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## Special Points of Interest:

- *Canning Class and Much More*
- *Staff Biographies*
- *Golden Sower Nominees*
- *25 Popular Graphic Novels*

## CANNING CLASS AND MUCH MORE

**Family Movie:** We show G and PG movies each Monday at 6:30 p.m. and repeated on Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

**Tangled Yarns** is a group of needle workers who explore crafts like crochet, knitting and many more crafts on Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m..

**Cover to Cover** book club meets on September 11th & 25th at 3:00 p.m.

We will discuss *Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson on September 11th. In this book, "In 1956, toward the end of Reverend John Ames's life, he begins a letter to his young son, an account of himself and his forebears. Ames is the son of

an Iowa preacher and the grandson of a minister who, as a young man in Maine, saw a vision of Christ bound in chains and came west to Kansas to fight for abolition: "--BOOK JACKET.

*A Tale for the Time Being* by Ruth Ozeki on September 25th. In this book, Nao, who lives in Tokyo, who considers ending her life in order to escape it's pain. Ruth is a novelist who finds Nao's diary and is draws her into Nao's story.

*Moving Past Ramen* meets on Monday September 11th at 6:30 p.m. and on Saturday September 16th at 3:00 p.m. Come and learn what you were never told about being

an adult.

**Canning Fruits** is held on Monday September 11th @ 6:30 p.m. Register in advance to attend

**Cookbook Bookclub "Tailgating"** will be on September 14th at 6:30pm. Bring your favorite tailgating treats along with the recipes on Thursday September 14th at 6:30 p.m.

**Lost in the Stacks** will cover our graphic novel collection on Monday September 18th at 6:30pm

**Bullet Journaling** September 18th 6:30pm

Book Sale 10am-4pm Sept 30



*Canning Fruits  
September 11th, @ 6:30 p.m.*

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## NEW FICTION (ROMANCE FICTION)

*My Kind of You* by Tracy Brogan (FIC BRO)

*The Strawberry Hearts Diner* by Carolyn Brown (FIC BRO)

*The Lilac Bouquet* by Carolyn Brown (FIC BRO)

*Because You're Mine* by Colleen Coble (FIC COB)

*Under Pressure* by Lori Foster (PBK F)

*Worth the Wait* by Lori Foster (FIC FOS)

*Burn* by Helen Hardt (FIC HAR)

*Call the Crows: the Yielding* by Shelly Lauderstein (FIC LAU)

*Forever a Hero* by Linda Lael Miller (PBK M)

*Lust: a Seven Deadly Sins Novel* by Victory Christopher Mur-

ray (FIC MUR)

*Until You Loved Me* by Brenda Novak (FIC NOV)

*Any Time, Any Place* by Jennifer Probst (FIC PRO)

*A Word of Love* by Emily Robbins (FIC ROB)

*Happy is the Bride* (PBK W)

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### STAFF BIOGRAPHIES: MEET CRISTIAN JIMINEZ

My name is Tammi. I have worked for the South Sioux City Public Library since 1999. I love how many people I have gotten to know since I started here. I graduated from SSC High School, and am still a big Cardinals sports fan. I am married and my children live in Lincoln.

I have always loved to read books of all kinds, but right now my favorite books are romances. Some of my favorite authors

are Danielle Steel, Linda Lael Miller, Jodi Thomas, and Fern Michaels.

When I am not reading, I like to play on the computer, do crocheting and other crafting projects.

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#### Most Popular Romances in 2017

1. Sweet Tomorrows by Debbie Macomber
2. Two from the Heart by James Patterson
3. Against All Odds by Danielle Steel
4. The Weekenders by Mary Kay Andrews
5. Moonglow by Michael Chabon
6. The Fireman by Joe Hill
7. A Piece of the World by Christina Kline Baker



*Tammi Husk*

### SEPTEMBER FAMILY MOVIES



*Pocahontas*

This month's movies are:

*Pocahontas* (9/1) is the love story between Pocahontas and Captain Smith as told by Walt Disney animation.

*Secret Life of Pets* (9/8) is a hilarious comedy about the lives our pets lead after we leave for work or school each day. Max, a terrier, has his favorite-pet status turned upside-down when his owner takes in a stray named Duke.

*Pete's Dragon* (9/11 & 1/16) For

years, Mr. Meacham has told tales of the fierce dragon deep in the woods. To his daughter, Grace, these stories are little more than tall tales, until she meets Pete. Pete is a mysterious ten-year-old with no family who claims to live in the woods with a giant, green dragon named Elliot.

*Norm of the North* (9/18 & 1/23) A polar bear of many words, Norm's greatest gripe is simple: there is no room for tourists in the Arctic. But when

a maniacal developer threatens to build luxury condos in his own backyard, Norm does what all normal polar bears would do: he heads to New York City to stop it. With a cast of ragtag lemmings at his side, Norm takes on the Big Apple, big business, and a big identity crisis to save the day.

*Frozen* (9/25 & 9/30) is the popular movie in which Anna and Elsa overcome a prophecy of a winter kingdom.

### SEPTEMBER YOUTH PROGRAMMING



*Tech Explorers*

Toddler Time – story time for children 2-5 years old; stories, craft & snack is on Fridays at 10:00 a.m.

Family Movie each Monday at 6:00 p.m. and Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

Night of FUN is each Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

Bilingual Story Time is held on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.- learn a few Spanish phrases with one of our librarians as she reads to you and your child.

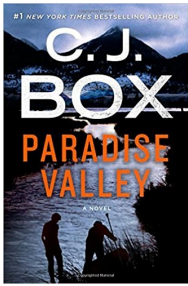
Aprendan unas frases en ingles con una de nuestras bibliotecarias mientras ella le lee a usted y su hijo/a

Pat-A-Cake Pals is held on Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.- story time for children under 2 years old; singing, dancing, stories, sensory play

**Tech Explorers** is held each Thursday at 6:30 p.m.- we will explore a new app, we'll show you the ropes and you decide if you want to download it or not.

**Create Book Trailers** on September 11th at 5:00 p.m. – direct your own mini movie based on a book. All trailers will be played in the Teen Room TV. (grades 6-12) TAB – High School students gather to help program, plan, and suggest ideas and books for the library (grades 9-12)

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*Paradise Valley by C.J. Box*

## NEW AUDIOBOOKS/ DVD'S/ MUSIC CD'S

### Audiobooks

*Paradise Valley* by C.J. Box (FIC BOX CD)  
*Beneath Copper Falls* by Colleen Coble (FIC COB CD)  
*Deadfall* by Linda Fairstein (FIC FAI CD)  
*Wired* by Julie Garwood (FIC GAR CD)  
*The Writing Desk* by Rachel Hauch (FIC HAU CD)  
*Any Dream will Do* by Debbie Macomber (FIC MAC CD)  
*Breakdown* by B.A. Paris (FIC PAR CD)  
*Two Nights* by Kathy Reichs (FIC REI CD)

### DVDs

*Boss Baby* (MCD CHI BOS)  
*Hello Kitty* (DVD CHI HEL)  
*The Lego Batman Movie* (MCD CHI LEG)  
*CHIPS* (MCD COM CHI)  
*Cosmos: the Space Time Odyssey* (DVD DOC COS)  
*The Fast and the Furious* (DVD DRA FAS)  
*The Great Wall* (DVD DRA GRE)  
*Beauty and the Beast* (DVD FAM BEA)  
*A Dog's Purpose* (DVD FAM DOG)  
*Ghostbusters* (DVD SCI GHO)

### Music CDs

*From a Room Volume 1* by Chris Stapleton (MCD COUN STA)  
*It Goes Like This* by Rhett Thomas (MCD COUN THO)  
*Tangled Up* by Rhett Thomas (MCD COUN THO)  
*Welcome Home* (MCD COUN ZAC)  
*Between Dreams and Regrets* by Bruce Mandel (MCD FOLK MAN)  
*Metalica* (MCD ROCK MET)  
*Faith: a Holiday Album* by Kenny G (MCD SEA G)  
*Soy el Mismo* by Prince Royce (MCD WOR PRI)

## GOLDEN SOWER NOMINEES

### Primary Books

*Job Wanted* by Teresa Bateman  
*Duncan the Story Dragon* by Amanda Driscoll  
*Wolfie the Bunny* by Anne Dyckman  
*We Forgot Brock!* By Carter Goodrick  
*Mother Bruce* by Ryan T. Higgins  
*Marilyn's Monster* by Michelle Knudsen  
*New Shoes* by Susan Meyer  
*If You Plant a Seed* by Kadir Nelson

*One Plastic Bag: Isatou Ceesay and the Recycling Women of the Gambia.* By Miranda Paul  
*Miss Hazeltine's Home for Shy and Fearful Cats* by Alicia Porter

### Chapter Books

*Crenshaw* by Katherine Applegate  
*Book Scavenger* by Jennifer Chambliss Bertman,  
*Ruby Lee and Me* by Shannon Hitchcock  
*Paper Things* by Jennifer Richard Jackson  
*A Handful of Stars* by Cynthia Lord

*All the Answers* by Kate Messner  
*The Seventh Most Important Thing* by Shelley Pearsall  
*Fuzzy Mud* by Louis Sachar  
*Appleblossom the Possum* by Holly Goldberg Sloan  
*Baker's Magic* by Diane Zahler  
**Novels**  
*Booked* by Kwame Alexander  
*Code of Honor* by Alan Gratz  
*Took: A Ghost Story* by Mary Downing Hahn  
*House Arrest* by K.A. Holt  
*Terror at Bottle Creek* by Watt

### Key

*Losers Take All* by David Klass  
*A Night Divided* by Jennifer Nelson  
*I Am Princess X* by Cherie Priest  
*Faceless* by Alyssa Scheinmel  
*Orbiting Jupiter* by Gary D. Schmidt

## YOUTH PROGRAMMING CONTINUED

**TAB** (September 11th & 25th at 5:30 p.m.) – High School students gather to help program, plan, and suggest ideas and books for the library (grades 9-12)

**Moving Past Ramen – Adulting 101** (September 11th at 6:30 p.m.) – simple easy steps on grown your own life skills (high school and older)

**Yoga Storytime** (September 16th at 10:00 p.m.)– bring in a yoga mat/ bath towel; learn some fun dances and new yoga poses

**Pokémon Club** (September 16th at 1:00 p.m.)– Come and learn to battle in the Pokémon Trading Card Game, or show off your cards and trade with friends!

**Book Wars** (September 18th at 5:00 p.m.) – We'll be discussing which book is the best, so read up! Discuss and debate for your book choice to be champion!

**Pass or Fail** (September 25th at 5:00 p.m.)– Pinterest edition:

recreate pins from Pinterest with us. You get to decide if it passes or fails.

**September is Library Card Sign up Month.**  
**Ask a librarian about how to get yours.**

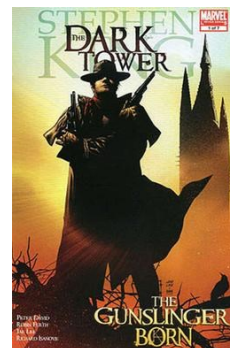


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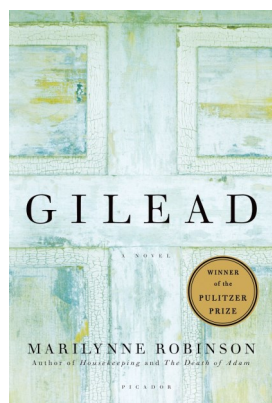
### 25 MOST POPULAR GRAPHIC NOVELS

Since graphic novels are the focus of this month's Lost in the Stacks, we focus on our most popular graphic novels for adults

1. *Tank Girl* by Alan C. Martin
2. *A.D.: New Orleans after the deluge* by Josh Neufeld,
3. *Ooku : the inner chambers* by Fumi Yoshinaga
4. *The dark tower : the man in black The gunslinger* by Peter David
5. *Duncan the wonder dog* by Adam Hines
6. *We can fix it! : a time travel memoir* by Jess Fink
7. *Gandhi : my life is my message* by Jason Quinn
8. *Maggie the mechanic* by Jamie Hernandez
9. *French Milk* by Lucy Knisley
10. *Relish: My Life in the Kitchen* by Lucy Knisely
11. *Troublemaker : a Barnaby and Hooker graphic novel* by Janet Evanovich
12. *The dark tower: The gunslinger, the Way Station* by Peter David
13. *The dark tower. The gunslinger, the battle of Tull* by Peter David
14. *The dark tower: The long road home* by Peter David
15. *The dark tower: Treachery* by Peter David
16. *Sailor Twain : or, The mermaid in the Hudson* by Mark Siegel
17. *Cemetery Girl* by Charlain Harris
18. *Bodies* by Si Spencer
19. *Exquisite corpse* by Penelope Bagieu
20. *The absolute Sandman* by Neil Gaiman
21. *The Dark Tower: the Battle of Jericho Hill* by Peter David
22. *An age of license* by Lucy Knisley
23. *Large Print: an Unshelved Collection* by Gene Ambaum
24. *Too Much InformationL an Unshelved Collection* by Gene Ambaum
25. *The girl from H.O.P.P.E.R.S. : a Love and rockets book*



*The Gunslinger series*



*Gilead by Marilynne Robinson*

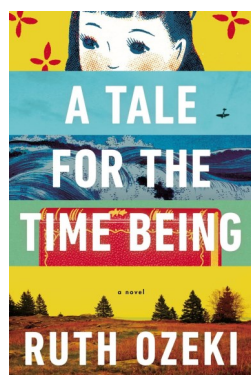
### GILEAD READ-A-LIKES

If you have read and enjoyed *Gilead*, you will like these titles.

*Some Luck* by Jane Smiley, "An epic novel that spans thirty years in the lives of a farm family in Iowa, telling a parallel story of the changes taking place in America from 1920 through the early 1950s"--Provided by publisher. *Plainsong* by Kent Haruf, The interwoven lives of a community in Colorado. The characters include two cattle farmers who take in a girl, thrown out of her

house for becoming pregnant. The novel describes the girl's impact on their lives, both men being bachelor. *Prisoner of Heaven* by Carlos Ruiz Zafon, In 1957 Barcelona, Daniel Semper and his close friend Fermín Romero de Torres find their lives violently disrupted by the arrival of a mysterious stranger who threatens to divulge a terrible secret that has been buried for two decades in the city's dark past. *Very Old Bones* by William Kenne-

dy, looks at the dark side of Albany, New York.



*A Tale for the Time Being*  
By Ruth Ozeki

### A TALE FOR THE TIME BEING READ-A-LIKES

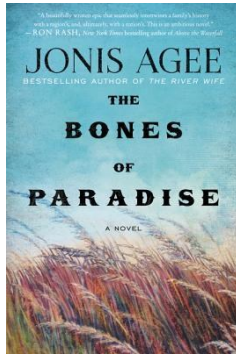
If you enjoy the book *A Tale for the Time Being* by Ruth Ozeki, these titles will interest you.

*The Orchardist* by Amanda Coplin, When two feral girls--one of them very pregnant--appear on his homestead, solitary orchardist Talmadge, who carefully tends the grove of fruit trees he has cultivated for nearly half a century, vows to save and protect them. *The Blind Assassin* by Margaret Atwood. *The Perfect Happiness* by Santa

Montefiore, After her South African lover Jack makes a shocking confession on the last day of their affair, best-selling children's book author Angelica must draw on the lessons she learned to save her marriage. *Darkness My Old Friend* by Lisa Unger, Jones Cooper has given up his post at the Hollows Police Department and is having trouble facing a horrible event from his past. Then psychic Eloise Montgomery comes to him with predictions about his future, some of them dire. Another person in town is also work-

ing with Eloise while investigating the disappearance of his mother years ago. And fifteen-year-old Willow Graves may be heading for trouble.





*The Bones of Paradise by  
Jonis Agee*

## BOOKS SET IN NEBRASKA

The following is a list of materials set in Nebraska. Pick up one of these to discover our state.

*The Bones of Paradise* by Jonis Agee

*Cornstalked* by Patricia Bremmer

*Worth Dying For* by Lee Child

*World, chase me down* by Andrew Hilleman

*Haven's wake* by Ladette Randolph

*Landline* by Rainbow Rowell

*The Swan Gondola* by Timothy Schaffert

*The Meaning of Names* by Karen Gettert Shoemaker

*Bohemian Girl* by Terese Syoboda

*Sixteen Brides* by Stephanie Grace Whiteson

*American wino : a tale of reds, whites, and one man's blues* by Dan Dunn

*In Reach* by Pamela Carter Joem

*Eagle voice remembers : an authentic tale of the old Sioux world* by John G. Neihardt

*Tell me a riddle, Requa I, and other works* by Tillie Olsen

## SEPTEMBER IS READING FOOTBALL MONTH

The beginning of football season is also a the beginning of reading season for those who are not fans of the game. Here are some suggestions for you.

*Tall Tail* by Rita Mae Brown, Returning to Virginia's post-revolutionary history and to characters introduced in *Tail Gait*, the story follows the Garth sisters and their husbands, neighbors to a brutal slaveholder whose murder at the hands of one of his slaves is neither unexpected nor unwarranted, especially when the impe-

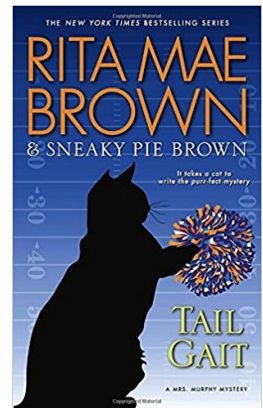
tus was an attack on that slave's wife.

*The Total Package* by Stephanie Evanovich, The bestselling author of "Big Girl Panties" is back with a funny, sweet, and sizzling novel about the game of love, in which a hot quarterback must figure out how to score big with a beautiful and talented media analyst after a heartbreaking fumble.

*Homeland* by Hannah Gersen, "The heart of Friday Night Lights meets the emotional

resonance and nostalgia of *My So-Called Life* in this moving debut novel about tradition, family, love, and football.

*Until You Loved Me* by Brenda Novak, After catching her fiancé cheating--with another man--usually straitlaced, workaholic scientist Ellie Fisher liberates her wild side just long enough to indulge in a passionate one-night stand with a tall, dark stranger she meets at a trendy Miami bar.



*Tail Gate by  
Rita Mae Brown*

## NEW NONFICTION

*The gifts of imperfection : let go of who you think you're supposed to be and embrace who you are* by Brene Brown (158 BRO)

*Old school : life in the sane lane* by Bill O'Reilly (306.2 ORE)

*Ignorance : how it drives science* by Stuart Firestein (501 FIR)

*\$5 a meal college cookbook : good cheap food for when you need to eat* by Rhonda Lauret

Parkinson (641.5 PAR)

*The everything college cookbook : 300 hassle-free recipes for students on the go* by Rhonda Lauret Parkinson (641.5 PAR)

*PETA's vegan college cookbook : 275 easy, cheap, and delicious recipes to keep you vegan at school* (641.5 PET)

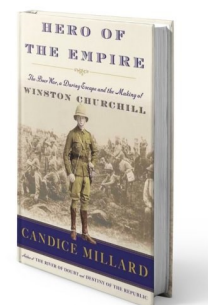
*Clueless in the Kitchen: Cooking for Beginners* by Evelyn Raab

(641.5 RAA)

*I can't make this up : life lessons* by Kevin Hart (792.702 HAR)

*Hitler's last days : the death of the Nazi regime and the world's most notorious dictator* by Bill O'Reilly (943 ORE)

*Hero of the empire : the Boer war, a daring escape, and the making of Winston Churchill* by Candice Millard (968.0483 MIL)



*Hero of the Empire by  
Candice Millard*



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## STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

*Twitter Power 3.0* by Joel Comm and Dave Taylor; I have been on Twitter since 2008, but I still read to keep up on Twitter as well as social media.

When I came to this book, I was in a position that I was wanting to back away from Twitter. I didn't think that I was being effective so I was ready to back away, but this book breathed new life into my enjoyment of Twitter in my personal level and in my library account.

The book starts with a brief inspirational introduction from Guy Kawasaki. The bulk of the book deals with the basic mechanics of creating an account, creating a brand, crafting tweets, building a following and driving traffic to your brand, and even making money on Twitter. The finish with a discussion of third

party apps that will help you to manage your Twitter account followed by a list of thought leaders to follow.

You can read this book page one to the end, or dip in and out where you need more direction. If you haven't started Twitter, but have thought about it, get started. If you are like I was when you pick up this book use it to pick up one new idea and move forward.

This book is recommended for anyone who is interested in social media, or anyone who is working in social media marketing.

*Gilead* by Marilynne Robinson; *Gilead* is a wonderful rambling letter, of a father, John Ames to his child. Ames is a pastor who

is near his death and would like to tell his child of his life and his fore-bearers. John Ames is in a long line of preachers, his father is a minister in Iowa, his grandfather was a preacher in Maine who receives a vision of Christ chained in Kansas, so he heeds the call and goes to fight on the side of the Abolitionists to keep Kansas a free state. He talks about his friendship with John Ames Boughton and John's wayward son. The book is as fresh as the morning. It is highly recommended for all readers.



*Twitter Power 3.0*

