **Events for Children**

After the hectic pace of the 8 week summer reading program, staff in the children's area don't plan as many special programs in August but do continue the Humpty Dumpty, Toddler and Preschool Storytimes on the regular schedule. The times and themes as well as the Waggin' Tales schedule are on the enclosed library calendar.

Chess Club will <u>not</u> meet between **August 9** and **September 7** and will resume on Tuesday **September 8** from 4:00 -5:30 p.m.

School Out Science on Tuesday, **September 8** from 11:30 a.m.-1p.m. will focus on the power of the sun.

In September, Brickmasters, the once a month Lego building workshop, will start again on Saturday, **September 19** with sessions from 10 a.m.-12 noon and 1-3 p.m. 962-2587.

#### **Return to Fall Schedule**

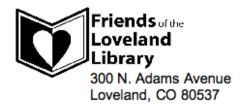
The library will be closed Sunday, **September 6** and Monday, **September 7** for the Labor Day holiday. Sunday afternoon hours begin Sunday, **September 13** from 1 - 5 p.m.

#### Chess @ the Library

The Library is sponsoring a Family Chess Tournament on Saturday, **August 8** from 9:30 a.m. – 12 noon. All ages are welcome to play chess in the Gertrude Scott Room of Loveland Public Library. All participants must register at 9:30 a.m. to play in this tournament. Trophies will be awarded for 1st and 2nd places in each division: Adult, Teen and Children. 962-2587.



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It is the mission of this organization to support the Loveland Public Library's work as the information center of the community by advocating for the public support and use of the library, by generating current and long-term funding, and by developing volunteer involvement.

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If you are a member of the Friends, the expiration date of your membership is on the mailing label. If you are not currently a member, we invite you to join us, using the form in this newsletter or applying online through our website. THANKS FOR SUPPORTING THE FRIENDS OF THE LOVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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