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Special Points of Interest:

- *September is Library Card Signup Month*
- *Special Youth Activities*
- *Banned Books Week*
- *Staff Recommendations*

SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

Every parent wants their child to succeed, and one of the simplest ways you can ensure your child's academic success is by making a quick trip to the library. September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when the [name of library] joins with the American Library Association and public libraries nationwide to make sure that every student has the most important school supply of all – a free library card.

How to Obtain a Library Card:

- To obtain a card a person must be:
- At least 16 years of age. If younger, a parent/guardian must sign the application form.

Complete the application form.

- Show two (2) forms of identification with current address. Such identification shall be a valid driver's license or other valid identification issued by a state or federal government office; together with a bill or other official mail addressed to the person at the current address and postmarked within the last thirty (30) days..
- The annual fee of \$35.00 will be charged to all persons who do not meet the South Sioux City/Dakota County resident criteria.

New patrons may check out two materials at a time for the first six months.

Our library provides all types of students a welcoming atmosphere where they can explore, discover and create," says

We recognize that people learn in a variety of ways. With a library card, readers have access to digital Audiobooks, e-books, large print, college classes, movies, and music. The library has something for everyone – all with a library card. It is for these reasons that a library card is most important school supply of all."



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NEW FICTION (WESTERN STORIES)

- *Stuck Together* by Mary Connealy
- *Valley of the Gun* by Ralph W. Cotton
- *Spirit of Steamboat: a Walt Longmire Novel* by Craig Johnson
- *Blood Bond: A Hundred Ways to Kill* by William W. Johnstone
- *MacCallister: The Eagles Legacy* by William W. Johnstone
- *Texas Bloodshed* by William W. Johnstone
- *The Mannings* by Debbie Macomber
- *Conquering Horse* by Frederick Manfred
- *Riders of Judgment* by Frederick Manfred
- *Scarlet Plume* by Frederick Manfred
- *Backlands: a novel of the American West* by Michael McGarrity
- *Dead Freight for Piute* by Luke Short

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STAFF BIOGRAPHIES: MEET ANGELA MELIA

My name is Angela. Graduating from Chadron State College in 2009 with my bachelor's degree in Information Resource Management a.k.a. Library Science I found myself the library director for a small town in Nebraska for about two years. After a brief stint in retail, I decided to go back to a library career. In August I became one of the newest members of the library staff here in South Sioux City. When I am not working, I am pursuing my Master's degree in library science from San Jose State University. My hobbies

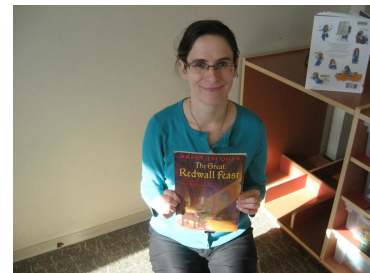
include sewing, reading, writing novels, listening to music and exploring the cities.

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Mango Languages

Learning a second language is vital in today's global economy. Mango Languages is a language learning database that is easy and effective. Mango language will allow you to learn languages like Spanish, French, Japanese, Brazilian Portuguese, German, Mandarin Chinese, Greek, Italian and more. You will need to have a

valid library card to get Mango Languages. For a valid library card, we will need to see picture identification and a piece of current mail with your name and current address. To access Mango Languages just go to the library webpage <http://www.southsiouxcity.org/departments/index.php?fDD=11-0> and click on Mango Languages on the right hand side of the page, just below the YouTube symbol. You will enjoy learning languages with Mango Languages.



Angela melia

*The most
sophisticated people
I know - inside
they are all
children.
Jim Henson*

SEPTEMBER SPECIAL YOUTH ACTIVITIES

On Tuesday, September 9 at 7:30 children may come to story time in their pj's with their favorite stuffed toy for Stuffed Toy Sleep-Over. Their toy will stay the night and explore the library during the night. Pick-up your child's Stuffed Toy the following day along with pictures of what they did during the night.

Banned Books into Movies
Bridge to Terabithia - Monday
Sept. 22 @ 6:00 pm

James and the Giant Peach -
Tuesday Sept. 23 @ 6:00 pm
Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's
Stone - Wednesday Sept. 24 @
6:00 pm

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September Movies

Sept 8: Mon. 3:30pm--- Sept 13
Sat. 11am "The Lego Movie"
Sept 15: Mon. 3:30pm--- Sept

20 Sat. 11am "Hook"
Sept 22: Mon. 3:30pm--- Sept 27
Sat. 11am "Muppets Most
Wanted"
Sept 29: Mon. 3:30pm--- Oct 4
Sat. 11am "Toy Story of Ter-
ror"

NIGHT OF FUN IN SEPTEMBER

The following is the schedule of Night of FUN activities for the month of September

- Cards for Grandparents 9/2
- Minions 9/9
- 3D Lizzard 9/23
- Paint Like Monet 9/23

All classes are at 6:30 p.m.

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During the week of September 15th, no youth programs will occur.

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Other youth programming:

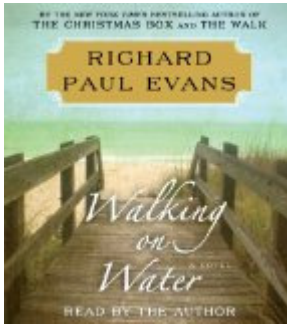
- **Preschool Story Time**
Mondays at 1:30 p.m.,
Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.,
and 4:30 p.m.
- **Pat-a-Cake Pals Thurs-**
days at 10:00 a.m.
- **Toddler Time Friday**
10:00 a.m.

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Most Popular Music CDs for Teens

1. *Joyas Prestadas: pop deluxe* by Jenni Rivera

2. *Fearless* by Taylor Swift
3. *Speak Now* by Taylor Swift
4. *Taylor Swift* by Taylor Swift
5. *Joyas Prestadas: Pop* by Jenni Rivera
6. *Blueprint 3* by Jay Z
7. *En Total Plentitud* by Marco Antonio Solis
8. *Unorthodox Jukebox* by Bruno Mars
9. *Pink Friday Roman Reloaded* by Niki Minaj et. Al.
10. *Mylo Xyloto* by Cold Play



NEW AUDIOBOOKS/ DVD'S /MUSIC CD'S

Audiobooks

- *Walking on Water* by Richard Paul Evans
- *The Red Queen* by Philippa Gregory
- *Wolf* by Mo Hayden
- *Summer House with a Swimming Pool* by Herman Koch
- *The Bees* by Peter Laline
- *Rose Harbor in Bloom* by Debbie Macomber
- *A Storm of Swords* by George R.R. Martin
- *Bones in her Pocket* by Kathy Reichs

DVDs

- *The Adventures of Superman the First Complete Season*
- *Horror Cinema Collection 3*
- *Mystery Science 3000 (XXIX)*
- *Mystery Science 3000 (XXX)*
- *Star Trek the original series (complete second season)*
- *Star Trek the original series (complete third season)*
- *The Twilight Zone (complete first season)*
- *Twilight Zone (Complete Second Season)*

Music CD's

- *CSN&Y 1974* by Crosby, Stills, Nash, and Young
- *Redeemer of Souls* by Judas Priest
- *Restart* by Newsboys
- *Remedy* by Old Crow Medicine Show
- *X* by Ed Sheeran
- *A.M.* By Chris Young

WHAT IS HERITAGEQUEST?

The following article comes from the documentation of the HeritageQuest Online Database.

.ProQuest Information and Learning's HeritageQuest Online provides libraries with a unique, growing collection of research materials for tracing family history and American culture. Beginning or professional genealogists can now use this powerful online library, with original page images for all documents, from the conven-

ience of their home or at the library. Indexes and original page images mean no additional trips, inter-library loan requests or work by researchers or staff.

HeritageQuest Online is designed specifically for patrons in public libraries who are either just beginning their family research or who after years of work are still uncovering their past. With over 28,000 books currently available, the entire

U.S. Federal Census, PERSI™, Freedman's Bank Records, Revolutionary War Pension Records, and other expanding collections, HeritageQuest Online gives any library the opportunity to tap into one of the largest collections of genealogy material in the country.



Talk Like a
Pirate Day
September 19

"The end result is the most efficient and effective job search possible."

WRITER'S GROUP GETS NEW FORMAT NEW TIME

The library is launching our writer's group with the Name Writer to Writer. The group will meet on the 3rd Saturday each month from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

The format is new, as well. During the first hour we will have an author speak on any number of topics. In the second hour, we will have an opportunity to share opportunities to participate in contests, or op-

portunities to be published. We will also discuss the work we are doing.

In September we have **Marci Broyhill** who is a cowboy poet from Northeast Nebraska. She will speak on the subject of **Writing for Performance** on September 20th.

Nancy Gillis, of Cherokee/Muskogee/Choctaw heritage, she is the past CEO of the

John G. Neihardt Center. She will talk about **Writing Book Reviews** for professional success on October 18th.

In November we host **Alicia Rudnicki** via Google Hangouts to discuss **How to develop an online magazine**. **Alicia is the creator of Library Mix**. She has worked as a writer, editor, and educator.



Library Mix

NEWSLETTER TITLE

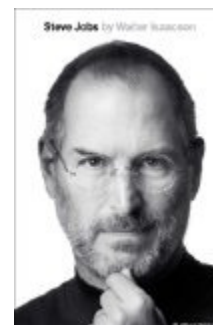
TECHNOLOGY IN SEPTEMBER

In September the library staff will work on refreshing their technology classes. In lieu of technology classes this month, we recommend some of our latest books on computers and technology for your considerations.

- *The iPhone Pocket Guide: ginormous knowledge, pocket sized.* By Christopher Breen (004 BRE)
- *Steve Jobs* by Walter Isaacson. "FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE BEST-

SELLING BIOGRAPHIES OF BENJAMIN FRANKLIN AND ALBERT EINSTEIN, THIS IS THE EXCLUSIVE BIOGRAPHY OF STEVE JOBS. Based on more than forty interviews with Jobs conducted over two years--as well as interviews with more than a hundred family members, friends, adversaries, competitors, and colleagues--Walter Isaacson has written a riveting story of the roller-coaster life and searingly intense personality of a creative entrepreneur whose passion for perfection

and ferocious drive revolutionized six industries: personal computers, animated movies, music, phones, tablet computing, and digital publishing. At a time when America is seeking ways to sustain its innovative edge, and when societies around the world are trying to build digital-age economies, Jobs stands as the ultimate icon of inventiveness and applied imagination. He knew that the best way to create value in the twenty-first



Steve Jobs by Walter Isaacson

BOOKS ON COMPUTERS AND TECHNOLOGY CONTINUED

I think it's fair to say that personal computers have become the most empowering tool we've ever created. They're tools of communication, they're tools of creativity, and they can be shaped by their user.
Bill Gates

Although Jobs cooperated with this book, he asked for no control over what was written nor even the right to read it before it was published. He put nothing off-limits. He encouraged the people he knew to speak honestly. And Jobs speaks candidly, sometimes brutally so, about the people he worked with and competed against. His friends, foes, and colleagues provide an unvarnished view of the passions, perfectionism, obsessions, artistry, devilry, and compulsion for control that shaped his approach to business

and the innovative products that resulted. Driven by demons, Jobs could drive those around him to fury and despair. But his personality and products were interrelated, just as Apple's hardware and software tended to be, as if part of an integrated system. His tale is instructive and cautionary, filled with lessons about innovation, character, leadership, and values"-- Provided by publisher.

The Information: a history, a theory, a flood by James

Gleick. From the invention of scripts and alphabets to the long misunderstood "talking drums" of Africa, James Gleick tells the story of information technologies that changed the very nature of human consciousness. He also provides portraits of the key figures contributing to the inexorable development of our modern understanding of information, including Charles Babbage, Ada Byron, Samuel Morse, Alan Turing, and Claude Shannon.

The limits of the possible can only be defined by going beyond them into the impossible.
Arthur C. Clarke

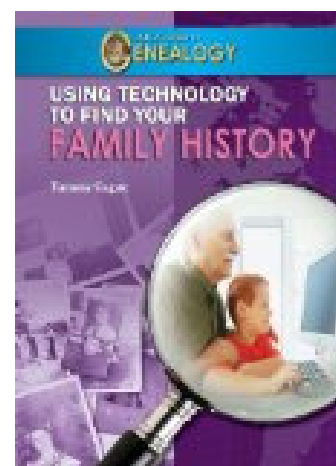
COMPUTER/ TECHNOLOGY BOOKS FOR CHILDREN, TEENS

Using Technology to Find Your Family History by Tammy Gagne. Introduces the use of technology in genealogy research, including information about genealogical search engines and databases, using census records and other documentation, and searching for immigrant ancestors in ship's records and foreign sources.

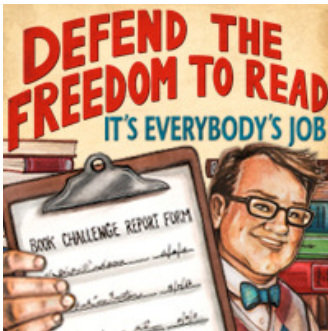
Wireless Technology by Mary Firestone. Learn how wireless technology helps people communicate better, live healthier,

and have fun in this fast-paced peek into future life!

Cool Stuff 2.0 and How They Work Uses computer-generated images to explain how many devices and processes of modern technology work, covering such inventions as HDTV, game consoles, robot cars, helicopters, space probes, oil rigs, mass dampers, biometric id's, and tsunami alert systems.



BANNED BOOKS WEEK



Banned Books Week September 21-27: Banned Books Week is the national book community's annual celebration of the freedom to read. We are looking for people who would be willing to be photographed with your favorite banned book. Contact a librarian to have your photo taken.

Our Prairie Heritage September 10th at 6:30 p.m. Diane Blankenship will present a program entitled Our Prairie Heritage on Wednesday September 10th at 6:30 p.m.

Redbird Classic Tomato & Salsa Tasting Contest: The library will hold the Redbird Classic Tomato & Salsa Tasting contest on September 11th at 6:00 p.m. The tomato categories are: red slicing, yellow/gold slicing, other colors slicing, cherry, plum/ grape, and paste. Salsa categories are mild and hot. For more information, you can visit the library website www.southsiouxcity.org/library for details.

Library Eats Salsa Making: Learn how to turn all those

tomatoes into salsa, during the September Library Eats program on Thursday September 11th at 6:30 p.m.
Tomato Tasting: Gardeners from around the area will bring their produce to a tomato tasting on Thursday September 11th at 6:00 p.m. Find out which types of tomatoes make the grade.
Make Fresh Soap at September's Club 745.5: Learn to make fresh, fragrant soap on Thursday September 18th at 6:30 p.m. and Friday September 19th at 10:30 a.m.

SEPTEMBER IS HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Hispanic heritage Month, September 15th to October 15th. Celebrate the contribution of Hispanics to our culture during this month. Ask one of the librarians for one of our books from Hispanic authors, or biographies of important members of the Hispanic community.

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Celebrate Nebraska Archaeology Month. September

has been named Celebrate Nebraska Archaeology Month. Celebrate Nebraska Archaeology is a month-long exploration of Nebraska's archaeological past. Ask a librarian about our collection of works related to archaeology.

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Constitution Day September 17th, 2014: Take time to consider the freedoms that we have

in the United States on this anniversary of the ratification of the Constitution of the United States

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Cover to Cover Discusses

"Catching Fire": Cover to Cover will discuss "Catching Fire" by Suzanne Collins, during their September meetings. **Cover to Cover Discusses**

"Catching Fire": Cover to Cover will discuss "Catching Fire". We will discuss the book on 9/8 and a movie on 9/22.

"Book Sale August 30th 10-4."

NEW NONFICTION

"Final Jeopardy: the Story of Watson, the Computer That Will Change our World" by Stephen Baker (006.3 BAK)

"Occupational Outlook Handbook 2014-2015" (331.702 OCC)

"Command and Control: Nuclear Weapons and the Damascus Accident, and the Illusion of Safety" by Eric Schlosser (365.17 SCH)

"Writing a Successful College Application Essay" by George Ehrenhaft (378.1 HER)

"Holistic Aromatherapy for Animals" by Kristen Leigh Bell (636.08 BEL)

"Kio: Everything about Care, Nutrition, Disease, Pond Design and Maintenance, and Popular Aquatic Plants; Full Color Photographs" by George C. Blass lola (639.3 BLA)

"Turtles and Tortoises for Dummies" by Liz Palika (639.3 PAL)

"Large Print: an Unshelved Collection" by Gene Ambaum (741.5 AMB)

"Too Much Information: an Unshelved collection" by Gene Ambaum (741.5 AMB)

"Runtime Error" by Bill Barnes (741.5 BAR)

"Upgrade Path" by Bill Barnes (741.5 BAR)

"The Meaning of Matthew my Son's Murder in Laramie, a World Transformed" by Judy Peck Shephard (BIO SHE)

Making Mobile Hen Houses
by Michael Roberts



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Where quality of life is a cardinal rule.

STAFF RECOMENDATIONS

Flyboys: a True Story of Courage by James Bradley. Is the follow up to his story *Flags of our Fathers*, which told the story of the men who missions over Chichi Island, Japan. The story covers the experience of many of the U.S. soldiers that were shot down and captured during the bombing missions. Among those, who's stories were told was a young George Herbert Walker Bush. Bradley also weaves in the stories of some of the captors, and how some of the captives and captors found a degree of resolution to the experience.

They say that a picture is worth a thousand words. It is true with the books that we offer today.

Historic Places: The National Register for Nebraska is a

publication of *NebraskaLand* magazine. It provides a county by county tour of the historic places of Nebraska. Local areas of interest are the site of the "ton won tonga" Big Village, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Dakota City, the O'Connor House and much more.

Historic Photos of Nebraska by Tad Stryker is a literal walk through Nebraska's colorful history. The first part of the book covers some of the earliest photos from livery stables and the early towns of the state to the era in which Nebraska, a look as Nebraska's railroads, including a whistle stop, by a campaigning Theodore Roosevelt. You see common people and places, as well as more well known people and places. Some of the famous faces you will see are: Johnny Carson, John G.

Neihardt, Roy Rogers, and President Gerald R. Ford.

Nebraska Simply Beautiful by Mike Whyte is photographic gem, celebrating the beautiful diversity our state. We are treated to artistically engaging photos of notable places like Chimney Rock, the city of Omaha, and even the old Rosenblatt Stadium. Whyte takes a beautiful Nebraska and frames it masterfully.

The three Nebraska volumes are available to view in the 50+ area of the library. They do not checkout, but they are available for your perusal.



Flyboys: a True Story of Courage by James Bradley-