

New At The Library

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

ADULT BOOKS

- **The Cat Sitter's Nine Lives** by Blize & John Clement; Fiction
- **An Event in Autumn** by Henning Mankell; Fiction
- **The Girl Next Door** by Ruth Rendell; Fiction
- **Gutenberg's Apprentice** by Alix Christie; Fiction
- **The Lotus and the Storm** by Lan Cao; Fiction
- **Nora Webster** by Colm Toibin; Fiction
- **Really the Blues** by Joseph Koenig; Fiction
- **The River Burns** by Trevor Ferguson; Fiction
- **Some Luck** by Jane Smiley; Fiction
- **A Song for Issy Bradley** by Carys Bray; Fiction
- **Three Bargains** by Tania Maliki; Fiction
- **Truth Be Told** by Hank Phillippi Ryan; Fiction
- **Undiplomatic Murder** by Margaret Truman; Fiction
- **Unmanned** by Dan Fesperman; Fiction
- **Virtue Falls** by Christina Dodd; Fiction
- **The Greenhouse Gardener's Manual** by Roger Marshall; Nonfiction
- **How to Raise a Husband** by Tonilyn Hornung; Nonfiction
- **The Removers** by Andrew Meredith; Nonfiction

ADULT DVDS

- **Transformers: Age of Extinction**

YOUNG ADULT BOOKS

- **Confessions: The Paris Mysteries** by Patterson & Paetro; Fiction
- **I Am the Mission** by Allen Zadoff; Fiction
- **If You're Reading This** by Trent Reed; Fiction
- **Words and Their Meanings** by Kate Bassett; Fiction

JUNIOR BOOKS

- **Digby O'Day in the Fast Lane** by Hughes & Vulliamy; Fiction
- **The Iron Trial** by Holly Black & Cassandra Clare; Fiction
- **Rain Reign** by Ann M. Martin; Fiction
- **A Tangle of Knots** by Lisa Graff; Fiction

EASY BOOKS

- **Kid Sheriff and the Terrible Toads** by Bob Shea; Fiction
- **100 Things That Make Me Happy** by Amy Schwartz; Fiction
- **Sebastian and the Balloon** by Philip C. Stead; Fiction

Exhibit Debuts Tonight At GAR Gallery

Yankton Area Arts presents a new exhibit "River, Wings & Sky," featuring mosaics and poetry of Nancy Losacker and Norma Wilson of Vermillion. The exhibit is sponsored by Yankton Area Arts, the South Dakota Humanities Council, and the South Dakota Arts Council and will open today (Friday) at the G.A.R. Hall Gallery, with a reception from 5-7 p.m. and a gallery talk at 5:30 p.m.

Losacker and Wilson have been collaborating for almost six years after meeting on the riverbank to share their visual art and poetry. They draw inspiration from "the Missouri River, winged creatures, the infinite sky" and each other.

The show runs through Nov. 18. Exhibits are free to the public. The gallery is open 1-5 p.m. weekdays and 1-3 p.m. Saturdays.

LCTC To Hold '34th Street' Auditions

The Lewis and Clark Theatre Company is holding auditions for its holiday production of "Miracle on 34th St" on Saturday, Oct. 18, from 1-3 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 19, from 8-8 p.m. Auditions will be held at the Dakota Theatre in downtown Yankton.

Roles are for ages 6 to adult. Families are encouraged to audition together.

Elvis Tribute Slated For Bow Valley

BOW VALLEY, Neb. — Joseph Hall (a sixth-place contestant in 2008 on "America's Got Talent") performs a tribute to Elvis at the Bow Valley Dance Hall in Bow Valley, Nebraska, on Saturday, Oct. 18.

The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and features The Out-Back Band as both the opening act, as well as Elvis's band for the night.

To order tickets, head to the Sudbeck Service in Bow Valley or the Corps of Discovery Welcome Center in S. Yankton. You can also call to order tickets at 402-640-3729 or 402-667-6557.

Choral Showcase Features USD Choirs

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota Chamber Singers, Concert Choir and Men's and Women's Chorus will come together for an electrifying performance at 3 p.m. this Sunday, Oct. 19, at Aalis Auditorium inside Slagle Hall.

The Fall Choral Showcase will be under the direction of David Holdhusen, Ph.D., director of choral activities and assistant professor of music at USD. This is the first performance of the new academic year for the USD choral program.

In addition to performances featuring master composers Bach, Haydn and Vaughn Williams, the choirs will perform selections from modern repertoire, spirituals and folk songs. The concert is free and open to the public.

For more information about the Fall Choral Showcase or the choral activities program at USD, contact Holdhusen at David.Holdhusen@usd.edu or (605) 677-5275. A calendar of choral events is available online at www.usd.edu/fine-arts/music/vocal.cfm/.

Haunted History Tour Set For Yankton

Tickets are on sale for the Dakota Territorial Museum's Haunted History Tours Monday, Oct. 27, and Tuesday, Oct. 28.

Tour times are 6:30-7:30 p.m. and 7:30-8:30 p.m. each night, and will begin at the museum. Stops during the tour will include Mount Marty College, the Janousek Building, the Pennington House, 514 Cedar, and 414 Spruce. During the ride, you will hear the chilling stories of each location. Feel free to bring your camera because you never know what you might see.

For more information or to get tickets, stop by the Dakota Territorial Museum, 610 Summit, or call 665-3898.

SE Job Link Offers 'Cookies And Canvas'

Southeast Job Link's next "Cookies and Canvas" event for teens, ages 13 and older, is set for Saturday, Nov. 15, from 1-4 p.m. at Southeast Job Link, 1200 West 21st Street, Yankton.

Adults are also welcome to attend. Pre-registration is required.

Southeast Job Link offers a variety of youth programs throughout the year and through the summer months; many of which also offer high school credit.

Founded in 1996, Southeast Job Link, has provided training for more than 18 years to thousands of individuals in the Yankton Area through career exploration and educational opportunities in the area of Workforce Development.

Call 605-668-3480 or find out more by visiting www.southeastjoblink.org/.

The Bookworm

Make Time For 'Leaving Time'

"Leaving Time" by Jodi Picoult; © 2014, Ballantine Books; 416 pages

BY TERRI SCHLICHENMEYER

A good mother loves her child unconditionally.

She cares for her little one, making sure the baby is dry, safe and comforted. She feeds her child and tends to him, no matter what time of day or night.

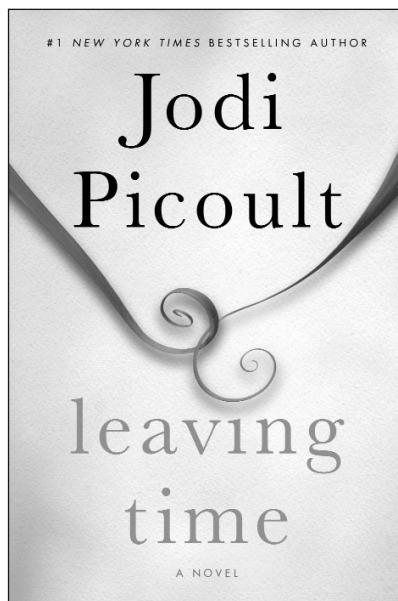
You can add to this list at will, because we all know what a good mother does. But, as in the new book "Leaving Time" by Jodi Picoult, a good mother does not abandon her child.

Thirteen-year-old Jenna Metcalf had a routine that she kept every morning: she got dressed and logged on to the Department of Justice website to see if her mother had been found yet.

A decade before, after one of the caretakers at their elephant sanctuary was trampled by accident, Jenna's mother, Alice, was found nearby, unconscious, and was taken to the hospital. When she regained her wits, Alice bolted from the building and disappeared.

It haunted Jenna ever since.

What kind of mother abandons her little daughter? Was Alice hurt or killed? That was something Jenna absolutely needed to know — and so, old enough to have saved money from babysitting and birthday gifts, she hired a psychic



and a detective.

Once upon a time, Virgil Stanhope was proud of his career.

He'd been one of the lead detectives on the death of the elephant caretaker and the disappearance of Alice Metcalf — but he was having second thoughts. He knew back then that he'd done a hack job. Why hadn't he dug further into this case?

It had been a long time since The Dead had spoken to Serenity Jones, and she missed it. Ever since a brash, egotis-

tical mistake ruined her TV career, she couldn't get a human to talk to her, much less a spirit. So when Jenna showed up on Serenity's doorstep, asking for help, and messages began whispering in Serenity's head, what could the seer do but listen?

For most of her life, Alice Metcalf was devoted to the study of elephants. They were fascinating to her, and the ultimate reason her life had turned out as it had. She saw so many parallels between pachyderms and humans: love, joy, grief.

Especially grief ...

Got a calendar?

Clear it. Cancel your plans. Once you've got "Leaving Time" in your hands, you won't want to do anything but spend time with this book.

Through the voices of four main characters, author Jodi Picoult gives readers the kind of novel they've come to expect, but with a twist: there's some mystery in this book. We aren't sure what happened to Alice, if she's a killer, a victim, or something else. That keeps-you-guessing factor appears in every Picoult novel, but in this book, it'll make you page back to see how you didn't catch the clues and to marvel at where you went in the meantime.

And I'm going to stop there. I can't bear to ruin your enjoyment of unwrapping the layers in this excellent book. Just know that if you've got "Leaving Time," you'll only want everyone to leave you alone to read.



Larry Rohrer, C.J. Kocher, and Owen DeJong at a previous Gayville Hall show. CAPTION: Larry Rohrer, C.J. Kocher, and Owen DeJong are among the stars of "An Evening of Post-WWII Pop, Rock and Rhythm and Blues" at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18, at Gayville Hall.

Classic Post-War Pop At Gayville Hall

Gayville Hall presents "An Evening of Post-WWII Pop, Rock, and Rhythm-and-Blues," at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18, in Gayville.

Stars of the two-hour show include Nick Schwabach, vocals and guitar; Boyd Bristow, vocals and guitar; Larry Rohrer, vocals and bass; C.J. Kocher, saxophones; Owen DeJong,

fiddle; and Terry Brooks, piano and vocals.

The repertoire will feature hit tunes from the late 1940s through the 50s and '60s up to the early '70s.

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

Halloween Harvest Festival Set

The first Harvest Halloween Festival will be held in downtown Yankton Oct. 31-Nov. 1.

The schedule of events is as follows:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

3:30 p.m. - MIDNIGHT

- Kiddy Trick or Treat — 3:30-4:30 p.m.; Cedar & Third, travels along Third St.
- Ghouls Gathering (Press & Dakotan Spotted Halloween event) — 3:30-5 p.m., Riverfront Event Center;
- Parade (walking) — Starts at 5 p.m., Cedar and Third;
- Dakota Theatre film — "Night of the Living Dead," 5-6:30 p.m.;
- Zombie Walk — 6:30 p.m., Dakota Theatre;
- Chamber Fundraiser — 6:30-8 p.m.; Bella's lower level;
- Live Band & Costume Party — 8 p.m.,

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

8 a.m.-4 p.m.

- Farmers Market & Vendors
 - Waffle Breakfast — 8-11 a.m.
 - Open Forum Music
 - Chili Feed — noon-4 p.m.
 - Hay Bale Maze
 - Corn Pit
 - Ghost Train & Spooky Meridian
 - Pig Races — 11 a.m., noon, 1 p.m.; Pig Off — 2 p.m.
- Also, Yankton Transit will run from Ace Hardware north to Ace Hardware south/downtown both days. Hours are 6 p.m.-midnight Oct. 31 and 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Nov. 1.

For more details, visit www.historicdowntownyankton.com/.

USD

Music Prof Honored For Piano Concerto

VERMILLION — Paul Lombardi, Ph.D., assistant professor of music at the University of South Dakota, placed third in the orchestral division of the American Prize in Composition 2014 with his piano concerto. The piano concerto was composed in 2003-04, and with a grant from the University of New Mexico, was recorded

by pianist Dmitry Tavanets and the Kiev Philharmonic with conductor/producer Robert Ian Winstin (ERMMedia 2007).

Founded in 2009, the American Prize provides "evaluation, recognition and reward to America's finest performing artists, ensembles and composers, based on recorded performances."

One judge commented, "... a true piano concerto, with a big and dramatic part for the soloist."

An assistant professor of music theory and composition at USD, Lombardi's music has been performed in more than 20 states across the United States, as well as in other areas in North America, South America and

Europe. Recordings of his music are available from Capstone Records, Zex Records, and ERMMedia. Lombardi's theoretical work focuses on mathematics and music, and is published in the *Music Theory Spectrum*, *Indiana Theory Review* and *Mathematics and Computers in Simulation*, among other places.

Election Quiz:

What's the significance of 28?

- Patty (Mulloy) Hojem's free throw percentage as a basketball player for Gayville-Volin.
- Patty's years of experience as Yankton County Auditor.
- Patty's age. (Don't laugh.)

Paid For By Patty Hojem For Yankton County Auditor

