

# Berthoud Community Library District

**Discover. Connect. Inspire.**

## *August-September Newsletter*



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### A Note from the CEO

As we wrap up our Summer Reading Initiative with our final events, our focus shifts to the beginning of the coming school year. We hope that your summer, whether you were enjoying time off or keeping to your daily routine, was as fun and productive as ours has been.

Keep in mind that the library offers a number of [specialized online research tools](#) to help you find the information you need, whether it's for school or for work. Business and consumer information can be found in [Reference USA](#), and articles on a plethora of subjects—all scalable to different reading levels—are available in [Britannica Digital Learning](#). Applying for a driver's license? [Driving Tests](#) may be right for you. Or you can create and download legal documents through [NuWav Legal Documents](#). You can check out the full list of our offerings under the Research tab of the website [here](#).

Also look for exciting changes coming to storytime classes this fall. Beginning August 21, you can experience a new storytime on Monday afternoons specifically designed to incorporate a lot of movement—perfect for your kindergartener or second grader who needs to work off some energy. Tuesday mornings will be geared toward those under the age of two, and Wednesday mornings toward those ages two to five. For more information, call Miss Christy at [970-532-](tel:970-532-)

2757, and remember that any children are welcome to attend any storytime class that works for your family.

We wish all of you an enjoyable end to the summer and a smooth transition into fall.

Amie Pilla  
Library CEO

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### New Storytime Schedule!

Coming Monday, August 21st at 4:30 p.m. **Movement Storytime!** This story time is designed for K-2 children who like to move! We will blend yoga, dance, songs, games, and of course stories to create a unique experience. This class will meet each Monday for eight weeks.

Tuesday, August 22nd at 10:30 a.m. we are launching our **Lapsit Storytime!** This story time is designed for babies under two years. We will sing songs and bounce as well as read stories appropriate for this age group. Each thirty minute session will end with free play and visiting.

Wednesday, August 23rd at 10:30 a.m. we welcome you to **Toddler Time!** This story time is designed for 2 yrs – preschool children. We will sing, read, and craft each week.

Christy Headrick  
Youth Instructor and Research Librarian

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Last Week to attend Summer Reading Events  
Prizes will be announced August 21st.



## Teen Summer Reading

August 1, 2pm: Teen Yoga  
Be calm, be centered and breathe

## Youth Summer Reading

August 2, 2pm: Ann Lincoln  
Ann Lincoln will perform amazing feats of strength and courage in this one-of-a-kind Magic, Juggling and Comedy show.



## Quotable Movies Family Edition: The Emperor's New Groove

August 4, 7pm  
Bring the whole family! Popcorn and drinks will be provided.

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# Upcoming Events



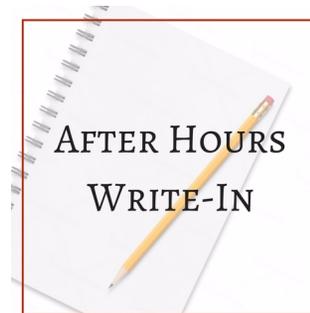
Hands-On with  
Berthoud Bike Shop  
08/04, 4pm-6pm

Change a tube, learn about  
bike fitting and  
maintenance.



Local Author  
Showcase: Steve  
Garufi  
08/19, 3pm-5pm

Join author and three-time  
cross-country cyclist Steve  
Garufi for stories and  
discussion about his  
book *Under a Triumphant  
Sky*.



After Hours Write-In  
08/24 6pm-9pm

An opportunity to work on  
that novel or essay you  
need to finish.



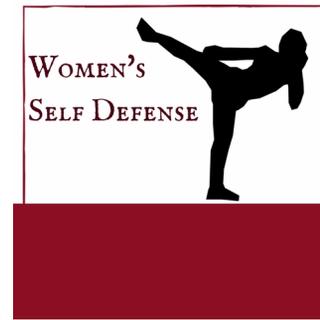
Bike Safety with the  
Berthoud Fire  
Department  
08/26, 10am-11am

Parents and kids learn  
about bike safety from  
those who know best.



The Science of  
Nutrition  
09/15, 10am-11am

Registered Dietician and  
Berthoud resident Emmy  
Ingham discusses the  
science behind the food we  
put into our bodies.



Women's Self-Defense  
09/21, 7pm-9pm

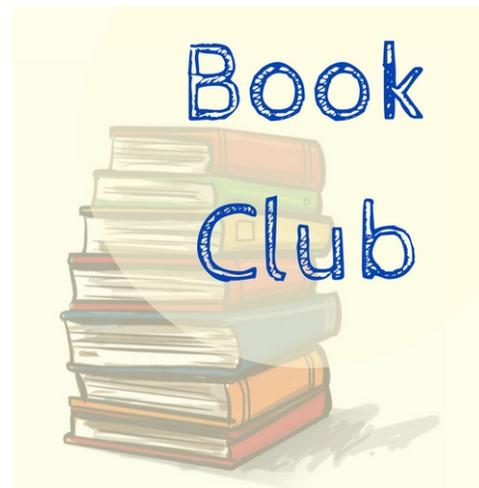
Scott Crossen offers an  
introductory course to  
Common Sense Self-  
Defense martial arts.  
Everyone should be able  
to defend themselves, no  
matter their size or  
stature.

(Registration  
Required. \$10.00/person  
fee. Limited seating. Must  
be 18 or older to  
participate.)



Writers' Group  
Every Monday  
9:30am

Free-writing, discussion and critique.  
All are welcome.



Book Club:  
*The Nightingale* by Kristin  
Hannah  
September 26, 1:30 & 6:30

The Berthoud Community Library Book  
Club meets the 4th Tuesday of each  
month at 1:30pm and 6:30pm.