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# COVER TO COVER

#### THE LATEST NEWS & EVENTS FROM MARSHALL PUBLIC LIBRARY

We will be closed for Labor Day on Monday, September 6.



City policy now requires masks be worn in city buildings. Thank you for wearing a mask!



Kristy's Group- Mon. 9/20 @ 2 p.m.: Camino Island

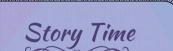
Becky's Group- Wed. 9/15 (a) 6 p.m.: Murder on the Middle Fork

Leslie's Group- Mon. 9/13 @ 7 p.m.: The Great Alone

The Children's Department will keep having story time outside as weather permits, and is looking to add more times in the future.

Weekly make-andtake kits will be available this fall, too!





Enjoy story time outside! Mondays and Thursdays, 10:15 - 11:00 a.m., weather permitting.

Visit our Facebook page for twice weekly story time videos!

### HOW FARED OUR SUMMER READERS?

300: over 300 patrons registered with and used our Beanstack app for our Summer Reading Challenge!101, 304: number of minutes read that were logged

by patrons on the Beanstack app! (that's over **1,738** hours read! Or an average of **337** minutes per person!)

#### Children's Department by the Numbers:

- 19: Parks and community venues visited
- 2,984: Books given to children at the parks
- 9: Weekly make and take craft kits
- 140: Number of children picking up craft kits weekly
- 22: Minutes of Story Time posted on Facebook
- 770: Number of listeners to our "Stories Come to Life" podcast
- 1,000: Animal trading cards claimed by children

## **SEPTEMBER 11 DISPLAY**

Twenty years after the 9/11 attacks brings a bit of history to the Library. In a display titled "September 11, 2001: The Day That Changed the World", a poster display with personal stories will narrate the experiences of those who witnessed and survived the attacks of that dark day. The posters are being lent by the 9/11 Memorial & Museum and educators can find resources for teaching at:

911memorial.org/learn/resources/911-primer.



## GREGO

Gregory Peck: A Biography Gary Fishgall

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Author Gary Fishgall does a superb job of laying out the life of this great actor, from birth to childhood, college to Broadway to the silver screen, and finally to years of activism and T.V. roles. And it was all told with candor and honesty, well-researched and fairly portraying the great Gregory Peck.

I do quite enjoy Mr. Peck- tall, dark, handsome- and that baritone voice!- and if you feel the same, this biography is well worth the read! A great background for all those movies you'll want to binge watch.

## MPL PRESENTS. Becky Mitton!

Becky is a Pocatello native and loves this area and all it has to offer. She and her husband are the parents of 5 children and have 15 grandchildren. Becky enjoys spending time with family, traveling, reading, music, volleyball, cycling, hiking, and enjoying the beautiful outdoors. A favorite pastime is to do family history research and read the stories of her ancestors. She has worked at the library for 11 years and has created Speedy Reader Kits and Exploration Kits to add to our collections. Becky loves working at the library and helping people find great books to read.  SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

The Library is wrapping up its school supply drive for School District #25 students, which will go through Saturday, September 11. If you'd like to help, the following items are needed:

**Toiletry Items** Shampoo Soap Lotion Deodorant Towels Washcloths Combs Feminine hygiene products Toothbrushes Toothpaste **Disposable razors** Shaving gel

School Supplies Pencils Notebook Paper Folders Pens Cravons Watercolor sets Highlighters Markers Colored pencils **Rulers** 

New, unopened items can be dropped off at the circulation desk.

## LOOKING FORWARD...

The Library will have some beautiful displays the next two months... in September, we'll have the Daughters of the American Revolution in honor of Constitution Day, and in both September and October, porcelain delights from the Porcelain Artists of Southeastern Idaho. Keep an eye out for these unique displays on the Reference Floor (second floor) in the coming months