COMING SOON: a renovated second floor
Serving Our Community and Striving for Excellence

On behalf of the Estes Valley Library’s Friends & Foundation board, it is my honor to help introduce this newest issue of Gatherings.

Embarking on this exciting season, one thing is clear. We are fortunate to have such a vibrant library at the heart of our community. We who support the Friends & Foundation are inspired by this energy. As we strive together for excellence, so in turn can we best serve our valley’s immediate needs and long-term aspirations.

One great example coming to fruition this season is the renovation of the Library’s second floor. Following several years of planning, and responding to public needs, this will fulfill strategic goals and allow the Library’s facility to continue serving us long into the future. Donor support has made this possible.

Another example is the return of One Book One Valley, celebrating literacy and civic dialogue. An October filled with special events, including a visit from author Reyna Grande on October 12, is being funded by local library lovers, book enthusiasts, and a generous gift from the Sally Uhlir estate.

Many more examples of this striving for excellence abound, whether it’s the Library’s 300,000-plus digital collection, serving students and readers of all ages, or the ability to bring you this handy and convenient Program and Services Guide to your mailbox. Library supporters like you have made all the difference.

We thank you. And we look forward to seeing you at the Library this season.

Graham Russell
President,
Estes Valley Library Friends & Foundation
Get Outside the Lines

**SEPTEMBER 10 - 16**

**Outside the Lines:** A weeklong celebration demonstrating the creativity and innovation happening at your local library.

**Launch of Dewey Discuss,** the Estes Valley Library Podcast

September 10

Listen in to find out what's new in books and events at the Estes Valley Library. Access our NEW podcast via our website at estesvalleylibrary.org

**Library Swag Rollout!**

September 12

Stop by the Library to get your fun new designs in Library stickers and swag. Enter a raffle for an extra special Library swag bag that includes a Fitbit fitness tracker.

**Books on Bikes**

September 13

Librarians on wheels will be out and about our village passing out books and library love.

**Librarians on the Loose at the Farmers' Market**

September 14

Library staff will be engaging with the public at the Estes Park Farmers' Market. Enjoy surprise readings, book giveaways, and more.

**Fun Friday at the Library**

September 15

You won't want to miss the fun of this Friday at the Library. Stop by for storytime outside in the garden with a special surprise; make and take tables for creative fun; celebrating Discovery Bags for children and adults. Join us 11am – 5pm throughout the Library.

**Outside the Lines:** A weeklong celebration demonstrating the creativity and innovation happening at your local library.

**Poetry Prize Machine Installation**

September 11

Follow us on Facebook to see where to find our Poetry Prize machine that will vend a message or special surprise just for you.

**Pinterest Party @ the Library:** Beginning Knitting

Thursday 9 NOVEMBER

7 – 8:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

This month, learn skills in beginning knitting. Have you always wanted to learn to knit? Bring your needles or borrow ours and learn first steps to making a scarf. Register at estesvalleylibrary.org

**Make and Take:** Holiday Gift Wrapping, Bags & Tags

Saturday 2 DECEMBER

11 AM – 3PM IN THE LIBRARY ATRIUM

Drop by the Library to get a jump on holiday crafting. Make custom wrapping paper, gift bags and tags. Stop in at the Friends & Foundation Holiday Book Sale for great gifts in support of your library and wrap them in the paper you made! Bring the family. Fun for all ages.
The second floor will be closed
October 16 - December 15

Many important services will be redirected to the first floor, including public computing, copying, and document scanning. The number of public computers will be limited by the available space.

Helpful 2nd floor staff will be on the 1st floor, ready and happy to answer questions on use of the equipment.

Renovations are expected to take about 8 weeks with opening planned for mid-December.

During renovation, the Wasson Board Room and the upstairs Study Rooms will be unavailable.

We are using the 2nd floor closure as an opportunity to schedule other needed repairs, helping to avoid future inconvenience. Repairs will include work on the elevator and the stairwell.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.
We look forward to serving you soon within a new and improved second floor!

You asked us for: safe and welcoming physical places to meet and interact with others or to sit quietly and read. You also asked for open and accessible virtual spaces that support social networking.

COMING THIS FALL:
A New and Improved Second Floor

Beginning in mid-October, the Library’s second floor will undergo a major renovation. The changes are based on several years of assessing community needs and feedback. When the construction dust has settled, the renovated Second Floor will be ready to serve the Estes Valley in both new and traditional ways long into the future.

The remodeled second floor will debut with a new group meeting room, new study rooms, and a maker space to inspire imagination and collaboration.

Here are highlights of the improvements coming soon:

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We thank the special people who made this possible: the visionaries who support the Estes Valley Library’s Friends & Foundation. Through their vital support, the Library is ready to enter its second century of service.
great reasons to celebrate 2018

This fall’s Second Floor Remodel is part of a larger continuing effort to Build a Better Library, responding to the needs and priorities you have identified. Here are just a few of the highlights coming in 2018.

What’s New!

1. curiosity
   New books and “Curiosity Kits” for borrowing things you’re curious about, from knitting to cake decorating.

2. creation
   Whether painting, sewing or printing your 3D invention in the new Makerspace.

3. quietude
   A peaceful new place to read and reflect. Relax in the upstairs Fireplace Corner.

4. tech
   Mobile technology cart follows the needs of each changing day.

5. gather
   Groups and clubs have more meeting space, with versatile set-up options.

6. discounts
   Estes community assets offer free or discounted passes, available for Library check-out.

7. listening
   Developing plans to implement your priorities from the 2017 Patron Satisfaction Survey.

8. news
   Discussions to explore Media Literacy—how we can be wise and discerning consumers of information.

9. collaboration
   Student projects and one-on-one tutoring thrive in two additional study rooms.

10. branch
    Search the catalog, click “Hold”, then pick up Library materials at the new Recreation Center.

11. convenience
    Return your Library materials at the convenient new drive-up Recreation Center materials drop.

Tried and True!

12. literacy
    Nurturing literacy in all its forms: from reading literacy to language, health, wealth, civic, media literacies: even happiness literacy.

13. stories
    Story times and countless other events delight the whole family—kids and their grown-ups.

14. work
    Looking for a job? Free workshops help make your resume shine.

15. art
    Artists visit regularly, sharing their work and inspiring creativity.

16. languages
    Newcomers can find books in many languages and resources for learning English.

17. neighbors
    The Library renews its commitment to being a positive downtown neighbor and partner.

18. remember
    The local past comes alive with digital historic newspapers.
COLLECTIONS
to stimulate imagination

Have you heard?
In our collection, we have:
1,553 audiobooks on CD
302 Playaway preloaded players
43,687 downloadable audiobooks

It all started in 1931. The “Talking Books Program” served injured World War I veterans and other visually-impaired adults.

A recent survey released by the Audio Publishers Association found that the overwhelming majority of audiobook users listen in the car, and more than two-thirds of audiobook buyers described audiobooks as relaxing and a good way to multitask.

Learn how to download free audiobooks on your device!
Schedule a one-on-one Book-a-Librarian appointment or attend a digital collections class (more info on pages 16 & 17)

top kids' book on CD: Harry Potter & the Sorcerer’s Stone

Calling All Book Clubs

Are you a member of a book club? Ever given thought to gathering your friends and neighbors, perhaps with dessert and a glass of wine, for a book discussion? The Library makes it easy with Book Club in a Bag kits that include 12 copies of a single book and discussion questions. Five new kits just debuted in 2017.
Youth in Action:
**Earn Hours Toward Graduation ...**
and Change the World
*Ages 14 to 18 or Grades 9-12*

Join Youth in Action to get your voice heard and make a difference in your community. Learn about nonprofits, gain leadership skills, and create your own solutions to problems through a grant program that gives YOU the power! Visit estesvalleylibrary.org/teens to sign up.

**Positive Youth Development Training**
9 AM – 3 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Do you work with teens? Here’s your chance to gain the skills that will inspire young people to achieve their best. Presented by the Communities That Care Coalition, in collaboration with EP Nonprofit Resource Center and your Estes Valley Library.

Register at colorado.gov/cdphe/positive-youth-development

Considering a career in emergency services?
**Check out mentoring opportunities in the field with Explorer Post 911**

**Registration event:** Wednesday, September 6, 2017 at Dannels Fire Station, 901 N. St. Vrain Ave. For more information, email ldalemmarshall@estesvalleylibrary.org

**Haunted Library: Halloween Escape Room**
MONDAY, 4 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
TUESDAY, 1 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Something has happened at the Estes Valley Library. The wrong book has been checked out, revealing an otherwise hidden room. It is a room that is haunted and whose mysterious spells will seep out into the rest of the Library... unless you can solve the clues, find the evil book, and put it back on the shelf where it belongs! Register at the Library.

**Creating a Path to College Readiness:**
Workshops for parents & students

**SAME WORKSHOP OFFERED TWICE:**
MONDAY, 6:30 - 8 PM, ESTES PARK HIGH SCHOOL
THURSDAY, 6:30 - 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Ease the anxiety of preparing for college by making a plan. Get the information you need on topics such as applications, FAFSA, paying for college, college choice, and testing. Create a timeline and gain access to resources from college readiness experts.

Your local experts:

**Hannah Heckerson**
Hannah is the Guidance Counselor at Estes Park High School and holds a Master's Degree in Counseling and Career Development.

**Kaye Orten**
Kaye is a longtime college administrator, recently with the University of Colorado at Denver, with great insights in how to draft successful college applications.

**Estes Park High School Day/Night College Fair**

Over 50 higher education institutions right in our commons! Free for parents, students, and educators. For more information, visit coloradocouncil.org/day-night-college-fairs

**College Bound Resources @ the Library**
You'll be ahead of the pack with these awesome Teen Zone resources available at estesvalleylibrary.org/teens

For further information on Library services to Teens, contact Laurie Dale Marshall at ldalemmarshall@estesvalleylibrary.org or (970) 586-8116, ext. 814
You asked us for: youth programs to enrich language development and support parents with resources so that children enter school better equipped to read, listen and learn.

**Storytimes**

**Storytime**

Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays
10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
No sign up needed. Check the Library’s online calendar.

Join youth librarians for 30 minutes of stories shared through books, storyboard and puppets. Storytime is designed to look like play while teaching pre-reading skills and encouraging the love of books and learning. No sign up needed.

**Baby Storytime**

Thursdays & Fridays, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

**Early Childhood Music Workshop**

Ages 0-6
September 7, 8, 21, 22
October 12, 13, 19, 20
November 2, 3, 16, 17
December 7, 8, 14, 15
11:00 - 11:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

Join Music Therapist Nancy Bell for 30 minutes of hands-on music and fun. Music plays an important role in brain development, especially when it’s hands-on. No sign up needed.

**Firefighter Storytime**

10:30 AM – 11:15 AM, DANNELS FIRE STATION, 901 N. ST. VRAIN AVE

AGES 6 AND UNDER

Join us for stories and songs about firefighters. Meet a fire fighter, tour the fire station and climb on a fire truck!

For further information on Library services to Young Readers, contact Melanie Kozlowski and Apelles Morales at mkozlowski@estesvalleylibrary.org or (970) 586-8116, ext. 812

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**Creede Repertory Theater: Albert Porter: Boy Explorer**

**Wednesday, October 4**

9:10 AM, ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYM

**GRADES 3-5, HOMESCHOOLERS WELCOME**

Albert Porter is an ordinary kid in every sort of way. At least that’s what he thinks – until he discovers the people and stories from the past that make him exceptional. Travel with Albert as he adventures through time, discovering the rich cultures that weave together the contemporary landscape of the Southwest!

**Young Chautauqua Club 2018**

**Wednesday, November 29 & December 13**

4 – 5:15 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Children age 9-18 inhabit a character out of history and speak in that person’s very own words in costume before an audience (in March of 2018). This program requires a commitment of time, study and practice for students in grades 3 and up.

**Author Gennifer Choldenko**

**Wednesday, December 5**

ESTES PARK SCHOOLS

Author of many children’s books including the Newbery Award Winning title *Al Capone Does My Shirts*. Gennifer will present to kids in grades 4-8. Homeschoolers welcome.

**Polar Express Trolley Ride**

**Friday, December 8 & Saturday, December 9**

FIRST RIDE - 5:30 PM | SECOND RIDE - 6:20 PM

AGES 4 AND UP | ADULTS $5, CHILDREN FREE

SPACE IS LIMITED - REGISTER IN PERSON AT LIBRARY SERVICE DESK

All aboard the Polar Express! Come listen to the story read aloud, ride the Polar Express Trolley, decorate a train cookie with us and enjoy a cup of hot chocolate. Be sure to wear your pajamas and bring along your letter to Santa.
**Story Explorers: A Book Club for preschoolers**

**AGES 3-5 | SATURDAYS, 11:15 - 11:45 AM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**SPACE IS LIMITED - REGISTER ON THE LIBRARY’S ONLINE CALENDAR**

Families take home a free book.

- **September 30**
  - **Jack the Builder**
    - Come build with Duplos and blocks after we read this book about blocks.

- **October 28**
  - **Cars Galore**
    - What fun we’ll have making and playing with our cars!

- **November 18**
  - **Bear Snores On**
    - We’ll talk about hibernation and craft a cute bear to take home.

**Kids Saturday Book Club**

**ELEMENTARY AGES | SATURDAYS, 2 - 3:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**SPACE IS LIMITED - REGISTER ON THE LIBRARY’S ONLINE CALENDAR**

Pick up books and packets prior to the program at the Library service desk.

- **September 30**
  - **The Lemonade War**
    - After discussing the book, we’ll taste test for the best lemonade and make lemony crafts.

- **October 28**
  - **Magic Tree House: Vacation on the Volcano**
    - We’ll talk about the Roman city of Pompeii and engage in volcano experiments.

- **November 18**
  - **Magic Tree House: Night of the Ninjas**
    - Dare to be a Ninja? Test your agility, balance, composure and bravery to see if you qualify.

**After-School Programs @ the Library**

**AGES 5 - 11 (CURRENTLY IN K - 5TH GRADE)**

**THURSDAYS, 4 - 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**SPACE IS LIMITED - REGISTER ON THE LIBRARY’S ONLINE CALENDAR**

- **September 14**
  - **Minute-to-Win-It**
    - Can you move a cookie from your forehead to your mouth without using your hands in just one minute? Test your skills around the room and how many challenges you can master in 60 seconds at this laugh-out-loud program.

- **October 5**
  - **Up, Up and Away**
    - **3:30 - 4:30, ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GYM**
      - How far can you fly a balloon bag? How about a straw and paper airplane? Take your flying devices and launch them Up, Up and Away!

- **November 2**
  - **Dia de Los Muertos**
    - Visit our booth at this fun event at Estes Park High School 4:30-7:00.

- **December 7**
  - **Holiday Ornament Making**
    - Get crafty and make an ornament to take home. It makes a wonderful holiday gift. We will be using low-temperature hot glue guns.

**Try-It Tuesday**

**AGES 5 - 11 (CURRENTLY IN K - 5TH GRADE)**

**TUESDAYS, 4 - 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**SPACE IS LIMITED - REGISTER ON THE LIBRARY’S ONLINE CALENDAR**

- **September 26**
  - **Under the Sea with Fish Puppets**
    - Join puppeteers Kerry and Bob Aiken to make your own stick fish puppet using cardstock, craft foam, sequins, fabric and other doodads (low temperature hot glue guns will be used). Parents are invited for a short performance during the last 10 minutes of this session.

- **November 28**
  - **Felted Food**
    - Using colorful felt, make adorable and fabulous food with us! (Low temperature hot glue guns will be used).

- **December 18**
  - **Make a WobbleBot**
    - It wiggles, it jiggles and might make you giggle. Make a homemade battery powered WobbleBot. (Low-temperature hot glue guns will be used).
Annual Meeting:
Members may enjoy a wine-and-cheese reception at the short meeting to vote on new board members. **The Library closes at 5 PM to host this annual membership meeting.**

*New members welcome!* To join, look for the ‘Join the Friends’ link on the homepage at estesvalleylibrary.org

RSVP to Sarah Walsh at 970-586-8116, ext. 835, or swalsh@estesvalleylibrary.org.

**Featured Speaker:**
Author, Hiker, and Historian Walt Borneman
“Tales from the Road: Recollections of Forty Years of Publishing”

Walt Borneman reflects upon his amazing 40-year publishing career, recalling the stories about researching and marketing his books. His works include *The Admirals*, a New York Times bestseller and winner of the Samuel Eliot Morison Prize for Naval Literature, and *MacArthur at War*, a finalist for the Gilder-Lehrman Prize in Military History.

One Book One Valley makes its return in 2017!

Back by popular demand, this annual event celebrates literacy, community, and civic dialogue through the shared reading of a single book.

Funny, heartbreaking, and lyrical, *The Distance Between Us* poignantly captures the confusion and contradictions of childhood, reminding us that the joys and sorrows we experience are imprinted on the heart forever, calling out to us of those places we first call home.

**SEPTEMBER:**

The public is invited to visit the Library to pick up a copy (or to be placed on the waiting list). Print books available in English, Spanish, and Young Reader’s editions. Also available in ebook and audiobook formats.

**OCTOBER:**

A festive month of more than a dozen special events, programs, and discussions – and a visit by the author herself.

See the following pages for details.

“Grande connects readers with intimacy to the enormous emotional dislocation children suffer when parents leave them behind. She grabs your heart and strums music upon it.” - *The Dallas Morning News*
**Reyna Grande** is author of three critically-acclaimed books. She is the recipient of a **2007 American Book Award**, and *The Distance Between Us* was a finalist for the **National Book Critics Circle Award**.

Against tremendous odds, she became the first person in her family to graduate from college. She now teaches creative writing at UCLA Extension and speaks at libraries, high schools, and universities across the U.S.

**Reyna Grande Visits Local Schools**

As part of her time in Estes Park, Reyna will visit local students. This important opportunity will help connect generations to our community conversation. *The Distance Between Us* is available in a **Young Readers edition**.

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**One Book One Valley Kickoff Celebration**

**Sunday October 1**

4 – 7 PM, THROUGHOUT THE LIBRARY

Be part of the celebration to kick off a month of rich programming around our One Book One Valley community read. Come for refreshments, activities, music & dancing. This is an Estes Park party that should not be missed. Fun for the whole family, so come spend the evening with your community at the Estes Valley Library.

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**FEATURE EVENT: Meet the Author**

**Thursday October 12**

**Author Presentation en español**

6 PM, MOUNTAIN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP, 1575 S. ST. VRAIN AVE.

This presentation is especially for those whose native language is Spanish, as well as those interested in learning and practicing “en español.”

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**An Evening with Reyna Grande**

**Thursday October 12**

7:30 PM, MOUNTAIN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP, 1575 S. ST. VRAIN AVE.

Free admission. Advance tickets are required and will be available at the Library and MacDonald Book Shop September 11 through October 11.
Join us for a facilitated book discussion in which we’ll dive into the themes and topics of our community read title *The Distance Between Us* by Reyna Grande. Be part of the One Book One Valley experience by picking up a book at the Library, then joining in on the discussion.

Our conversation facilitator, Josán Perales is a World Language Instructional Specialist at Eagle Rock School. He has led student book clubs in exploring this title and brings many personal and professional experiences to provide rich opportunities for discussion.

**A Community Conversation: Themes and Impressions from *The Distance Between Us***

**MONDAY: 6:30 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**SUNDAY: 2 – 3:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

Facebook connects us over long distances with our loved ones. We’ll learn how to create, use, and maintain a Facebook page, including understanding Facebook privacy policies and settings. Bring your own mobile device/computer, or we’ll have a laptop you can borrow. Same class offered twice: register for 10/6 or 11/15.

**Overcoming Distances Connect to Family and Friends with Facebook**

**FRIDAY: 10:00 – 11:30 AM, WASSON ROOM**

Presented by Eagle Rock School students and instructors, you’ll follow easy steps to create your own family story. We are all immigrants, have unique family traditions, and celebrate in special ways.

Inspired by the author of our One Book One Valley community read, Reyna Grande, you can write and illustrate a simple story about your own family as she did in *The Distance Between Us*.

Come on your own or with your family. We’ll provide everything you need to create a one of a kind product as unique as your own family.

**One Book One Valley Write Your Family Story**

**SUNDAY: 2 – 3:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

The tale of an Irish family who emigrate to the U.S. illegally, settling in New York’s gritty Hell’s Kitchen neighborhood. Based on writer-director Jim Sheridan’s own experiences.

**Wednesday: 3 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**Who Is Dayani Cristal? A mystery in the desert**

Award-winning film following the life of one migrant whose real-life story is a mystery that unfolds within this deeply-moving documentary.

**Thursday: 3 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**In America An Irish-American immigration story**

Follow the lives and aspirations of “New Americans” through this PBS Independent Lens documentary that asks, “Where did your family come from and why?”

**Friday: 3 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**PBS: The New Americans**

**Same class offered twice. Register for afternoon or evening.** Interested in tracing your family history but not sure where to start? We’ll explore Library-provided subscriptions to Ancestry.com and HeritageQuest.

Attend a hands-on computer class where you’ll have time to practice the skills and search techniques learned in class...and discover an ancestor or two along the way! Library laptops will be provided for this class. Expect to share a Library computer with another participant at this popular class.

**Monday: AFTERNOON CLASS: 3:00 – 4:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**EVENING CLASS: 5:30 – 7:00 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**Discovering Our Roots Genealogy with Technology**

**Monday: 2:30 – 4 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

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Walking in Our Ancestors’ Shoes
An Immigration Simulation & Panel Presentation

6 – 9 PM, HONDIUS ROOM & LIBRARY ATRIUM

Throughout the month of October, walk in the shoes of your forebears and other new Americans by engaging in a virtual immigration experience. Access the experience via our website and at the event. Next, we’ll process our experiences together with the help of a panel of experts. Join your community for an engaging and interactive program.

Expressing Creativity
Cultural Craft: Giant Paper Flowers

4 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Kids and adults of all ages are welcome to join in on the crafting fun as we celebrate the Mexican culture by making a traditional craft. We’ll provide all the supplies to make a giant, colorful, paper flower that you can take home. Use this as a prompt to investigate your own cultural traditions.

Store Family Memories
with Google Photos

5:30 – 7 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

In this intermediate class, you’ll learn how to organize, store, and back up all of your photos in the cloud for free with Google Photos. Access them from any phone, tablet, or computer on photos.google.com – your photos will be safe, secure, and always with you. This class requires a Google (Gmail) account.

Bring your own mobile device/computer or we’ll have a laptop you can borrow. Same class offered twice: register for 9/25 or 10/25.

One Book One Valley is made possible by the Estes Valley Library Friends & Foundation, the Sally Uhlir Estate and the generous gifts from literary-minded donors.

Thank you to our sponsors and partners and the local book clubs who nominated 2017 titles.
Welcome to the USA

You asked us for: services to welcome new Americans and help them participate successfully in American life.

Citizenship Classes

THURSDAYS
SEPTEMBER 28 | OCTOBER 5 | OCTOBER 19 | OCTOBER 26 | NOVEMBER 2 | NOVEMBER 16 | NOVEMBER 30 | DECEMBER 7 | DECEMBER 21

7 – 8:30 PM, US BANK, GEORGE HIX ROOM

These classes are for anyone who wishes to complete the necessary forms and prepare for the US citizenship examination. You may register for these classes at estesvalleylibrary.org or by contacting Leonor Kennell at lkennell@estesvalleylibrary.org or call 970-586-8116 ext. 836

Plaza Comunitaria: Continuing Education en español

If you are a Spanish speaker, you can now begin or complete your primary or secondary education in Spanish, regardless of country of origin. In collaboration with INEA (National Institute for Adult Education) of Mexico, the Estes Valley Library is pleased to offer these educational opportunities.

For further information about services for new Americans, please contact Leonor Kennell at (970) 586-8116, ext. 836 or lkennell@estesvalleylibrary.org.

Para más información sobre servicios para Americanos nuevos, consulta Leonor Kennell at (970) 586-8116 ext. 836 o lkennell@estesvalleylibrary.org

Opportunities for English Literacy

Uno-a-Uno Tutoring
Uno-a-Uno is a one-on-one tutoring program for English language learners. If you are a learner interested in improving your English skills or would like to become a tutor of English, visit our website under the “English Language Learners” tab to learn about how you may participate in this program.

Pronunciator
Pronunciator is a fun online program available on the Estes Valley Library website. Learn any of 80 languages with self-directed lessons, live teachers, movies, music and more. All it takes is a library card! You can also learn English using your own language to help you! Check it out!

Want to practice your English? Come to our English Conversation Café!

MONDAYS
SEPTEMBER 11 THROUGH DECEMBER 18

7 – 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE

The Estes Valley Library will be hosting this season’s English Conversation Café at the Bella Fortuna building for English language learners who would like the opportunity to practice conversation with native English speakers.
Tech Literacy: Connect to the Digital World

**You asked us for:** opportunities to attain technical skills to ensure that everyone can take advantage of our expanding online resources and technology marketplace.

### The New Era of Electric Vehicles
**Monday**
**11 SEPTEMBER**
**7:00 – 8:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

Learn about the future of transportation and what technologies your next car might have. Tesla Model X and Nissan Leaf owners will answer your questions and show off their cars. We’ll discuss charging options, range, miles per gallon, planning long trips, cost, incentive programs, and maintenance.

### Excel: Multiple Worksheets
**Wednesday**
**13 SEPTEMBER**
**5:30 – 7:00 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS**

In this intermediate Excel class, you’ll learn how to manage larger amounts of data and report to a master worksheet. We’ll create a budget in which each month is listed on a separate worksheet. We’ll write formulas to consolidate the data on to a summary worksheet. Perfect for business managers, non-profit directors, and people who want to learn more about Excel. This class is taught on the Library’s Mac computers.

### iPad & iPhone Basics
**Monday**
**18 SEPTEMBER**
**2:00 – 3:30 PM, WASSON ROOM**

An overview of the basics: connecting to the Library’s Wi-Fi, searching the internet, taking pictures and videos, using the App Store, sending messages, and adjusting settings to personalize your device. Bring your own iPad and/or iPhone.

### Store Family Memories with Google Photos
**Monday**
**25 SEPTEMBER**
**5:30 – 7:00 PM, WASSON ROOM**

In this intermediate class, you’ll learn how to organize, store, and back up all of your photos in the cloud for free with Google Photos. Access them from any phone, tablet, or computer on photos.google.com – your photos will be safe, secure, and always with you. This class requires a Google (Gmail) account. Bring your own mobile device/computer or we’ll have a laptop you can borrow. Same class offered twice: register for 9/25 or 10/25.

### Digital Books, Audiobooks, and More with hoopla
**Wednesday**
**27 SEPTEMBER**
**10:00 – 11:30 AM, GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY: ESTES PARK VILLAGE**

**Special Location:** Good Samaritan Society: Estes Park Village 1901 Ptarmigan Trail, Estes Park, CO 80517. Class is open to the public. Register on the Library’s calendar. Learn how to borrow books, audiobooks, movies, music, comics, and television shows using our library’s subscription to hoopla. Bring your own Android, iOS (iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch), Kindle Fire, Windows PC laptop, or Macbook and your library card.

### Connect to Family and Friends with Facebook
**Friday**
**6 OCTOBER**
**10:00 – 11:30 AM, WASSON ROOM**

Facebook connects us over long distances with our loved ones. We’ll learn how to create, use, and maintain a Facebook page, including understanding Facebook privacy policies and settings. Bring your own mobile device/computer, or we’ll have a laptop you can borrow. Same class offered twice: register for 10/6 or 11/15.

### Genealogy with Technology
**Monday**
**16 OCTOBER**

**Same class offered twice. Register for afternoon or evening.**

**AFTERNOON CLASS: 3:00 – 4:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

**EVENING CLASS: 5:30 – 7:00 PM, HONDIUS ROOM**

Interested in tracing your family history but not sure where to start? We’ll explore Library-provided subscriptions to Ancestry.com and HeritageQuest. Attend a hands-on computer class where you’ll have time to practice the skills and search techniques learned in class…and discover an ancestor or two along the way! Library laptops will be provided for this class. Expect to share a Library computer with another participant at this popular class.

### Book-a-Librarian: Tech Assistance
**Monday**
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Meet individually with a Tech Librarian for help with skills on your computer, tablet, or phone. Register at estesvalleylibrary.org.
In this intermediate class, you’ll learn how to organize, store, and back up all of your photos in the cloud for free with Google Photos. Access them from any phone, tablet, or computer on photos.google.com – your photos will be safe, secure, and always with you. This class requires a Google (Gmail) account. Bring your own mobile device/computer or we’ll have a laptop you can borrow. Same class offered twice: register for 9/25 or 10/25.

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Meet Libby, a new app by OverDrive designed to get you reading and listening to books as quickly and seamlessly as possible. Libby is available for iPad & iPhone (iOS 9+), Android phone & tablet (Android 4.4+), and Windows 10. Bring your own device and library card.

Computers can break leaving you unable to access your important files and photos. Backing up to a flash drive or external hard drive is a good first step. Backing up to free Cloud Storage can be even better. On the Cloud, your work is password-protected, encrypted, and available on all your computers and devices from anywhere in the world with an internet connection. We’ll demonstrate Google Drive and the same skills will apply to Dropbox, OneDrive, and others. Library laptops will be provided for this class. Best for people with basic file management and internet skills.

For further information about Library Tech Literacy Services, contact Diana Laughlin at (970) 586-8116, ext. 834 or dlaughlin@estesvalleylibrary.org.
HEALTH LITERACY

You asked us for resources to identify and analyze risks, benefits, and alternatives before making decisions that affect your lives.

Reading is Doctor Recommended
Book & Film Explorations

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THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH, SEPTEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER

Join us for this informative series with health and nutrition expert Chazz Glaze.

Food Matters
Film Screening & Discussion

The Body Keeps the Score
Book Discussion

Hungry for Change
Film Screening & Discussion

The Joy Diet
Book Discussion

What's Your Plan, Estes Park Film Series

**Frontline with Atul Gawande**

**Monday 6 November**
6:30 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Join us to screen an episode of the PBS series *Frontline*. This episode follows renowned New Yorker writer and Boston surgeon Atul Gawande as he explores the relationships doctors have with patients who are nearing the end of life. Read Gawande’s book, *Being Mortal*, then join us for this eye-opening investigation. Group discussion will follow the screening.

**Dying Wish**

**Monday 13 November**
6:30 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

*Dying Wish* is a documentary about a hospice patient, Dr. Michael Miller, an 80-year-old retired surgeon with end-stage cancer who chooses to stop eating and drinking in order to not prolong his dying process, to ease his suffering, and to die with dignity and grace. Join us for a screening and discussion of this powerful film.

Haven't drafted your Advance Care Plan yet? The Library has a great new resource to get you started...

**Advance Directives Discovery Kit**

Inside you'll find:
- A notebook with basic information, sample forms, and how to have end-of-life care conversations with your loved ones.
- The DVD *Facing Your Fears: Straight Talk about the Dying Process*
- The book *Being Mortal* by Atul Gawande
- The book *When Breath Becomes Air* by Paul Kalanithi
- A stress ball and tea bag to stay relaxed

Now Available for a 3-Week Check-Out

Transforming the Journey of Loss
2-Day Workshop

**Saturday 11 November**
9 AM – 4 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

The Loving Spirit Workshop: Transforming the Journey of Loss with Dayle Spencer offers healing methods for adults grieving the loss of a loved one or another life trauma. Participants receive a free Myers-Briggs Type Inventory to help understand how their form of grief is experienced. Participants must attend both full days. Sponsored by the Community Thrift Shop, the Library, and Loving Spirit donors. Seating limited. Register at estesvalleylibrary.org.
BUILT SUCCESSFUL ENTERPRISES
Nonprofits and Businesses

**EPNRC Lunch & Learn Roundtable**

THURSDAYS
SEPTEMBER 14 | OCTOBER 12
NOVEMBER 16 | DECEMBER 14

12 – 1:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Brought to you by the Estes Park Nonprofit Resource Center. A variety of topics are discussed with special benefit to those serving nonprofit boards. Bring your lunch and join us for this lively roundtable.

**MASTERING THE BOARD GAME**

DEFINING BOARD/STAFF ROLES, RELATIONSHIPS AND LEADERSHIP

Monday 23 OCTOBER

COMMUNITY EVENT

Mastering the Board Game: Policy Governance Training

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM, YMCA OF THE ROCKIES

This full-day, engaging, interactive training explores the universal challenges of governance and Board/Staff relationships. Learn how employing principle-based strategies can transform the dysfunctional or adequate Board into the collaborative and exceptional one.

Based on the Policy Governance model developed by Dr. John Carver. These ten principles help governing boards to lead, direct, inspire, and control organizations.

Master relationships, leadership, and action planning.

Advance registration required. $50 Registration Fee includes lunch.

Register at www.epnonprofit.org

**Show Me the Money!**

How to use the grant searching databases at the Estes Valley Library

Tuesday 5 SEPTEMBER

3:30 – 5 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS

**Basics of Proposal Writing and Project Budgeting**

Tuesday 3 OCTOBER

3:30 – 5 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS

**Messaging What Matters:**

Making Meaning to Make a Difference

Tuesday 7 NOVEMBER

3:30 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

**Grantseeking Basics for Individuals in the Arts**

Tuesday 5 DECEMBER

3:30 – 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

**Managing Performance Issues**

Thursday 19 OCTOBER

5:30 – 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

Participants in this workshop will learn hiring practices that ensure team success, why frequent direct feedback prevents conflict, and a “bridge model” that makes disciplinary actions easier.

**Finding and Keeping the Best Employees**

Thursday 21 DECEMBER

8 – 9:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

For more information about services provided by the Estes Park Nonprofit Resource Center, call 970-480-7805 or email info@epnonprofit.org
September
Fall and Winter Hours Begin After Labor Day
Mon – Thurs: 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Fri and Sat: 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Sun: 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
Library Closed for Labor Day

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
Webinar for Nonprofits: Using Grants Databases, 3:30 PM - 5 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
Tech Express, 4:30 - 6 PM, FIREPLACE CORNER
Plaza Comunitaria Information Meeting, 6:30 - 8 PM, WASSON ROOM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
Farmers’ Market Book Sale, 8 AM - 1 PM, BOND PARK
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Early Childhood Music Workshop, 11 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Early Childhood Music Workshop, 11 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
No Storytime: Scottish Highland Parade, 9:30 AM, ELKHORN AVE.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10
Outside the Lines: Library Podcast Launch, ALL DAY ONLINE

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
Outside the Lines: Poetry Prize Machine, LIBRARY FACEBOOK
English Conversation Café, 7 PM - 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE
New Era of Electric Vehicles, 7 - 8:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12
Outside the Lines: Library Swag Rollout, ALL DAY, LIBRARY

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
Outside the Lines: Books on Bikes, AROUND TOWN
Excel: Multiple Worksheets, 5:30 - 7 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
Farmers’ Market Book Sale, 8 AM - 1 PM, BOND PARK
Outside the Lines: Librarians on the Loose, 8 AM - 1 PM, BOND PARK
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, BOND PARK
Storytime, 10:30 AM, BOND PARK
Nonprofit Lunch & Learn, 12:00 - 1:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
After-School Program: Minute-to-Win-It, 4 - 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Outside the Lines: Fun Friday, 11 AM - 5 PM, LIBRARY ATRIUM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18
iPad & iPhone Basics, 2 - 3:30 PM, WASSON ROOM
Library Board of Trustees Meeting, 6:30 - 8:30 PM, WASSON ROOM
English Conversation Café, 7 - 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19
Positive Youth Development Training, 9 AM - 3 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
Reading is Doctor Recommended: Food Matters, 7 - 8:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
Tech Express, 4:30 - 6 PM, FIREPLACE CORNER

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
Library closes today at 5:00 PM for annual meeting
Farmers’ Market Book Sale, 8 AM - 1 PM, BOND PARK
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Early Childhood Music Workshop, 11 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Friends & Foundation Annual Meeting/Author Event, 5:30 PM, FIREPLACE CORNER

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
Store Family Memories with Google Photos, 5:30 - 7 PM, WASSON ROOM
English Conversation Café, 7 PM - 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
Try-It Tuesday: Fish Puppets, 4 - 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Digital Books, Audiobooks and More with Hoopla, 10:00 - 11:30 AM, GOOD SAMARITAN VILLAGE

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
Farmers’ Market Book Sale, 8 AM - 1 PM, BOND PARK
Baby Storytime, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Storytime, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
Citizenship Introduction Class, 7 PM - 8:30 PM, US BANK HIX ROOM
**October**

- **Library second floor closed for renovations beginning October 15**

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<td>Saturday Book Club: Magic Tree House, 2 - 3:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM</td>
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<td>Haunted Library: Halloween Escape Room, 4 PM - 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM</td>
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<td>Transforming the Journey of Loss, 9 AM - 4 PM, HONDIUS ROOM</td>
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<td>Film Documentary: Dying Wish, 6:30 - 8 PM, HONDIUS ROOM</td>
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<td>Connect to Family and Friends with Facebook, 5:30 - 7 PM, HONDIUS ROOM</td>
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### December

**Library second floor closed for renovations. Reopening December 15th.**

#### Thursday, November 30
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Citizenship Class**, 7 - 8:30 PM, US BANK HIX ROOM

#### Friday, December 1
- **Friends & Foundation Holiday Used Book Sale**, 10 AM - 4 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, CHILDREN’S ROOM

#### Saturday, December 2
- **Friends & Foundation Holiday Used Book Sale**, 10 AM - 4 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, CHILDREN’S ROOM
- **Make and Take: Holiday Gift Wrapping**, 11 AM - 3 PM, LIBRARY ATRIUM

#### Monday, December 4
- **Digital Books and Audiobooks with Libby**, 10 - 11:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **English Conversation Café**, 7 PM - 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE

#### Tuesday, December 5
- **Colorado Gives Day**, ALL DAY ONLINE
- **Author Visit: Gennifer Choldenko**, ESTES PARK SCHOOLS
- **Webinar for Nonprofits: Grantseeking Basics**, 3:30 - 5 PM, COMPUTER COMMONS

#### Thursday, December 7
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Early Childhood Music Workshop**, 11 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **After-School Program: Holiday Ornament Making**, 4 - 5 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Citizenship Class**, 7 - 8:30 PM, US BANK HIX ROOM

#### Friday, December 8
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Early Childhood Music Workshop**, 11 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Polar Express Trolley Ride**, 5:30 PM, LIBRARY
- **Polar Express Trolley Ride**, 6:20 PM, LIBRARY

#### Saturday, December 9
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Polar Express Trolley Ride**, 5:30 PM, LIBRARY
- **Polar Express Trolley Ride**, 6:20 PM, LIBRARY

#### Monday, December 11
- **Library Board of Trustees Meeting**, 6:30 - 8:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **English Conversation Café**, 7 PM - 8 PM, BELLA FORTUNA BUILDING, 600 S ST VRAIN AVE

#### Wednesday, December 13
- **Young Chautauqua Club**, 4 - 5:15 PM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Tech Express**, 4:30 - 6 PM, FIREPLACE CORNER

#### Thursday, December 14
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Nonprofit Lunch & Learn**, 12:00 - 1:30 PM, HONDIUS ROOM

#### Friday, December 15
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

#### Saturday, December 16
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

#### Sunday, December 24
- **Library Closed for Christmas Holiday**

#### Monday, December 25
- **Library Closed for Christmas Holiday**

#### Thursday, December 28
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

#### Friday, December 29
- **Baby Storytime**, 10 AM, HONDIUS ROOM
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM

#### Saturday, December 30
- **Storytime**, 10:30 AM, HONDIUS ROOM