

New At The Library

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

ADULT BOOKS

- **All Day and a Night** by Alafair Burke; Fiction
- **All Fall Down** by Jennifer Weiner; Fiction
- **The Arsonist** by Sue Miller; Fiction
- **Cop Town** by Karin Slaughter; Fiction
- **Invisible** by James Patterson & David Ellis; Fiction
- **Nantucket Sisters** by Nancy Thayer; Fiction
- **The Red Room** by Ridley Pearson; Fiction
- **Robert Ludlum's The Bourne Ascendancy** by Eric Van Lustbader; Fiction
- **The Silkworm** by Robert Galbraith; Fiction
- **Terminal City** by Linda Fairstein; Fiction
- **Truth Stained Lies** by Terri Blackstock; Fiction
- **The Closer** by Mariano Rivera; Nonfiction
- **The Doctor's Diet** by Travis Stork; Nonfiction
- **Drunk Mom** by Jowita Bydlowska; Nonfiction
- **Leaders Eat Last** by Simon Sinek; Nonfiction
- **Master Owita's Guide to Gardening** by Carol Wall; Nonfiction
- **Patent, Copyright & Trademark** by Attorney Richard Stim; Nonfiction
- **Your Life Calling** by Jane Pauley; Nonfiction

ADULT AUDIO BOOKS

- **Ruin Falls** by Jenny Milchman; Fiction

YOUNG ADULT BOOKS

- **Nightspell** by Leah Cypess; Fiction

EASY BOOKS

- **Churchill's Tale** by Anca Sandu; Fiction
- **The Numberlys** by William Joyce & Christina Ellis; Fiction
- **Goodnight Songs** by Margaret Wise Brown; Nonfiction

FAMILY DVDS

- **Axel: The Biggest Little Hero**

Quilt Fest Opens Today In Freeman

FREEMAN — Freeman's Quilt Fest 2014, will be held on the campus of Freeman Academy, Friday, June 27 (1-9 p.m.), and Saturday, June 28 (9 a.m.-3 p.m.).

In addition to the large exhibit of machine and hand-quilted quilts, attendees will find quilts for purchase, a silent auction of antique quilts and small quilts, quilt-related demonstrations and vendors, second-hand quilting treasures sale, a raffle quilt and for purchase each day, a delicious array of salads, wraps, and homemade pie.

As a part of the admission price, viewers are invited to the demonstrations. Through the South Dakota Humanities Speaker's Bureau, quilt-maker Phyllis Schrag, is the show's guest speaker and each day is filled with interesting topics such as "Honoring the Past"; "Modern Quilts from Ancient Moais"; "Quilts with a Mission"; "Binding Options"; and "Those Pesky Scraps."

Many of the quilts displayed will be available for purchase. More information, entry forms and pictures of the quilts for sale can be found on the Quilt Fest website -<http://freeman-quiltfest.wix.com/2014> or by calling 553-0206 or 605-334-3846.

A Quilt Fest tradition at the close of the Saturday's show is the outdoor Pork BBQ "Ribs at the Ranch" event. Serving begins at 4:30 p.m. in the north campus parking lot with a menu of Baby Back Ribs, Pulled Pork, 1919 root beer, snow cones and other delectable sides. The evening is complete with local musicians entertaining on an outdoor stage.

Benefit For Storm Victims Is Saturday

BOW VALLEY, Neb. — The OutBack Band and the Bow Valley Ballroom and Riverfront Broadcasting have joined forces with other volunteers to put on a fundraiser for those affected by the Cedar/Dixon County tornadoes.

The event will be held Saturday, June 28, from 3-10 p.m. at the Bow Valley Ballroom in Bow Valley, Nebraska. There will be a free will offering at the door.

The OutBack Band will put on a two-hour variety show from 3-5 p.m. There will be a jam session and dance from 5:30-10 p.m.

Any musicians and singers that would like to participate in the jam session are asked to contact Howard Grimm at 605-661-4748. Anyone wishing to donate food or baked items for a bake sale or a silent auction item should contact Ruth Wiebelhaus at 402-841-5624.

For more information or to volunteer to help with this fundraiser, email Laurie Larsen at lkarsen_72@gpcom.net.

Summer Reading Activities Carry On

Summer Reading activities continue at the Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut Street.

Tuesday, July 1, is Kitchen Science Day. Elementary and middle school children are invited to join us as we take everyday ingredients and experiment with them.

Escape the heat with the movie "Wall-E" at the library on July 2, from 1-2:30 p.m. "After hundreds of lonely years of doing what he was built for, the curious and lovable Wall-E discovers a new purpose in life when he meets a sleek search robot named EVE." Bring the whole family as the movie is rated G.

The Missouri National Recreational River National Park Teacher Rangers will lead two sessions at the library on Thursday, July 3. Learn all about frogs during their 10:15 a.m. or 2 p.m. session. The programs include crafts, learning activities, songs and more.

Area preschool through high school children are invited to participate in the free Summer Reading Program at the Yankton Community Library which runs through Aug. 2. Register, and pick up your minute calendar and calendar of events today.

Preschooler story time continues on Mondays at 6:30 p.m., and Wednesdays and Thursdays at 10:15 a.m. Story time activities include stories, music and crafts.

Everyone that reads, listens to reading, or reads to someone else can earn book bucks to spend at our store. For every 100 minutes read and recorded on the minute calendar, participants receive a book buck to spend at our summer store. Fizz! Boom! Read!

For additional information, call 668-5276.

Menno To Host Fourth Of July Parade

MENNO — The American Legion Rames-Bender Post 152 of Menno will sponsor an Independence Day parade in Menno on Friday, July 4, starting at 11 a.m.

The theme for this year's annual parade is "Let Freedom Ring." If you wish to enter the parade, contact Roger Mensch at 605-387-5558 or arrive and register at the old school gym at 9 a.m. All parade entries are first come-first served.

Three cash prizes will be awarded in the following categories: Adult Organizations; Youth Organizations and Commercial Entries.

Menno's Fourth of July festivities will conclude with a baseball game at 7:30 p.m., followed by a fireworks display at approximately 10 p.m.

St. Helena 4th Of July Celebration Set

ST. HELENA, Neb. — St. Helena will host its 80th annual Fourth of July Celebration on the Social Grounds and in the Immaculate Conception Parish Hall.

Co-ed Volleyball and Softball tournaments begins at 8 a.m. Broasted Chicken and ham dinner including salad bar, hot vegetable and pie served 4-8 p.m. in Immaculate Conception Parish Hall. Carnival games, raffle, bingo and a fireworks display to round out the day.

4th Of July Boat Parade Planned

There will be a Fourth of July boat parade at 4 p.m. on July 4 at Lewis and Clark Lake west of Yankton.

Boats should be decorated for the Independence Day theme. Line-up is at 3:30 p.m. The parade begins at the Hobie Beach at Lewis and Clark Marina and ends at Gavins Point.

The Bookworm

Flawed 'Ricochet' Still Hits Mark

"Ricochet: Riding a Wave of Hope with the Dog Who Inspires Millions" by Judy Fridono with Kay Pfaltz; © 2014, HCI; 271 pages.

BY TERRI SCHLICHENMEYER

You were overjoyed when your dog learned to "SIT!"

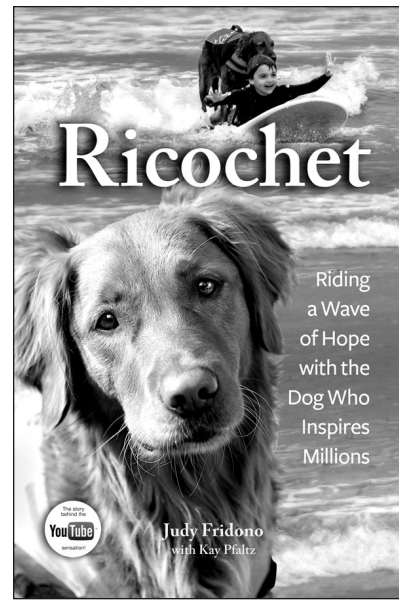
"Down" came eventually, then "roll over" and "stay." He can "shake" both paws, fetch, find, and you're working on other wicked-cool tricks that he's eager to learn.

Your dog is a quick learner but can he raise money? Judy Fridono's dog can, and in the new book "Ricochet: Riding a Wave of Hope with the Dog Who Inspires Millions" (with Kay Pfaltz), you'll read more about this YouTube sensation.

Following a tumultuous childhood, a divorce, and battling severe illness, Judy Fridono knew that she wanted to do something good for someone else. Since she'd always loved dogs, she decided to raise a puppy for a service-dog organization - but when the pup, Rina, was ready to be relinquished for training, Fridono was horrified.

She knew she shouldn't have fallen in love with the dog, but she did - and sensitive Rina seemed to "shut down" from organizational training. In short order, she was turned away as a service dog and Fridono reclaimed her beloved golden-lab mix.

That experience led Fridono back to school, so that she could learn to teach



service dogs in a gentler manner. To do it, she needed to begin training puppies almost from birth and, while the first litter was whelping, she "asked" the laboring mother dog for a female puppy with a white chest marking.

The nextborn was a female puppy with a white chest marking. Fridono kept the baby and named her Ricochet.

For a little over a year, Ricochet was a willing pupil. She did everything Fridono asked of her and even anticipated some of the actions that were expected. Fridono knew she had a special pooch, that Ricochet would be an excel-

lent service dog one day.

But when Ricochet grew apathetic, Fridono became frustrated. Where did her obedient, smart girl go? What was the key to unlocking Ricochet's enthusiasm again?

Fridono found the answer buried in sand and surf.

Today, 6-year-old Ricochet has raised thousands of dollars for various efforts. She has a slew of certifications behind her name and is "the only SUR-Fice dog in the world," working with the disabled, PTSD-sufferers, and veterans. That, alone, would've made a great tale — if it had stopped right there.

Instead, authors Judy Fridono and Kay Pfaltz included a lot of extraneous storytelling that can plod, pages of new-ageyness, and a good dose of canine grandiosity. Admittedly, I'm very guilty of anthropomorphism myself - but not like what's here.

And yet... dog lovers who love nothing more than to compare pooches will revel in this book. Its great be-true-to-yourself message is good for all ages, doggy-parents will totally understand its sentimentality, it'll warm kindred hearts, and even the most jaded reader couldn't deny that this is a special pup with healing abilities.

Overall, I think this is a total dog-lover's book but it has flaws that may send some people away. Still, if you want to be completely, 100-percent charmed by a real-life shaggy-dog story, then here's a book for you.

Fetch "Ricochet," then SIT.

Yankton Library

'Fizz Boom READ' Continues

BY KATHY JACOBS-WIBBELS

Yankton Community Library

Have you registered for the Yankton Community Library's summer reading program yet? If not, you still have time as our program runs throughout the month of July. Activities and reading plans are available for preschool children through adults. Every day is an adventure you won't want to miss!

July highlights for preschool and elementary children are the following: story times weekly on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, a hot air balloon demo on July 7, weather permitting; Lego Robotics with Andy on July 11; Mr. Twister, July 14; "The Jungle Book," July 21; and Puppeteer Lisa Laird on July 24. Check your calendars for event times.

Keep reading throughout the month as you earn a book buck for every 100 minutes you log. Our store closes on Saturday, Aug. 2, 5 p.m. Be sure you redeem your book bucks before then as you lose your opportunity to shop after Aug. 2 and there is no carry over to next summer with this year's book bucks.

What's still on tap for the teens? You are invited to participate in the Historic Cemetery Walk and Book Upcycling. Continue to read and complete your Periodic Reading Table for prizes. During June, we've had wonderful teen volunteers who have worked on all types of children's projects. Thanks to all of you!

The Historic Cemetery Walk in partnership with the Dakota Territorial Museum is back by popular demand. On July 8, ticket holders will meet at the City cemetery to engage with re-enactors who will tell the stories of some of

Yankton's colorful citizens of the past. Please note that you will be "introduced" to all new people this year. Their careers differed greatly but they all added to our history. Tickets for tours, which start every fifteen minutes beginning at 6 p.m., can be purchased at the library.

Join us at Kline's Jewelry, 218 West 3rd Street, on Tuesday, July 22, at 6:30 p.m. for a presentation by business owner Dave Kline "Shine Like a Diamond." Dave will talk about the science of diamonds and jewels and give us a look at what makes a gem precious. Because of our location, we are limiting this to twenty persons. It is free of charge but please register at the library prior to the event.

On Tuesday, July 29, at 6:30 p.m., our summer activities conclude with a Book Upcycling night. Using vintage books, we're bringing Pinterest to the library and introducing you to ways to use these books to decorate your home or office. This event is free of charge but you must register at the library to be included. This class is limited to 20 persons.

The last day to return your completed adult summer reading bingo card to the library is Aug. 1. On Aug. 2, we'll draw from the bingo cards received and award prizes. Good luck! Readers Anonymous book club will discuss "The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time" by Mark Haddon on July 8. This club, which is always open to new members, meets the second Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m.

Between the Lines book club will discuss "Wild" (from "Lost to Found on the Pacific Coast Trail") by Cheryl Strayed on Tuesday, July 8, at 5:30 p.m.

Music Programs Planned At NMM

VERMILLION — A warm night and beautiful live music — that's the stuff of memories. As part of their "NMM Live!" A Little Summer Night Music series, the National Music Museum will hold two outdoor concerts on its plaza. Trumpets will be blazing.

The Kentucky Baroque Trumpets will perform on Friday, June 27, at 7 p.m., and the South Dakota Brass Quintet will play on Friday, July 4, at 7 p.m. Admission to the concerts will be free (but donations are always welcome). People are also encouraged to arrive early and bring folding chairs or blankets. If weather is inclement on June 27 or July 4, the NMM concerts will be moved to Farber Hall inside the Old Main Building on the campus of the University of South Dakota. No food or drink are permitted inside.

The award-winning Kentucky Baroque Trumpets ensemble tours internationally, playing everything from courtly 17th-century pieces to modern blockbusters like the Olympic Fanfare and the theme to Rocky. The 13-member ensemble recreates the majestic sounds and styles of the historic baroque trumpet including signal calls, cavalry music, voice accompaniment, dance and solo music. They recently won the National Trumpet Competition in the historic division, performed the soundtrack for a TV commercial, and recorded a new CD to be re-

leased later this year.

KBT's Don Johnson says that the NMM's concert will include a rare treat: the debut of a recently recovered 1614 sonata. The 400-year-old Bendinelli composition has been transferred to modern musical notation for the first time by Johnson and renowned international trumpeter Friedemann Immer (who will also be featured in the concert).

On July 4, the NMM will host the South Dakota Brass Quintet on the Museum's plaza. Heralding local fireworks, the group will perform spirited American compositions. The SDBQ is made up of area and University of South Dakota musicians: Rolf Olson and Scott Olson on trumpet, Gary Reeves on horn, Jonathan Alvis on trombone, and Chuck Dibley on tuba. The group is also preparing to record their second CD.

Thanks to generous donors — concert-goers can also tour the Museum for free before these Friday-evening shows. First Dakota National Bank (June sponsors) and the South Dakota Arts Council (July sponsors) are among those who make the Museum's ongoing free Friday-admission program possible.

The National Music Museum is located at 414 E. Clark St. (at the corner of Clark and Yale), on the University of South Dakota campus, in Vermillion.

South Dakota State Fair Grandstand Tickets On Sale

HURON — Tickets to the 2014 South Dakota State Fair Grandstand are now on sale to the general public.

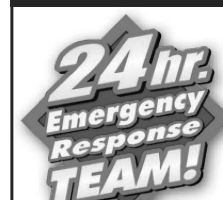
Tickets can be purchased at the grandstand ticket office, online at www.sdstatefair.com or by calling 866-605-FAIR. Ticket prices can be found on the grandstand page of the State Fair website.

The grandstand lineup includes heavy hitters in the country and classic rock music world, along with rising stars in the country music industry.

- Wednesday, Aug. 27 and Thursday, Aug. 28 — Red Wilk Construction CBR Bull Bash
- Friday, Aug. 29 — Legend Seeds welcomes Alabama with Chancey Williams & the Younger Brothers Band
- Saturday, Aug. 30 — Josh Abbot Band with Stoney LaRue and Aaron Watson
- Sunday, Aug. 31 — Boston with Kory and the Fireflies
- Monday, Sept. 1 — Monster Trucks and Soccer Demolition Derby

The 2014 South Dakota State Fair will run from Thursday, Aug. 28, through Monday, Sept. 1. Channel Seeds preview night will be Wednesday, Aug. 27. This year's theme is "What Does The Fair Say?" For more information on State Fair events, contact the Fair office at 800-529-0900, visit or find them on Facebook and Twitter.

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