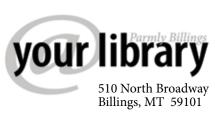
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One Book Billings

One Book Billings discussions take place the week of September 10 all around the Billings area. The book

is **Ride the Jawbone** by **Jim Moore.** Set in central Montana, a young lawyer must defend a horrible man accused of a dreadful crime. This legal drama is wrapped around the history of a

developing land and the conflicts between ranches, railroads and remarkable characters.

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- Sept. 10, Monday, 7:00 pm Castle Rock Middle School Library
- Sept. 10, Monday, 7:00 pm Parmly Billings Library
- Sept. 11, Tuesday, 7:00 pm Rocky Mountain College Library
- Sept. 12, Wednesday, Noon MSU-B Library
- Sept. 12, Wednesday, 7:00 pm YMCA
- Sept. 13, Thursday, 7:00 pm Huntington Learning Center

To register for a discussion and receive a free copy of the book courtesy of the Friends of the Library, call 657–8258 or visit the Reference Desk at the Library. Each discussion will have a facilitator. *Join us!*

AUTHOR VISIT: JIM MOORE

Ride the

Jawbone

Jim Moore is a retired lawyer and rancher who grew up along the historic Jawbone railroad of central Montana that helped inspire September's One Book Billings selection, **Ride the Jawbone.**

Hear him talk about his book and his writing at 2:00 pm, Saturday, September 15, on the 3rd Floor.

Parmly Billings Library NEWSLETTER—No. 57, September 2012

Moniana Library Week

September 23–29 is Montana Library Week. And, we're celebrating with the popular Treasure Hunt for the Treasure State contest! Contestants use the Library's resources to research the questions and submit answers. It's fun and you can win prizes! Winners will be selected randomly from the pool of correct responses. Check the website for more information and to enter. www.mymontanalibrary.org/treasure/

Sign-up Today/

National Library Card Sign-Up Month!

If you know someone who doesn't have a card yet, let them know what they're missing. It's free! Bring them by today!

Or, tell them they can register from home by submitting our online application form. Just go to the Library's website and click on "How Do I?" then click "Get a Library Card."

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Join a community discussion about Information Technology (IT) at the new Library. Serve as a community advisor—share your ideas and dreams about technology to help develop the new Library as our community's IT nerve center. Work with nationally-known library futurists and local tech experts to create a technology vision in the NEW Library. The discussion is Saturday, September 15, 9am-2:30pm at the Health Sciences Building at the MSU-Billings College of Technology, 2802 Central Avenue. Lunch will be provided for participants. Pre-register at www.ci.billings.mt.us/ *iLibrary.* For more information, email ilibraryworkshop@gmail.com. Funding for the community discussion is provided by Parmly Billings Library, the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, and the US Department of Commerce Broadband Technologies Opportunity Program.

News Views of the Parmly Billings Library Foundation

The summer months were busy ones for both the Foundation and the Library. The variety of Library programs offered during the summer for education and entertainment were well attended by all age groups—from the toddler listening at Story Time to the teenager attending gatherings in the Teen Pit to the family enjoying Movie Night. All these and more are made possible through the supplemental funds the Foundation contributes to the Library to enhance the services and programs that the Library offers to the community.

The Foundation continues its efforts to raise additional funds earmarked for further enhancements of the new Library building. Technology is one of these

important enhancements. To educate and inform the community of this important component of the Library, a conference presenting all the vital issues regarding technology and computer applications will be hosted by the Library on Saturday, September 15. Please attend this event! New opportunities and challenges are constantly presented as we continue to raise additional funds to fulfill the mission of the Foundation. We are thrilled and humbled to experience the community's continued interest, support and generosity.

For more information about the Foundation and how you can help, contact **Leslie Modrow,** Foundation Director, at 237–6149 or leslie@billingslibraryfoundation.org.



Book sales have been keeping the Friends busy. Our **First Wednesday** sales draw many book lovers as did our offerings at SummerFair. Now it's time to think about the big semi-annual sale. Dates are set for Oct. 11, 6:15–8:30 (members only preview evening; new members may join at the door); Oct. 12 and 13, 10:00–4:00; and Oct. 14, Noon–4:00. Mark your calendars for an hour or more of browsing and bargains. The next First Wednesday sale is Sept. 5, 11:00–1:00; please note there will be no First Wednesday sale in October.

For September, the **Book Nook** features Back-to-School topics such as math, science, writing, literary classics and guides for producing attention-getting

college and scholarship applications. Pre-2000 books remain priced at only 50¢.

Our shelves house works devoted to a wide variety of handicrafts. Whether your interest involves flower arranging, needlework, candle-making, sewing, scrapbooking, woodworking, toys or dolls, you'll find books filled with ideas and easy-to-follow directions. Nancy Markle, who keeps this section neat and organized, promises special prices for our two 20-volume sets of *The Family Creative Workshop*.

(PLEASE NOTE: We cannot accept donations of encyclopedias or *Readers' Digest* magazines.)

"The brain is a storage shed. You put experience in there and it waits for you."

~Ann Patchett, State of Wonder

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Technology Series

Monday

TECH TUESDAYS: BACK TO SCHOOL

If you're getting started or just need some refreshers, try one of these great classes. Pre-register by calling 657-8258. All classes are on Tuesday, 4:00–5:00pm, in the 2nd Floor Computer Classroom.

• September 11: Mango Languages

Sunday

- September 18: Universal Class & other Library web tools
- September 25: On-line Word Processing with Google Docs

SUPPORT GROUP: YOUR E-READER & YOU

A librarian will help you become more comfortable with your Nook, Kindle, iPad or other ebook device. Call 657-8258 to pre-register or set up a special appointment. Regular sessions are 4:00pm, Thursdays, September 13 and 27, in the 2nd Floor Computer Classroom.

Kids' Programs

BOOK IT WITH A BUDDY: EXPLORERS

Attention kids ages 8-12 (with an adult reading buddy). Explorers expands the discussion group into the world of science. Our first subject will be electricity and will include a science experiment! Sign up at Children's Services, 657–8256, for your free book.

The discussion is *Thursday, September 13, 6pm*, on the 3rd Floor.

STORY TIME: WITH THE BILLINGS BULLETS

Join the **Billings Bullets** for a very special Story Time. *Billings Bullets* players will be reading stories and signing autographs!

Join them Saturday, September 15, 11am, at the Story Time Corner.

Kid's Crafts are for children ages 3-12. Materials are provided by the Library. To register, call Children's Services at 657–8256.

CRAFT: HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

Join us for a special craft celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month. Come 4:00-5:00 pm, Friday, September 21, on the 3rd Floor.

CRAFT: MONTANA LIBRARY WEEK

We're making a special craft celebrating Montana Library Week. Join us 4:00–5:00 pm, Friday, September 28, 3rd Floor.

Just for TEENS!

Wednesday

Tuesday

Everyday, look for the TEEN TABLE near the service desk on the 2nd Floor. You'll find Fun Facts, Teen Trivia and great books!

Thursday

GROUP: TEEN WRITERS

Young adult author Rebecca Gahagan hosts a teen writing group. Collaborate with other teen writers and have some fun! Join her 5-6 pm, Tuesday, September 11, 2nd Floor Large Study.

CRAFT: RECYCLING PROJECT

It's more than re-cycling—it's UP-cycling! We provide all supplies. Register by calling 657–8258 or stop by the Reference Desk

Join us 4:00–5:30pm, Thursday, September 20, on the 3rd Floor.

Horror/Comedy Film Series As the spooky season nears, get ready for It Came from

Parmly Billings Library, a festival of horror/comedies that will have you screaming with laughter. All films in the series are sponsored by the Parmly Billings Library Foundation.

The free Thursday movies start at 7:00 pm on the 3rd Floor. Bring snacks and a friend to hang onto!

> September 6: An American Werewolf in London

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Two young tourists should have never strayed from the road.



September 20: Shaun of the Dead

Shaun doesn't want much—just a laugh, a pint of beer and to save his ex-girlfriend from the

Get the latest Bookmobile Calendar! Download September's schedule on our website.

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Library Hours

Saturday

Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm Friday 10am-6pm Saturday 10am-5pm Sunday 1pm-5pm

Helpful Information

Phone numbers ~

Friday

Hours: 657-8259 Bookmobile: 657-3091 Reference: 657-8258 Senior/Homebound: 657-8255 TDD/TTY: 657-3079 Children's: 657-8256 Foundation: 237-6149 Friends of the Library: 237–6170

Webpage ~www.billings.lib.mt.us

Email ~ refdesk@ci.billings.mt.us

Story Time Programs ~

Story Time with Carina! Mondays, 12:30-1pm

Story Time Tales

Tuesdays, 10:30-11am (3–6 year olds & parent/caregiver)

Tales & Tots Story Time Wednesdays, 10:30-11am (2-3 year olds & parent/caregiver)

Story Time Tales

Thursdays, 10:30-11am (3-6 year olds & parent/caregiver)

Books & Babies Lap-Sit Thursdays, 3:15-4pm Fridays, 10:15-11am (babies & parent/caregiver)

Saturday Story Time Saturdays, 11-11:30am

Video Programs ~

Movies @ the Library Fridays, 10:30-11am