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PINE RIVER LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

April 2024



**Wed. April 10:
Delayed opening
at 10 AM for
monthly staff
meeting**



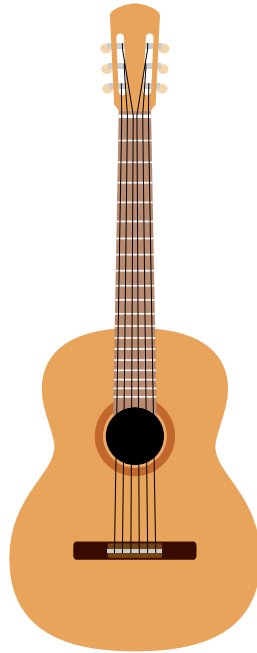
The library hosts two monthly matinees! First Friday Matinees are aimed at adults and Family Friday Matinees (third Friday of the month) will be kids' movies.



**First Friday
Matinee,
April 5
1:30 PM,
Ferrari (R)**



**Family
Friday
Matinee,
April 19
1:30 PM,
Wish**



New Program Alert!

**Community Music Makers
Second Thursday of the Month, 3-5 PM**

Local musicians of all abilities and instruments (including voice!) are welcome to join the "Community Music Makers" jam every second Thursday of the month from 3-5 PM at Pine River Library. The group's goal is to share their songs and love of music of all kinds. Participants are invited to bring their instrument and a few copies of what they would like to play and share. Don't be intimidated; the group truly is of all ability levels!

Happy National Poetry Month!

**Community Poetry Slam:
April 4, 6-8 PM**



Come support our local poets! The Library will be hosting a community poetry slam in partnership with the Bayfield School District on Thursday, April 4 from 6-8 PM. Members of the community and students in middle school and high school are invited to participate. Readings must be kept to a limit of four minutes and participants are asked to sign up ahead of time. The recommended audience age is 12+. For more information contact Roxanne Henderson at 970-501-0044 or Brian Sleevi at 970-844-1134. Call the library at 970.884.2222 ext, 1 to sign up to read.

Life Coaching Series Continues

[Brooke Smith](#), local author and Master Certified Life-coach, is currently hosting a FREE five part Life Coaching series at the library. Check out the full listing of upcoming classes below.

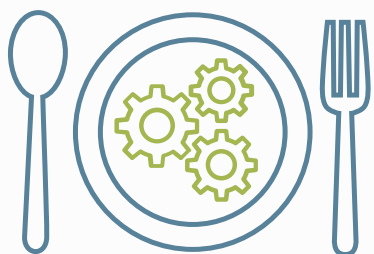


Wildly Imaginable Goals (WIGs) | Tuesday, April 23 | 6-8 PM

Brooke believes that our goals are limited to the constructs of our current imagination. When we can expand our thinking by just a touch, we can explore beyond what our current imagination has to offer, so that we can think up WILDLY IMAGINABLE GOALS that are achievable, successful, and best of all, FUN!

Turtle Steps | Tuesday, May 14 | 6-8 PM

You've had a goal in mind for a while now, and it keeps getting tabled due to a series of life events that are beyond your control. A day job. Kids. Family. House. Car. Whatever. You tell yourself, "During my next vacation, I'll focus on writing my book," or, "Maybe when I retire, I can finally start traveling!" What if the goal could be reached in no time flat in under five minutes a day?? And it won't feel like work at all. Sounds like a dream, doesn't it? Well, it's possible!



Learn Over Lunch Starts This Month! First Thursday of Each Month 11:30 AM-2 PM

Seniors, join us each month to enjoy a free lunch and a presentation from a local expert! The topic of our first presentation on Thursday, April 4th will be: "Local Stories: A Ute family history you didn't know." Longtime Ignacio resident Johnny Valdez will speak about his family's fascinating history. Johnny is an expert on Southern Ute history and a descendant of Ute tribal leader Kitty Cloud and John Taylor -- a former enslaved person who served in the Civil War and went on to become a local Buffalo Soldier, land owner and Tribal interpreter. RSVP by calling the Library at 970.884.2222 ext. 1 or the Senior Center at 970.884.5415. You can also RSVP by stopping by either the Library or Senior Center. Please RSVP by the day before the presentation.

Plus more programs including:

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia | Tuesday, April 9 | 6-7:30 PM



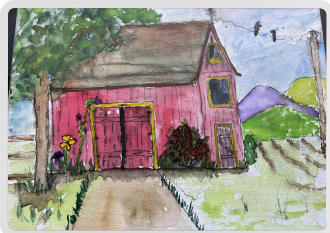
Join Kelly Osthoff from the Colorado chapter of the Alzheimer's Association to learn about the impact of Alzheimer's, the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, disease stages, and risk factors. Plus she'll also share Alzheimer's Association resources and talk about current research and treatments to address some symptoms.

Ask a Gardener | Thursday, April 11 | 6-7:30 PM

Come with all your garden related questions and get answers from our panel of local garden experts!



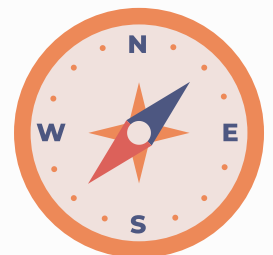
Paint and Sip | Tuesday, April 16 | 6-8 PM



Join us for another Paint and Sip with Cindy Shelton! Participants will use watercolors to paint a 8"x10" canvas with a cheerful barn scene while enjoying a glass of wine. When used on canvas, watercolor is very user friendly, so no experience is necessary. The \$30 class fee includes all materials and one glass of wine. A part of the class fees will also be donated to the Friends of the Pine River Library to help support library programs and initiatives. Register and pay at cynthiasheltonart.com

Find Your Adventure: Make Your Passion Your Paycheck Thursday, April 25 | 5-6:30 PM

This joint Bayfield High School, R.O.A.R, Bayfield Education Foundation, and Pine River Library event gives participants the chance to hear from local community members who have made careers out of their interests rather than college degrees. This event is geared towards teenagers but is open to all!





YOUTH SERVICES

KIDS PROGRAMS

Hopper's Storytime: Thursdays 11-11:30 AM

Join us weekly to read books, meet new friends, and make a craft together



School Readiness Workshop: Thursdays, March 28-May 2, 11-11:30 AM

Starting March 28, childhood developmental experts from the Early Childhood Council will host weekly school readiness workshops for children ages 3-5 and their caregivers at the Library. Participants will also receive a free book and other goodies to help support their readiness to thrive in school- while supplies last!

STEAM Power Hour (Grades 3-5): Mondays, 4-5 PM

Junior STEAM Power Hour (Grades K-2): Wednesdays, 4-5 PM

Join us weekly to explore new interests, delve into the wonders of learning science, and create artistic masterpieces! Pre-registration required. Visit www.prlibrary.org/kids-programs/ to register.

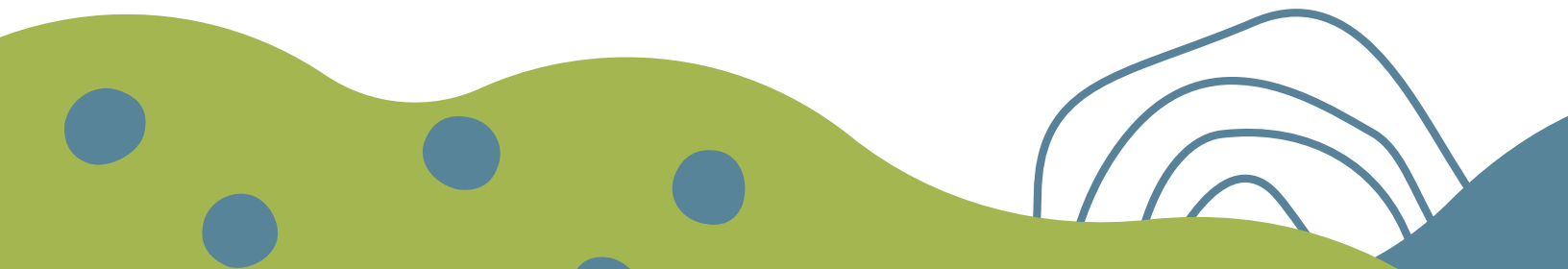
TEENS PROGRAMS

Free Play: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4-5 PM

Join us after school for Tabletop games, PlayStation, Oculus, food, and fun!

Tabletop Club: Monthly on the First Friday, 11 AM-1 PM (April 5)

Join us for a monthly tabletop gaming session! Magic, D&D, Cthulhu, and more- you choose the adventure!





Monthly/Weekly Events

Community Knitting and Crochet Group | Sundays, 2-4 PM

All are welcome! Whether you have been knitting and/or crocheting for years or you would like to learn, we are happy to have you and will do our best to help you get started.

Friends of the Library Shed Book Sale | Tuesdays, 1-3 PM

Come stop by the shed in the library parking lot for our weekly popup book sale! There are many wonderful books to choose from!

Typeset Writers' Group | Monday, April 1, 6-8 PM

No rules, just writing! Each month a member of the group will bring an article for discussion. Participants also have the option to bring two pages of their own writing to read aloud, but it's not required. If you'd like to read your own writing, please bring it in manuscript format.

Card Making at the Pine River Senior Center | Tuesday, April 9, 10-11 AM

Join us at the Pine River Senior Center every second Tuesday of the month and create two beautiful handmade cards. 100% free!

NEW MONTHLY PROGRAM!: Community Music Makers | Friday, April 11, 3-5 PM

Local musicians of all abilities and instruments (including voice!) are welcome to join us every second Thursday of the month! We share our songs and love of music of all kinds. Please bring your instrument and a few copies of what you want to play and share. We usually go around the circle and each person shares a song with others joining in. Do not be intimidated; we truly are of all ability levels!

Mahjong Meetup | Friday, April 12 and 26, 4-5:30 PM

Mahjong is a tile-based table-top game developed in 19th century China. Similar to the Western card game rummy, mahjong is a game of skill, strategy, and luck. It is entertaining to play and, like dominoes, is relatively easy to learn. All are welcome. Join us twice monthly to play!

Death Café | Tuesday, April 16 1-2:30 PM

Pine River Library is one of many groups in 79 countries across the world that host Death Cafés. A Death Café is a time and place where people come to share food, drink tea or coffee, and discuss death openly and honestly. The aim is to increase awareness about death in order to help people make the most of their (finite) lives. Join us every third Tuesday of the month.

Library Board Meeting | No Meeting in April

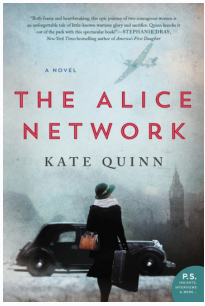
Spanish Conversation Hour | Thursday, April 25, 11:30-12:30 PM

Join us for an hour of conversation en español at the library. Come practice your Spanish in an informal setting. All ages and language levels welcome!

Pine River Senior Center Outreach | Friday, April 26, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM

Enjoy books and DVDs available for check out, delivered to you at the Senior Center with an extended loan period (4 weeks, rather than the standard 1-3 weeks) each month.

BOOK CLUBS



Bookmarks Book Club

Second Wednesday of the Month (April 10) | 2-3:30 PM

Bookmarks is a relaxed book club open to all adults. We read a variety of genres and always welcome new members. Stop by the front desk today to check out your copy of this month's title: [The Alice Network](#) by Kate Quinn.

Cookbook Club

Third Wednesday of the Month (April 17) | Noon-1 PM

Each month we gather together and share a potluck of recipes from a chosen cookbook, chef, or cuisine! Stop by the library and pick up a copy of that month's cookbook and then call or email Darcy to RSVP and let the library know what recipe you'll be making for the potluck (970.884.2222 ext. 522, darcy@prlibrary.org)! In April, we'll be cooking recipes from Julia Child!



EXERCISE CLASSES

Yoga for all | Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9-10 AM

This class lets us move dynamically from one posture to another. We create awareness and harmony between the mind and body that allows us to remove stress and anxiety. We use our breath to move deeper into our body while warming, lengthening, and strengthening our muscles. All you need is a yoga mat and a water bottle. Some yoga tools such as blocks, a blanket and a strap are encouraged. These classes are on a donation basis. Taught by Evelyn Van Antwerp M.Ed., E-RYT 500.

MOUNTAINTOP MOVEMENT

These classes are hosted by local fitness instructors Brian and Tammy Williams. Follow them on the [Mountaintop Movement Facebook page](#) for more info!

- **Full Body Fit Class | Monday-Thursday, 8:15-8:50 AM:** Workout using your own body weight or light hand weights to work all the body parts! The free classes are always similar in style but always different moves to keep it fun and fresh. You'll need a yoga mat & light hand weights. If you don't have them, there are extras that can be used. All ages and fitness levels are welcome! Note: sometimes this class may be held outside in the Library Park!
- **Full Body Stretch | Friday, 8:15-8:50 AM:** After a week of workouts, work, stress, and just life....let's stretch and release! Join us for a small warm up followed by 20-30 min of deep stretching for the entire body.



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT	
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