

New At The Library

Here's what's new at the Yankton Community Library this week:

ADULT BOOKS

- **Black Water Rising** by Attica Locke; Fiction
- **Fearless** by Diana Palmer; Fiction
- **September Fair** by Jess Lowrey; Fiction
- **Two Graves** by Preston & Child; Fiction
- **The Boys of '67** by Andrew Wiest; Nonfiction
- **Counting the Days** by Carig B. Smith; Nonfiction
- **The Freelancer's Bible** by Sara Horowitz; Nonfiction
- **Friendkeeping** by Julie Klam; Nonfiction
- **From Kabul to Baghdad and Back** by Ballard, Lamm & Wood; Nonfiction
- **Jane Doe No More** by M. William Phelps; Nonfiction
- **Killing the Poormaster** by Holly Metz; Nonfiction
- **Lincoln's Last Days** by O'Reilly & Zimmerman; Nonfiction
- **Open Heart** by Elie Wiesel; Nonfiction
- **A Parent's Guide to Children's Medicines** by Edward A. Bell, Pharm, D., BCPS; Nonfiction
- **The Queen of Kative** by Tim Crothers; Nonfiction
- **Rod, the Autobiography** by Rod Stewart; Nonfiction
- **Short Nights of the Shadow Catcher** by Timothy Egan; Nonfiction
- **The Sketchbook Challenge** by Sue Bleiweiss; Nonfiction
- **38 Nooses: Lincoln, Little Crow & the Beginning of the Frontier's End** by Scott W. Berg; Nonfiction
- **Through the Glass** by Shannon Moroney; Nonfiction

ADULT AUDIO BOOKS

- **Cast a Blue Shadow** by P. L. Gaus; Fiction
- **A Christmas Garland** by Anne Perry; Fiction
- **The Forgotten** by David Baldacci; Fiction
- **The Jewels of Paradise** by Donna Leon; Fiction
- **The Last Man** by Vince Flynn; Fiction
- **The Lincoln Conspiracy** by Timothy L. O'Brien; Fiction
- **Poseidon's Arrow** by Clive & Dirk Cussler; Fiction
- **A Prayer for the Night** by P. L. Gaus; Fiction
- **The Reunion** by Dan Walsh; Fiction
- **The Riders of High Rock** by Louis L'Amour; Fiction

ADULT DVDS

- **The Bourne Legacy**
- **The Cup**
- **The Dark Knight Rises**
- **Ice Age: Continental Drift**
- **Sparkle**
- **Ted**
- **Thunderstruck**

YOUNG ADULT BOOKS

- **Burned** by Sara Shepard; Fiction
- **Circles of Seven** by Bryan Davis; Fiction
- **Endlessly** by Kiersten White; Fiction
- **Miracle** by Elizabeth Scott; Fiction

EASY BOOKS

- **What in the Wild?** by Schwartz & Schy; Nonfiction
- **Where Else in the Wild?** by Schwartz & Schy; Nonfiction
- **Where in the Wild?** by Schwartz & Schy; Nonfiction

Yankton Library Announces Holiday Closings

The Yankton Community Library will close at 5 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 23, and reopen on Wednesday, Dec. 26, at 9 a.m.  
The library will close at 5 p.m. Monday, Dec. 31, and reopen on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 9 a.m.  
For further information, call the library at 668-5275.

Movies To Be Shown At Library Next Week

The Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut Street, will be showing movie matinees during the upcoming winter break for children of all ages and adults in the library meeting room. A different movie will be aired each afternoon Dec. 26-28 and Monday, Dec. 31, at 2 p.m. The movies are all rated PG and are approximately 90 minutes long.  
On Dec. 26, the library will feature the movie "ParaNorman." This movie is about a "misunderstood boy who takes on ghosts, zombies and grown-ups to save his town from a centuries-old curse."  
Thursday's showing will be the movie "Thunderstruck": "NBA superstar Kevin Durant plays himself in this action-packed film about a basketball star who switches talents with a klutzy 16-year old."  
Friday, Dec. 28, brings back the ever-popular "Ice Age" characters in the movie entitled "Ice Age: Continental Drift": "The action begins when Scrat's acorn obsession sparks a continental catastrophe that sends Manny, Diego and Sid on an epic adventure involving a ship full of fearsome pirates."  
The final film, "Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days," will be on Monday, Dec. 31: "During his summer vacation, Wimpy Kid Greg Heffley, the hero of the phenomenally successful book series, hatches a plan to pretend he has a job at a ritzy country club- which fails to keep him away from the season's dog days, including embarrassing mishaps at a public pool and a camping trip that goes horribly wrong."  
For more information, contact the library at 668-5275.

B&G Club To Host Teen Holiday Dance Dec. 27

The Boys and Girls Club of Yankton in partnership with the Coalition for a Drug Free Yankton is hosting its first-ever high school Teen Holidazzle Dance at Sh-Booms Dance Club (upstairs from Bowling Alley). The dance takes place on Thursday, Dec. 27, running from 6-10 p.m.  
"The goal of this event is to give high-school aged youth something to do over the holiday break in a safe, positive, and fun environment," said Devin Warren, Unit Director. "We are grateful to have such a 'cool' space to host our dance such as Sh-Booms with a DJ, raffle giveaways, and concessions. New owner Jim Palmer has graciously opened his doors to us and agreed to make the environment 'youth friendly for our event.'"  
Pre-sale tickets can be purchased at the Boys and Girls Club Yankton. There will be an admission fee at the door. Concessions provided. All proceeds go to the Boys and Girls Club of Yankton.  
The Boys and Girls Club is also extending an invitation to any parent who would like to volunteer for this event. If interested, contact Devin Warren at 605-668-9710 or dvarren@greatfuturessd.org.

2013 One Book One Nebraska Announced

LINCOLN, Neb. — "O Pioneers!" by Willa Cather is Nebraska's reading choice for the 2013 One Book One Nebraska statewide reading program.  
Cather's "O Pioneers!" is the story of the Bergsons, a family of Swedish pioneers that settles on the American prairie. While Alexandra, the family matriarch, turns the family farm into a financial success, her brother Emil struggles. A novel surprisingly ahead of its time, this work touches on a wide range of enduring themes—love, marriage, temptation, and isolation.  
The One Book One Nebraska reading program, sponsored by the Nebraska Center for the Book, is now in its ninth year. It encourages Nebraskans across the state to read and discuss one book, chosen from books written by Nebraska authors or that have a Nebraska theme or setting. A committee of the Nebraska Center for the Book selected the finalists from a list of twelve titles nominated by sixty Nebraskans from across the state. The Nebraska Center for the Book board announced the choice for the 2013 One Book One Nebraska at the Celebration of Nebraska Books on November 3 in Lincoln.  
Libraries across Nebraska will join the Willa Cather Foundation, Nebraska Center for the Book, and other literary and cultural organizations in planning book discussions, activities, and events that will encourage Nebraskans to read and discuss this book. Support materials to assist with local reading/discussion activities will be available after Jan. 1, 2013 at http://onebook.nebraska.gov.  
One Book One Nebraska is sponsored by Nebraska Center for the Book, Nebraska Humanities Council, Nebraska Library Association, and Nebraska Library Commission. The Nebraska Center for the Book is housed at and supported by the Nebraska Library Commission and brings together the state's readers, writers, booksellers, librarians, publishers, printers, educators, and scholars to build the community of the book, supporting programs to celebrate and stimulate public interest in books, reading and the written word.

The Bookworm Sez ...

'Lost Gift' Is Great Holiday Find

"The Lost Christmas Gift" by Andrew Beckham; © 2012, Princeton Architectural Press; 40 pages.

BY TERI SCHLICHENMEYER

This Christmas, you'll find lots of surprises beneath your tree.  
Some of them, of course, will arrive from Santa. Others will come in the mail from Grandma or a favorite aunt who lives far away. Then there are the beribboned packages that somehow manage to sneak under the tree, courtesy of someone special.  
Emerson Johansson never expected a gift, especially not something sent decades ago. But in the new book "The Lost Christmas Gift" by Andrew Beckham, he received a box full of memories...  
Two days before Christmas, a box arrived at Emerson Johansson's house. It was wrapped in paper that was old and fragile, and he was surprised to see his father's handwriting on the outside.  
His dad had been dead for years.  
During World War II, Emerson's father worked as a cartographer in France and, judging by the postmarks, Emerson knew that that was where the box had come from, some 70-odd years ago. He wondered where it had been all this time. With excitement, he wondered what was inside it.  
When he opened the box, he found a book.  
Memories came flooding back.  
It had been a special father-son outing, the kind that boys eagerly anticipate each year. They had set out to find the perfect Christmas tree; Emerson had taken his new camera to mark to the occasion, and a flask of hot coffee to keep them warm.  
It was a good thing, too, because the clouds rolled in about noon that day and it snowed very hard. Soon, Emerson and his fa-



ther were lost and they knew they'd have to spend a cold night in a hastily-dug snow shelter.  
But before they could huddle down for the night, Emerson saw something in the woods: it was a small man who carried twigs, and Emerson took a picture. Then they saw another man through the trees, who left some coal. The gifts were just enough to get them through the cold night.  
As he looked through the book his father had made for him all those years ago, Emerson was amazed. His pictures — the ones he thought were missing — were in the book, along with drawings his father had made.  
Drawings made with love. Pictures with Christmas magic behind them...  
Okay, I have to admit that author Andrew Beckham had me there for a minute.

In his brief introduction to "The Lost Christmas Gift," he says that he's known Emerson Johansson for years, which starts this delightful story off on just the right note. From there, we're treated to a book-within-a-book and side by side, across the years comments about a special day shared and the incredible things that happened. I'm not going to give you one more hint here, except to say that if you're not a believer in holiday enchantment now, you will be when you're done reading this tale.  
This Christmas, start a brand-new tradition by reading this exquisitely illustrated, wonderfully told story together with your family. For you and for them, "The Lost Christmas Gift" is the perfect holiday find.

Exhibit Opens At USD's Day Gallery

VERMILLION — "Picturing Native: Photographs from Edward Curtis, Horace Poolaw and Zig Jackson" will be on display at the University of South Dakota at the John A. Day Gallery in the Warren M. Lee Center for Fine Arts.  
In addition to the exhibition, which runs through Wednesday, Jan. 30, "Picturing Native" will include campus lectures from Jackson and Linda Poolaw, daughter of Horace Poolaw, along with a reception honoring them from 5-7:30 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 25 at the Day Gallery. Jackson will be on campus to talk about contemporary photography at 3 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 24, in the Day Gallery while Linda Poolaw will

discuss her father's photographic work at 3 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 25 in the John A. Day Gallery. The artist lectures, exhibition and reception are all free and open to the public.  
"Picturing Native" features the relationship between the photographic medium and the portrayal of American Indian subjects in the past 100 years. The exhibition will feature a small selection of photogravures by Edward Curtis from his publication, "The North American Indian (1907-1930)." This extensive publication, comprised of 10 portfolios and nearly 700 plates, are on loan from the University Libraries Archives and Special Collections at USD. In addition to the photogravures, the

exhibition will feature work by Horace Poolaw (Kiowa), who photographed his family and their daily lives in Oklahoma during a transitional period of assimilation from the 1930s through the 1950s. The exhibition will also showcase the contemporary photography of Jackson (Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara). Jackson's photographs tackle Native American needs and problems, including poverty, alcoholism and suicide.  
Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and on the weekends by appointment. University Art Galleries will be closed Dec. 24-25 and Jan. 1, 2013.

New Year's Eve Party At The Center

The Center, 900 Whiting Drive, Yankton, will host a New Year's Eve Party on Monday, Dec. 31, running from 7-10 p.m.  
There will be live entertainment featuring The Bumble Bees. Beer and wine will also be available for sale.  
For more information, contact Christy Hauer at 605-665-4685 or director@thecenteryankton.org.

