

## New At The Library

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

### ADULT BOOKS

- **And Blue Skies from Pain** by Stina Leicht; Fiction
- **Back Fire** by Catherine Coulter; Fiction
- **I, Michael Bennett** by James Patterson & Michael Ledwidge; Fiction
- **Jack 1939** by Francine Matthews; Fiction
- **Love's Sacred Song** by Mesu Andrews; Fiction
- **Night Watch** by Linda Fairstein; Fiction
- **Potboiler** by Jesse Kellerman; Fiction
- **Ransom River** by Meg Gardiner; Fiction
- **Shelter** by Frances Greenslade; Fiction
- **The Taken** by Vicki Petterson; Fiction
- **Tuesday's Child** by Fern Michaels; Fiction
- **The Unholy** by Heather Graham; Fiction
- **Dinner: A Love Story** by Jenny Rosenstrach; Nonfiction
- **Improv Serving** by Blum & Immergut; Nonfiction
- **How to Watch the Olympics** by Goldblatt & Acton; Nonfiction

### ADULT AUDIO BOOKS

- **Dreams** by Lisa See; Fiction
- **Fifty Shades** trilogy by E.L. James; Fiction
- **The Glass Rainbow** by James Lee Burke; Fiction
- **Kiss the Dead** by Laurell Hamilton; Fiction
- **The Last Boyfriend** by Nora Roberts; Fiction
- **The Red House** by Mark Haddon; Fiction

### YOUNG ADULT BOOKS

- **Between the Lines** by Jodi Picoult & Samantha Van Leer; Fiction
- **Dead to You** by Lisa McMann; Fiction
- **Insurgent** by Veronica Roth; Fiction
- **Never Fall Down** by Patricia McCormick; Fiction
- **The Selection** by Kiera Cross; Fiction

### JUNIOR BOOKS

- **The Bell Bandit** by Jacqueline Davies; Fiction
- **The Extraordinary Education of Nicholas Benedict** by Trenton Lee Stewart; Fiction
- **The Mysterious Benedict Society** by Trenton Lee Stewart; Fiction

## 'Get Outdoors Day' Offered By NPS

The rangers at Missouri National Recreational River invite neighbors and visitors alike to join them at Yankton's Riverside Park for a "Get Outdoors Day" from 12:30-4:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 14. Activities for the event will be set up in front of the Territorial Capitol replica, where Douglas Street meets the river.

Fun, informative, and interactive activities are planned for the day, and kids can earn their Junior Ranger badge and certificate by completing selected activities.

Kids and adults can learn about the Missouri River and its resources, canoeing and kayaking opportunities, and the Missouri National Recreational River, our local national park.

## 'Pipe Dreams' Film To Be Shown In Vermillion

VERMILLION — The film "Pipe Dreams" will be shown at the University of South Dakota's W.H. Over Museum, Vermillion, on Tuesday, July 17. Showtime is 7 p.m.

The film documents the path of the proposed Keystone XL Pipeline through interviews with the people who would be most affected by its construction. The pipeline would carry a thick, sticky form of crude oil known as oil sands from Alberta, Canada, through the Midwest to refineries in the Gulf Coast of Texas. Trans-Canada tried to force ranchers to sign easements more or less blind and threatened them with eminent domain suits. It was one of eight films shortlisted for the Academy Award for best documentary.

This screening is sponsored by Living River Group, Sierra Club.

## Javatones To Open Summer Concert Series

Yankton Area Arts has announced the start of the Summer Pops Series on Tuesday evenings at Riverside Park Amphitheatre. Concerts are always at 8 p.m., they are free to the public and performances will showcase a wide range of talented musicians from the area.

The first performers this year will be the Javatones, a group of vocalists from the Crofton area, who will perform at 8 p.m. Tuesday, July 17. (In case of inclement weather, tune in to local radio stations for a change of venue or call the YAA office with questions.)

The Yankton Area Summer Concert series is sponsored by Yankton Area Arts and the City of Yankton. For more information, call Yankton Area Arts (605) 665-9754.

## Organist To Perform At Yankton's UCC

Returning by popular demand, organist Christian Lane will be playing at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 19, at United Church of Christ (Congregational), Fifth and Walnut, Yankton.

The concert is open to the public. A free-will offering will be received to benefit the South Dakota American Guild of Organists Pipe Organ Encounter.

This event is sponsored by Salmen Organs & Farms in collaboration with the SDAGO Pipe Organ Encounter (organ camp for teenagers).

## B&G Club Fundraiser Slated July 20-21

The fifth annual Boys & Girls Club Social and Auction Event and Golf Tournament will be July 20-21 at the Yankton Elks Lodge and the Fox Run Golf Course.

Tommie Frazier, a former all-American college quarterback for the University of Nebraska, will be the guest speaker at the Social Event Friday evening at the Elks Lodge. There will also be a pulled pork dinner on Friday evening with a live and silent auction.

On Saturday will be the four-person scramble tournament with the winner going home with a package from First Gold Casino in Deadwood.

For more information, contact Julia Larson at 605-692-3333 or [jlaron@greatfuturesd.org](mailto:jlaron@greatfuturesd.org), or visit <http://www.greatfuturesd.org/yanktongolfevent.aspx>.

## 'Late Night For Teens' Swim On Tap July 20

The Yankton Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring its second "Late Night for Teens" of the summer, at 8-10 p.m. Friday, July 20, at Memorial Pool. The events theme is "Mid-Summer Celebration" Come dance the night away with this popular teen event.

For further information, call 668-5234 or stop by the Summit Activities Center at 1801 Summit Street, Yankton. Remember to follow the Yankton Parks and Recreation on Facebook.

## S.D. State Fair Grandstand Tickets On Sale

HURON — Tickets for the 2012 South Dakota State Fair Grandstand entertainment line-up go are now on sale.

Tickets can be purchased three ways: (1) Online at [www.sdstatefair.com](http://www.sdstatefair.com); (2) calling 866-605-3247; (3) at the ticket office. Ticket office hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding the July 4 holiday. Tickets purchased before Aug. 29 will include gate admission.

The 2012 SD State Fair Grandstand line-up is:

- Wednesday, Aug. 29, and Thursday, Aug. 30: Red Wilk Construction CBR Bull Bash
- Friday, Aug. 31: Legend Seeds welcomes Charley Pride with Williams & Ree
- Saturday, Sept. 1: An Evening with the Steve Miller Band
- Sunday, Sept. 2: Chris Young with Lee Brice
- Monday, Sept. 3: Dakota State Fair Speedway Monster Trucks and Stock Car Races

Ticket prices can be found online at [www.sdstatefair.com](http://www.sdstatefair.com).

The 2012 South Dakota State Fair will run from Thursday, Aug. 30, through Monday, Sept. 3. Channel Seeds Preview night will be Wednesday, Aug. 29. For more information on State Fair events, contact the Fair Office at 800-529-0900, visit [www.sdstatefair.com](http://www.sdstatefair.com) or find it on Facebook and Twitter.

## The Book Shelf

# 'Scar' Is A Wonderful Book

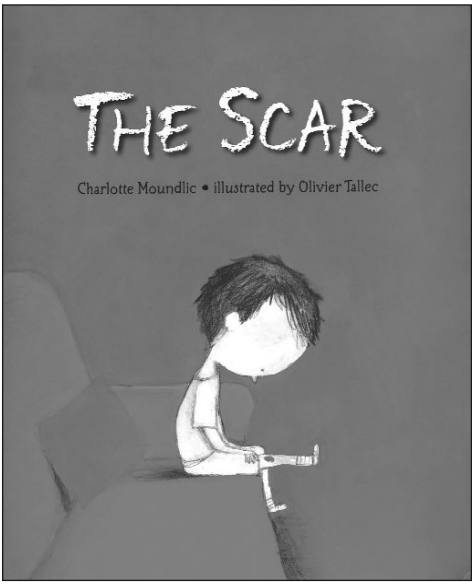
*"The Scar," by Charlotte Moundlic, illustrated by Olivier Tallec, Candlewick Press, 2011. 32 pages.*

BY PAT HANSEN

Few things scare us as much as death does. Perhaps even more frightening than the possibility of our own death is the death of someone we love. As adults we struggle when we lose someone close to us. It's almost impossible to fathom how a young child can handle the death of someone special.

In "The Scar," a young boy, about 6 years old, awakens to learn his mother died during the night. She's been sick and she, her son, and his dad all knew she was going to die. The boy remembers how he got angry with her when she tried to talk to him about her death. He yelled at her and told she should never have had kids if she wasn't going to stick around to see them grow up. He even yelled "Good riddance!" when his dad told him she'd died.

Now the boy doesn't know what to do. He tells his dad he'll take care of him, but he doesn't know how to take care of a dad who's



been crying. He doesn't like seeing his dad cry. Worst of all, the boy is afraid he'll forget his mom. If he keeps the windows closed in the house maybe he can keep her smell forever.

When he falls and scrapes his knee he hears his mom's voice soothing him, just as she did so many times when he was younger and hurt himself. After his knee scabs over he picks the scab off so it hurts and bleeds again — so he can feel his mom again.

What he really needs is a way to hold onto her and remember her. When his mom's mom comes to visit, he lets his concerns pour out of him. Then he listens, since she's older and is a mom herself.

This book is heartbreaking and beautiful at the same time. We feel the boy's pain but also his concern for his dad and grandma. His last words to his mom were angry words, which he has to live with now.

The illustrations are very sparse, but convey great emotion.

This is a picture book for ages 5 and up, but would bring tears and laughter even to an adult. We never learn the boy's name, but I think that is because he could be any one of us. I highly recommend this book for any child and any adult who has lost someone they love. You'll probably read it over and over.

## Poker Alice To Perform At Gayville

GAYVILLE — The Poker Alice Band and country singer Brenda George return to Gayville Hall on Saturday, July 21, for an 8 p.m. concert of fiddle tunes, western swing, country, jump blues, and pop.

The veteran, five-piece band from Clay County was founded in the mid-1980s and is known for its virtuosity and eclectic repertoire, according to Gayville Hall proprietor Doug Sharples.

Co-founder Nick Schwebach sings and plays lead and steel guitars. Owen DeJong, who holds a masters degree in violin performance, plays the fiddle. Both are from rural Wakonda.

Larry Rohrer, also of rural Wakonda, sings and plays bass. The other band members, of rural Beresford, are Dennis Jensen on guitar and vocals and Al Remund on drums.

George, of Avon, sang with



The Poker Alice Band and singer Brenda George perform at Gayville Hall at 8 p.m. on Saturday, July 21. Shown, from left, are Larry Rohrer, Brenda George, and Owen DeJong.

Poker Alice in the late 1980s and has reunited with the band once or twice annually at Gayville Hall since 2003.

Gayville Hall is at 502 Washington Street in Gayville. Call 605-267-2859 for ticket information.

## Photo Album Of 1936 South Dakota Donated To State Historical Society

PIERRE — The South Dakota State Historical Society-Archives recently received a tourist's photo album of South Dakota images taken in June 1936.

The photo album features images taken and collected by Roy E. Karlen, a 1934 graduate of the University of Minnesota (Minneapolis), Civil Engineering program. Karlen took more than 120 photos of South Dakota in June of 1936 while traveling through the state.

"Tourism has always played a major role in South Dakota's history," notes Chelle Somsen, state archivist at the Cultural Heritage Center in Pierre. "This collection represents one man's journey through South Dakota, with photos of the state's tourist destinations, in the mid-1930s."

Images from the photo album start in Sioux City, Iowa, travel through South Dakota, and continue to Wyoming, the Bighorn Mountains and Yellowstone National Park.

Some of the destinations Karlen photographed in South Dakota include:

- the University of South Dakota,
- Yankton's Diamond Jubilee parade,
- the Missouri River,
- Badlands,
- Mount Coolidge Tower,

- Sitting Bull Crystal Cavern,
- the Stratobowl,
- Mount Rushmore,
- Needles Highway,
- State Game Lodge,
- Sylvan Lake,
- Bear Butte,
- Wind Cave National Park,
- Harney Peak, and
- the Petrified Wood Park in Lemmon.

"A small number of the State Archives' manuscript collections originate from out-of-state sources," Somsen adds. "They are either created by non-South Dakotans or are collected by family members whose relatives once lived in the state."

Additional images taken by Karlen are viewable on the South Dakota State Archives Facebook page.

To donate items relating to the history of South Dakota please, contact Matthew Reitzel, manuscript archivist, at (605) 773-3615; or Dan Brosz, curator of collections, at (605) 773-6013.

The State Historical Society-Archives is open Monday through Friday and the first Saturday of each month from 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. CDT. Contact the archives by phone at (605) 773-3804 or by email at [archref@state.sd.us](mailto:archref@state.sd.us).

## Summer Library Events In Final Weeks

All adults and young adults are invited to the Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut, for the final weeks of its summer reading program.

On Monday, July 16, at 7 p.m., Julie Mooney will present "Feng Shui Your Bedroom." Participants will view historic bedrooms of some very influential people from world history. Then Julie will give us tips and ideas on how to make your bedroom that comfortable place that helps you get a great night's sleep.

Shane Gerlach is the guest presenter for the Between the Lines Book Club at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday,

July 17. He will feature Guy Fieri's book "Cookin' It, Livin' It, Lovin' It" and discuss how this chef grew up a foodie, as well as the influences on his life and cooking style. This session is open to anyone who wishes to attend.

On Wednesday, July 25, if the sky is clear, attendees will star gaze, meeting at the Mount Marty College parking lot at 9:30 p.m. Jim Miner says there should be great views of the moon, Saturn and Mars. If the sky is not clear on July 25, the event will be held July 26 at the same time and place.

The Ghost Tour will take place at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 26. The public will meet at the Dakota Territorial Museum, 610 Summit, and board a Yankton Transit bus for this tour. The guide, Crystal Nelson, director of the Museum, will provide stories and lore of local history as the bus travels throughout the city. There is a fee that must be paid at the library by July 25. If the 7 p.m. tour fills, a second tour will run at 8 p.m.

For further information on this or any program at the library, call 668-5275.

## Heritage Music Fest In Elk Point

ELK POINT — Mark your calendars and enjoy a day and evening of live, talented, quality entertainment and acoustic country, gospel, and variety music Saturday, July 21, at the eighth annual Heritage Music Fest, to be held in the air-conditioned Elk Point Jefferson Middle School Gym, 402 S. Douglas, in Elk Point. The festival runs from 11 a.m.-9:30 p.m.

The fundraiser proceeds will benefit Elk Point Mason Lodge #3 high school youth scholarship program and the South Dakota Masonic Foundation which funds the Youth MMSAT, SDCHIP and Masonic Scholarships.

Featured artists will be nationally renowned Nashville Singer/Songwriter Terry S. Smith who is famous for Johnny Cash's recording of "Far Side Banks of Jordan." He will be backed up by Rick and Harriette Andersen of Under-

wood, Iowa. Newcomers to the music fest will be John and Susan McNeill of Springfield. South Dakota Hall of Fame Inductees on the program are Elaine Peacock and Wilbur Foss. The roster also includes The Bumblebees, singer/songwriter Kelsey Klingensmith from Merville, Iowa; Delay Langel, of Jefferson; 15-year-old fiddler Katie Giorgio of Elk Point; the South Dakota Country Music Hall of Fame musicians and others.

For more information regarding Heritage Music Festival contact Elaine Peacock at 605-356-2069, email [elainepeacockmusic@yahoo.com](mailto:elainepeacockmusic@yahoo.com) or through her website, [www.elainepeacock.com](http://www.elainepeacock.com) (Heritage Music Fest tab) or Don Gray at 605-356-2243; email: [donagray@hotmail.com](mailto:donagray@hotmail.com) or visit [www.mygrandlodge.org](http://www.mygrandlodge.org).

## Flower/Vegetable Show Slated July 28

The Yankton Town and Country Garden Club is sponsoring a Flower/Vegetable Show on Saturday, July 28, at the Yankton Community Library.

Guidelines for entering may be picked up at the library, the Chamber of Commerce or the 4-H Office. Submit your entries from 9 a.m.-noon (no charge), with judging from noon-1

p.m. The show is then open for free public viewing in the library's meeting room from 1-4:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Betts Pulkrabek at 463-2206.

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