

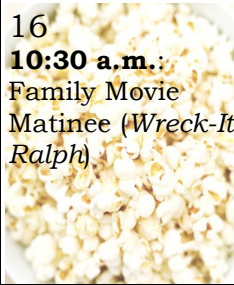




March 2013

HOURS: MON, TUES, WED, FRI—9:00 a.m.-5:30p.m.
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Powell Branch Library Upcoming Events March 2013



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Family-Friendly Programming

Family Movie Matinee

This month we'll show *Wreck-It Ralph!* Ralph longs to be as beloved as his game's perfect Good Guy, Fix-it Felix. Problem is, nobody loves a Bad Guy. But they do love heroes...so when a modern, first-person shooter game arrives featuring tough-as-nails Sergeant Calhoun, Ralph sees it as his ticket to heroism and happiness. He sneaks into the game with a simple plan—win a medal—but soon wrecks everything, and accidentally unleashes a deadly enemy that threatens every game in the arcade. This film is **rated PG** and will be showing at **10:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 23rd** in the *Fireside Room*. Running time is 108 minutes. Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.



Let's Bake a Cake!

A local cake decorator will demonstrate many varied techniques of decorating as well as be available for answering your questions. Join us at the library for this kick-off event for our *2nd Annual Edible Books Contest* in April! This program will be held on **Thursday, March 7th at 6:00 p.m.** in the *Fireside Room*. All ages are welcome. Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

Fun For Parents and Children

Calling all parents with children from *infants to 5 years old!* Come to this workshop on **Thursday, March 21st** and bring your child! Learn 5 fun ways to help your child get ready to read! You can use these early literacy tools and activities at home. Held at **10:00 a.m.** in the *Fireside Room*. Please *sign-up in advance* in the Children's Department.

Youth Services Programming

Toddler Time

Join us for *Toddler Time* on **Mondays in March**. Toddler Time will include age-appropriate short stories, movement, finger-plays, and music! Held from **10:30-11:00 a.m.** in the *Fireside Room*, this program is intended for toddlers (*ages 1-3 years*), accompanied by a parent or caregiver.

Homeschool Hour

On **Monday, March 4th at 2:45 p.m.** we will perform the musical *Zoozical!* Children should come at **2:00 p.m.** on **Monday, March 4th** to prepare for the performance. Throughout the rest of the March our *Homeschool Hour* will be held on **Mondays** during the month at **2:00 p.m.** in the *Fireside Room*. We will begin the new book selection *The Strange Case of Origami Yoda* by **Tom Angleberger**. The hours will also include fun and creative activities. This program is open to homeschooled students in *kindergarten through fifth grade*.



Read with Bella

Join Bella the Greyhound afterschool on **Thursdays in March** from **3:30-4:30 p.m.** Sign-up in advance for a 15-minute timeslot in the Children's Depart-

ment by calling 754-8828 and *Read with Bella* at the library!

We All Need Trees!

Kids! Do you love trees? Marynell Oechsner with Project Learning Tree will teach us about why trees are important. Do you love art? We will jump into an art project and make Arbor Day posters to display in the library. Fourth and fifth graders may choose to enter the 2013 Wyoming State Arbor Day Poster Contest. This program will be held on **Tuesday, March 5th at 3:30 p.m.** in the *Fireside Room*. Please *sign-up in advance* in the Children's Department. Intended for youth *kindergarten through 5th grade*. Please note kids that need more time to work on their poster may finish at the library on **Wednesday, March 13th** from **3:30-4:40 p.m.**

Story Time

Story Times are held at the Powell Branch Library every **Tuesday** and **Wednesday** from **10:30-11:00 a.m.** **March 5th & 6th** we'll have a pet parade (including a live turtle)! **March 12th & 13th** are all about the seasons! **March 19th & 21st** let's have fun with fairy tales! **March 26th & 27th** we'll talk about chicks & hens! *Story Times* are intended for *ages 3-5*.

Teen Wednesday Early Release (TWERL)

TWERL will be held this month on **Wednesday, March 27th** from **1:30-3:30 p.m.** in the *Fireside Room*. For this *TWERL* we are going to have Wii competitions. Snacks will be provided. See *you* at the library! *TWERLs* are for young adults *grades 6-12th only*.

Sport Stacking

Come practice and race to improve your *Sport Stacking* speed at the library! This amazing cup-stacking game will challenge you, and you'll have loads of fun. Held on **Tuesday, March 19th** from **3:30 p.m.-4:45 p.m.** Youth *kindergarten through 5th grade* are welcome.



Creation Station

Calling all teens for our *Creation Station* programs! On **Wednesday, March 6th at 3:30 p.m.** we'll make paracord key fobs. On **Wednesday, March 20th at 3:30 p.m.** we will have a cupcake decorating contest. *Creation Stations* are intended for young adults *grades 6-12th only*.

Graphic Novel Discussion Group

This month we will be reading a variety of graphic novels. Pick a graphic novel of your choice that interests you (must be categorized as young adult) to read, share, and discuss. Our first discussion day will be held on **Monday, March 4th** from **3:30-4:30 p.m.** We will continue to meet **every Monday at the same time** throughout March. This discussion group is intended for young adults *grades 6th-12th only*.

Adult Services Programming

Book Discussion Series: Award-Winning World Literature

Powell Branch Library is teaming up with the Wyoming Humanities Council to present the book discussion series *Award-Winning World Literature*. This series will be comprised of four books read over a period of four months. On

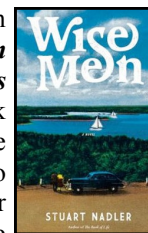
Wednesday, March 6th we'll be discussing *In the Time of the Butterflies* by **Julia Alvarez**. The discussion leader for this series is Michael Konsmo, an Instructor of English at Northwest College. All discussions will be held from **6:30-7:30 p.m.** in the *Fireside Room* of the Powell Branch Library. Make sure to *sign-up in advance* at the library, since space is limited to 15 participants!

Vittles, Victuals, and Viands

The Friends of the Powell Branch Library invite you to join them in welcoming Dorene Ludwig to the library on **Thursday, March 14th at 7:00 p.m.** Dorene is the artistic director and president of the American Living History Theater in Greybull. She has appeared in her various one-woman productions coast to coast. Her presentation at the library will examine historic American food traditions!

Online Book Discussion Group

Our online book discussion through goodreads.com will begin on **Wednesday, March 20th**. We'll start discussing *Wise Men* by **Stuart Nadler** and *Vampires in the Lemon Grove: Stories* by **Karen Russell**. But, don't worry, if you didn't get to talk about the previous books yet those discussion forums will still be open. If you are interested in participating, go to goodreads.com, create an account for yourself, and search for Powell Branch Library Book Discussion under groups. Please be aware, books are not provided for online discussions.



Book Talk with Greg Jones

Local author, Greg Jones will visit the Powell Branch Library on **Thursday, March 21st at 6:30 p.m.** Mr. Jones will be speak about his new book *Long Ride to Laramie*, answer questions regarding his work and process, and sign books afterward. Copies of his book will be available for purchase and refreshments will be served.

Film Showing: Truck Farm

Join us at the library for a free showing of *Truck Farm*, a comedy film directed by Ian Cheney. The film depicts the roots of the Truck Farm mobile garden education project, which began when Cheney planted a garden in the bed of a 1986 Dodge truck in Brooklyn, N.Y. Co-sponsored by the Friends of the Powell Branch Library and the UW Extension. This film will be shown at **6:30 p.m.** on **Thursday, March 28th** in the *Fireside Room*.

Library Notes

Friends of the Library Book Sale

The book sale will be held in the basement of the Powell Branch Library from **10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.** on **Saturday, March 2nd**.

Library Board Meeting

The Park County Library Board will meet at **4:15 p.m.** on **Thursday, March 21st** at the Park County Library in Cody. This meeting is open to the public.

Friends of the Powell Branch Library Meeting

The Friends of the Powell Branch Library will meet at **6:00 p.m.** on **Tuesday, February 26th** in the *Fireside Room*. This is open to the public.