

**VOLUME 8, ISSUE 3** 

MARCH 2020

#### South Sioux City Public Library

### **Special Points of Interest:**

- Growing Healthy Habits
- Cover to Cover @, Dakota Perk
- Symphony Story Time @, the Library
- Staff Recommendations

### GROWING HEALTHY HABITS

Growing Healthy Habits is a Library Chat: Making Sense new program where all ages can of the Census is on March 5th play in the dirt, eat healthy snacks, do fun activities, and grow healthy habits along the way. This program starts March 9th at 3:30 p.m. and repeats each Monday.



at 6:00 p.m. Get your questions answered about the upcoming 2020 Census.

Women Who Changed the World is on March 12th at 6:30 p.m. Kim Green-Hailey will discuss important women in history during this program.

Genealogy Workshop is on March 19th from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Find out what you can learn about your family from the Sides Room, Ancestry.com, and My Heritage.

**Unemployment Assistance:** Representatives from Goodwill of the Great Plains will be at the library on Friday February 21st from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. While here they will help patrons with filing for unemployment and other related topics.

Tangled Yarns meets each Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

#### **Related Reading**

Compost, vermicompost, and compost tea: feeding the soil on the organic farm by Grace Gershuny (631.8 GER)

Straw bale gardens complete: breakthrough vegetable gardening method by Joel Karsten (635 KAR)

The Complete Guide To Greenhouses & Garden Projects : Greenhouses, Cold Frames, Compost Bins, Trellises, Planter Beds, Potting Benches & More (690 BLA)

# Inside this issue:

Cover to Cover @ Dakota Perk	2
New Audiobooks/ DVDs, & Music CDs	3
March is Women's History Month	3
Youth Activities	4
Symphony Story Time @ the Library	5
New Nonfiction	5
Staff Recommendations	6

# NEW FICTION (FANTASY FICTION)

A Little Hatred by Joe Abercrombe (FIC ABE)

The Stone in the Skull by Elizabeth Bear (FIC BEA)

No Country for Old Gnomes by Delilah Dawson (FIC DAW)

The Princess Beard by Dleilah Dawson (FIC DAW)

Music for Liars by Sarah Gailey (FIC GAI)

Circle of the Moon by Faith Hunter (PBK H)

The Light Brigade by Kameron Hurley (FIC HUR)

Unraveling by Karen Lord (FIC LOR)

Crowfall by Ed McDaniel (FIC MCD)

The Gods of Jade and Shadow by Silvia Moreno-Garcia (FIC MOR) Gideon the Ninth by Tamsyn Muir (FIC MUI)

Storm of Locusts by Rebecca Roanhorse (FIC ROA)

The Cassandra by Sharma Shields (FIC SHI)

The Vine Witch by Luanne Smith (FIC SMI)

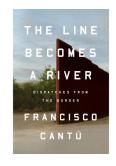
# COVER TO COVER @ DAKOTA PERK

Cover to Cover @ Dakota Perk: on Monday, March 9th at 3:00 p.m. will read The Line Becomes a River by Francisco Cantu.

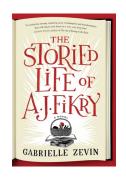
In this book: "A beautiful, fiercely honest, and nevertheless deeply empathetic look at those who police the border and the migrants who risk - and lose - their lives crossing it. In a time of often ill-informed or downright deceitful political rhetoric, this book is an invaluable corrective."--Phil Klay For Francisco Cantú the

border is in the blood: his mother, a park ranger and daughter of a Mexican immigrant, raised him in the scrublands of the Southwest. Haunted by the landscape of his youth, Cantú joins the Border Patrol. He and his partners are posted to remote regions crisscrossed by drug routes and smuggling corridors, where they learn to track other humans under blistering sun and through frigid nights. They haul in the dead and deliver to detention those they find alive. Cantú tries not to think where the stories go from

there. Plagued by nightmares, he abandons the Patrol for civilian life. But when an immigrant friend travels to Mexico to visit his dying mother and does not return, Cantú discovers that the border has migrated with him, and now he must know the whole story. Searing and unforgettable, The Line Becomes a River makes urgent and personal the violence our border wreaks on both sides of the line"-- Provided by publisher.



The Line Becomes a River by Francisco Cantu



The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry by Gabrielle Zevin

# COVER TO COVER DISCUSSES "THE STORIED LIFE OF A.J. FIKRY"

Cover to Cover will discuss The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry by Gabrielle Zevin on Monday, March 23rd at 3:00 p.m.

In this book: When his most prized possession, a rare collection of Poe poems, is stolen, bookstore owner A. J. Fikry begins isolating himself from his friends, family and associates before receiving a mysterious package that compels him to remake his life.

**Read-a-Likes:** The following are books related to *The Storied Life of A.J. Fkiry.* 

The Bridal Suite by Rochelle Aliers (FIC ALI)

The Loss for Words Bookshop by Stephanie Butand (FIC BUT)

A Tender Hope by Amanda Cabot (LPFIC CAB)

Vendetta Road by Christine Feehan (PBK F)

Before She was Found by

Heather Gudenkauf, (FIC GUD)

The Murmur of Bees by Sofia Segovia (FIC SEG)

The Lock Ness Papers by Paige Shelton (FIC SHE)

Meet Me at the Museum by Anne Youngson (FIC YOU)

# SSC READS 2020



Read a book turned into a movie

March is Read a Book Turned into a Movie Month in our 2020 reading challenge. The following are a list of books that have been turned into movies.

House of Spirits by Isabel Allende (FIC ALE)
Clan of the Cave Bear by Jean M.
Auel (LPFIC AUE)
The Girl with all the Gifts by Mike
Carey (FIC CAR)
Don Quixiote Miguel de Cervantes
(FIC CER)
And Then There Were None by Aga-

tha Christie (FIC CHR)

American Gods by Neil Gaiman (FIC GAI)

The Heart is a Lonely Hunter by Carson McCullers (FIC MCC)
Gone with the Wind by Margaret
Mitchell (FIC MIT)
Anne of Green Gables by L.M. Montgomery (LPFIC MON)
Big Little Lies by Luanne Moriarty
(FIC MOR)
Beloved by Toni Morrison (FIC MOR)

The English Patient by Michael Ondaajte (LPFIC OND) The Godfather by Mario Puzo (FIC PUZ) All Quiet on the Western Front by Erich Maria Remarque (FIC REM) Dracula by Bram Stoker (FIC STO) Anna Karenina by Leo Tolstoy (FIC TOL)

The Color Purple by Alice Walker (FIC WAL)

The Age of Innocence by Edith Wharton (LPFIC WHA)
In Cold Blood by Truman Capote (364.1 CAP)

The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks by Rebecca Skloot (616.02 SKL) Angela's Ashes by Frank McCourt (929.2 MCC)

**VOLUME 8, ISSUE 3** 

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



The Line Between by Tosca Moon Lee

#### **Audiobooks**

- Pive Got My Eyes on You by Mary Higgins Clark
- Genesis: by Robin Cook
- Before She Was Found by Heather Gudenkauf
- Land of Wolves by Craig Johnson
- The Line Between by Tosca Moon Lee
- Lost by James Patterson
- Holy Ghost by John Sandford
- Listening to Love by Beth Wiseman

#### **DVDs**

- Gemini Man (DVD DRA GEM)
  - Maleficent, Mistress of Evil (DVD FAM MAL)
- The Lighthouse (DVD HOR LIG)
- Big Little Lies (The Complete Second Season) (DVD TV BIG)
- Veep (The Final Season) (DVD TV VEE)
- How to Write Bestselling Fiction (DVD 808.06 BEL)
- The Great Tours: Washington D.C. (DVD 917.53 KUR)

#### **Music CDs**

- DNA by Backstreet Boys (MCD ROCK BAC)
- "Let's Rock" by the Black Keys (MCD ROCK BLA)
- Still on my Mind by Dido (MCD ROCK DID)
- Begin Again by Norah Jones (MCD ROCK JON)
- My Songs by Sting (MCD ROCK STI)
- Signs by Tedeschi Trucks Band (MCD ROCK TED)

### MARCH FAMILY MOVIES

Family Movies are shown each Monday at 4:00 p.m. and Saturday at 10:00 p.m.

Frozen II (March 2nd & March 7th) Anna, Elsa, Kristoff, Olaf and Sven leave Arendelle to travel to an ancient, autumn-bound forest of an enchanted land. They set out to find the origin of Elsa's powers in order to save their kingdom.

Spongebob Movie: Sponge Out of Water (9th & 14th) When pirate Burger Beard steals the secret

recipe for the beloved Krabby Patties, SpongeBob and friends come ashore to bring back the missing formula.

Guardians of the Galaxy Volume 2 (16th & 21st) Vol. Two continues the team's adventures as they traverse the outer reaches of the cosmos. The Guardians must fight to keep their newfound family together as they unravel the mystery of Peter Quill's true parentage. Old foes become new allies and fan-favorite characters from

the classic comics will come to our heroes' aid as the Marvel Cinematic Universe continues to expand.

Wonder (23rd & 28th) Based on the New York best seller, this tells the incredibly inspiring and heartwarming story of August Pullman, a boy with facial differences who enters fifth grade, attending a mainstream elementary school for the first time. Missing Link (30th) The charismatic Sir Lionel Frost considers himself to be the world's foremost investigator of myths and monsters. Mr. Link only wants to find the missing branch of his sasquatch family, the yeti of Tibet, and hires Sir Frost to help him search. Unfortunately, Adelina Fortnight -- a fierce woman who has crossed paths with Sir Frost before -- holds the only map, and they are pursued by a villain who would like Mr. Link's head as a trophy.

### MARCH IS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

The roots of National Women's History Month go back to March 8, 1857, when women from various New York City factories staged a protest over working conditions. The first Women's Day celebration in the United States was also in New York City in 1909, but Congress did not establish National Women's History Week until 1981 to be commemorated annually the second week of March, In 1987. Every year since, Congress has passed a resolution for Women's History Month, and the president has issued a proclamation.

Books on important women in history.

Tonight we bombed the U.S. Capitol: the explosive story of M19, America's first female terrorist group by William Rosenau (363.325 ROS)

The lady from the black lagoon: Hollywood monsters and the lost legacy of Milicent Patrick by Mallory O'Mara (777 OME) Code name: Lise: the true story of the woman who became World War Il's most highly decorated spy by Larry Loftis (940.54 LOF)

The unwomanly face of war: an oral history of women in World War II by Svetlana Aleksievich (940.54 ALE)

A woman of no importance : the untold story of the American spy who helped win World War II by Sonia Purnell (940.54 PUR)



Women's History
Month

## MARCH IS IRISH-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

The U.S. Congress proclaimed March as Irish-American Heritage Month in 1991, and the president issues a proclamation commemorating the occasion each year.

Originally a religious holiday to honor St. Patrick, who introduced Christianity to Ireland in the fifth century, St. Patrick's Day has evolved into a celebration of all things Irish. The world's first St. Patrick's Day parade occurred on March 17, 1762, in New York City, featuring Irish soldiers serving in the English military. This parade became an annual event, with President Truman attending in 1948.

Further reading for Irish-American Heritage Month.

Putting down roots: gardening insights from Wisconsin's early settlers By Marcia Carmichael (635.09775 CAR)

Bitter freedom: Ireland in a revolutionary world by Maurice Walsh (941.508 WAL)

1916: one hundred years of Irish independence: from the Easter Rising to the present by Tim Pat Coogan (941.7082 COO)

lourney of hope: the story of Irish immigration to America: an interactive history by Kerby A. Miller (973 MIL)

Irish in America by Michael Coffey (973.04 COF)

A Monk Swimming by Malachy McCourt (974.7 MCC)

'Tis by Frank McCourt (BIO MAC)

The immortal Irishman: the Irish revolutionary who became an American hero by Timothy Egan (BIO MEA)



March is Irish-American Heritage Month

Palooza – come make a fun craft project (all ages welcome)

Tuesdays @ 6:00 p.m. Night of FUN

Thursdays @10:00 a.m. Pat-A-Cake Pals – story time for children under 2 years old; singing, books, and sensory play

Thursdays @ 6:30 p.m. Family Story Time - join us for stories and a craft (all ages welcome)

Mondays @ 6:30 p.m. Craft-A- Fridays @ 10:00 a.m. Toddler Time - story time for children 2-5 years old; stories, craft & snack Saturday March 7:

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

March 3 @ 6:00 p.m. Dr. Seuss Birthday Celebration

March 4 @ 6:00 p.m. LEGO Club - join us for LEGO Club, free build and building challenges (2 years and older)

March II @ 6:00 p.m. STEM Club - explore science, technology, engineering and math (8 years and older)

March 14 @ 10:00a.m. Story time with the Sioux City Symphony

March 18 @ 6:30 p.m. Book Club - bring in the book you are currently reading to tell others about it; hear some suggestions from a librarian (3-7th grade)

March 25 6:00 p.m. Art Club explore all the aspects of art with us; literature, theater, music, and more! (8 years and older)



#### **Popular Titles for Youth**

- Splatoon by Sankichi Hinodeya, (series)
- Smile by Raina Telgemeier
- Himouto! Umaru-Chan by, Sankaku Head (series)
- Death Note by Tsugumi Ohba, (series)
- Sisters by Raina Telgemeir

- Drama by Raina Telgemeir
- 7. Ghosts by Raina Telgemeir

# SYMPHONY STORY TIME @ THE LIBRARY

The Best Mariachi in the World/El Mejor Mariachi del Mundo by J.D. Smith is the focus of a musical story time with Ryan Haskins and members of the Sioux City Symphony on Saturday, March 14th at 10:00 a.m.

Gustavo's family has a mariachi band and everyone except Gustavo is in it. Follow him as he finds his place in the family business. Bilingula presentation with embedded text with story told mostly in English and sprinkling a Spanish throughout.

The story will be accompanied by an ensemble from the mariachi ensemble from Wayne State College, Sioux City Symphony. The audience will have an opportunity to participate through clapping, singing, and maybe even dancing.

For over 104 years, the Sioux City Symphony has been a cultural force in the cultural life of Sioux City and the surrounding tristate area.

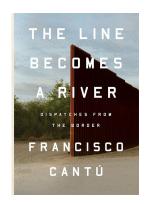
In 2009, Ryan Haskins became the sixth music director and conductor in symphony history. Haskins continues to attract international attention as one of the most innovative and creative concert presenters today.

This presentation is made possible in part through an Arts Learning Grant provided by the Nebraska Arts Council.





# THE LINE BECOMES A RIVER READ-A-LIKES



After you read The Line Becomes a River you may want to read these titles.

Dear America: notes of an undocumented citizen by Jose Antonio Vargas (304.8 VAR)

Mestizos come home! : making and claiming Mexican American identity by Robert Con Davis (305.868 DAV)

The making of a dream: how a group of young undocumented immigrants helped change what it means to be American by Laura Wides-Munoz (362.7 WID)

Down by the river: drugs, money, murder, and family by Charles Bowden (363.45 BOW)

The snakehead : an epic tale of the Chinatown underworld and the American dream by Patrick Radden Keefe (364.1 KEE)

438 days: an extraordinary true

story of survival at sea by Jonathan Franklin (910.916 FRA)

Across the wire : life and hard times on the Mexican border by Luis Alberto Urrea (972.2 URR)

My (underground) American dream: my true story as an undocumented immigrant who became a Wall Street executive by Julissa Arce (973 ARC)

# **NEW NONFICTION**

Android Phones for Seniors by Nick Vandome (004.16 VAN)

iPhone for seniors in easy steps: for all iPhones with iOS 13 by Nick Vandome (004.16

Computer basics by Michael Miller (005.446 MIL)

Office 2019 by Michael Price (005.0 PRI)

WordPress in easy steps by Darryl Bartlett (006.7 BAR)

Wilmington's lie: the murderous coup of 1898 and the rise of white Nature's best hope : a new apsupremacy by David Zucchini (305.8 ZUC)

ASVAB prep 2020-2021: 4 practice tests + proven strategies + online (355.0076 ASV)

GED Test Prep 2020 (373.1262 (GED)

The last negroes at Harvard: the class of 1963 and the 18 young men who changed Harvard forever by Kent Garrett (378.1 GAR)

proach to conservation that starts in your yard by Douglas W. Talley (635.9 TAL)

Smart Homes by Nick Vandome (643.6 VAN)

The Way I Heard It by Mike Rowe (818 ROW)



New Nonfiction



# SOUTH SIOUX CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY

2121 Dakota Avenue South Sioux City, Nebraska 68776

Phone: 402-494-7545 Fax: 402-494-7546

E-mail: publiclibrary@southsiouxcity.org

Follow us on social media! Www.southsiouxcity.org/library Www.facebook.com/ssclibrary Www.twitter.com/ssclibrary MISSION STATEMENT: "The South Sioux City Public Library is an innovative and responsive community center that supports cultural programming, lifelong learning, literacy, and open access to the world of information and ideas, with a staff committed to excellence and personal service."

Where quality of life is a cardinal rule.

# STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

The Best of the Old Crow Medicine Show (MCD BG OLD) This is a compilation of the best songs from sixteen years of recording. The Old Crow Medicine Show (OCMS) is a string band that combines traditional folk music with bluegrass, country, rhythm 'n' blues, and punk rock influences, to produce music that demands your attention. The band was discovered by Doc Watson playing in North Carolina. The first song on the album Wagon Wheel was certified platinum. Down Home Girl is a cover of the Rolling Stones version, which was probably an older blues song. Alabama High-Test and Humdinger are fun tunes with a great beat. The last two songs on the album are previously unreleased. It is classified as bluegrass in the library,

but it offers something for everyone.

Genuine Negro Jig by the Carolina Chocolate Drops (MCD BG CAR) The Carolina Chocolate Drops are a traditional African-American string band. The band got their start when they traveled to the home of old-time fiddler and songster Joe Thompson to listen to learn tunes, listen to stories and jam. When the band started, it was primarily a tribute to Joe Thompson, who was in his 80s when they started to meet with him. They wanted a chance to bring his music back out of the house again and into dancehalls and public places. This album draws heavily on early African-American string music, but I was surprised to hear the music to Celtic music. My favorite songs off the album are Your Baby

Ain't as Sweet Like Mine (track 3), Cornbread and Butter Beans (track 5,) and Kissin' and Cussin' (track 9). Listeners who enjoy traditional African-American music, bluegrass, and Celtic music will enjoy this collection.

Leaving Eden by the Carolina Chocolate Drops (MCD BG CAR) Leaving Eden was released in 2012. In this collection, they continue to explore early African-American music. The music video of the song Country Girl received airplay on Country Music Television (CMT). My favorite songs are Ruby Are You Mad at Your Man (track 3), the title cut, Leaving Eden (track 7), and I Truly Understand That You Love Another Man (track 12). If you like Genuine Negro Jig you will love this album.+



Staff Recommendations