



COVER to COVER

THE LATEST NEWS & EVENTS FROM MARSHALL PUBLIC LIBRARY



Story Time

See our **Facebook page** for story time with **Miss Becca & other librarians!**

<https://www.facebook.com/marshallpl/>

Book Groups on ZOOM

*Leslie: MON 4/12 @ 7pm

Born a Crime

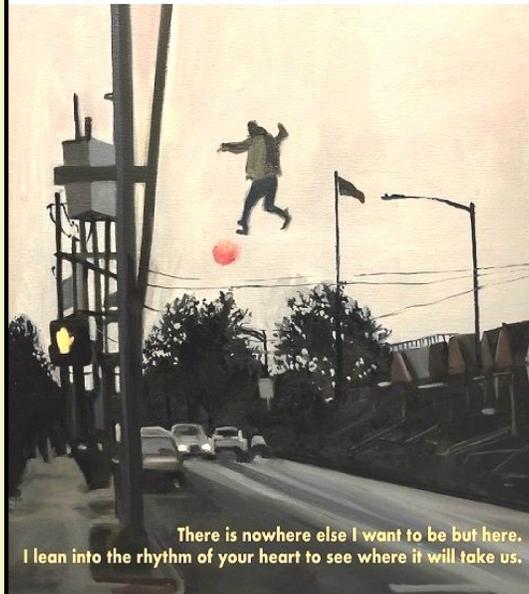
*Kristy: MON 4/19 @ 2pm

Uprising

*Becky: WED 4/21 @ 6pm

Good Omens

National Poetry Month April 2021 Celebrating 25 years



There is nowhere else I want to be but here.
I lean into the rhythm of your heart to see where it will take us.

2021 Academy of American Poets poster.

Artwork: Bao Lu. Poetry: Joy Harjo.

MPL is celebrating **National Poetry Month** during April and May with our annual 2nd floor **POETRY WALL!**

This year's theme is **ekphrasis** — poetry or prose inspired by a work of art. Be it a painting, a symbol, a sculpture, a photo, a piece of dance or music or film.. ekphrastic writing responds to it.

Share your own writing! Email it to

jhawkins@marshallpl.org

...or just enjoy the work of artists and wordsmiths from near and far!



thank you for wearing a **mask** in the library!



LIBRARY HOURS:

Mon-Thurs: 10 am — 9 pm

Fri & Sat: 10 am — 6 pm



QUICK PICK UP

*Put items on hold from our online catalog

(items currently checked in)

*Pick them up the next day

*Curbside service also available; call 208-232-1263 for details

MENDOZA FAMILY'S CRAFTS AND COLLECTIONS ON DISPLAY AT THE MARSHALL PUBLIC LIBRARY



Annie, Amara, & Alina Mendoza's COINS, CRAFTS, & CROCHET remain on display through April!

Visit the Reference Floor to see this inspiring array for families & creative folks alike!



From the Stacks

JO & LAURIE



Margaret Stohl & Melissa de la Cruz ^ YA FIC Stohl, Ma

Are you a fan of Louisa May Alcott's classic *Little Women*? Do you enjoy reading alternate versions of original stories? If you answered yes to both questions, then I have a great book for you!

Jo & Laurie by Margaret Stohl & Melissa de la Cruz begins in the center of what is now known as *Little Women*. Alcott's novel was initially published in two halves, the first ending with Laurie heading to university & Meg engaged to John Brooke. Stohl & de la Cruz's biographical reimagining begins with Jo (a stand-in for Alcott herself) in-between novels & trying to decide where her characters' journeys will take them...

In *Jo & Laurie*, both the title characters & Meg & John are subjects of a beautiful romance. I loved this Young Adult book, which is a fast, fun read, and does justice to its classic inspiration. — JW

The results are in...

Pocatello children were challenged to read for 1,000,000 minutes...

5TH ANNUAL
MAYOR'S MILLION MINUTE MARATHON

And **OH BOY**, did they deliver!

TOTAL MINUTES: 1,007,495.

That's 16,791.58 hours in February alone. So for every single hour of the 672 hours in February, 25 children were reading!



M.P.L. presents:
Becky Hadley

Becky Hadley's library career began in high school when she worked as a Syringa Elementary library aide, & then at the Oboler library while a student at ISU. Now MPL's Lead Circulation Librarian, Becky celebrates 22 years at Marshall this month!

Becky loves sharing books with the community. She's also created many hand-crafted displays & inventive programs like the 50/50 Book Quest, a year-long reading challenge, going strong for 4 years running.

Becky has another 22nd anniversary to celebrate—that of her marriage to her husband, with whom she shares 5 children, 2 cats, & a dog. In her downtime, Becky hangs out with her family, crochets, crafts, & reads (alone or with her kids). Asked about her favorite book, Becky says, "Depends on the day. However, my love for books started with *Harold and the Purple Crayon*."

VIRTUAL
MONEY SMART WEEK
APRIL 10-17, 2021



This virtual campaign aims to help people better manage their finances during the COVID-19 pandemic & beyond.

DETAILS AT:
www.moneysmartweek.org

Each 10-15 minute presentation is free & open to the public, but registration is advised. Questions can be submitted during registration.

- Saturday, April 10 @ 9 am MST
TALKING CENTS
- Sunday, April 11 @ 9 am MST
SAVING
- Monday, April 12 @ 11 am MST
BASIC BANKING
- Tuesday, April 13 @ 11:30 am MST
STUDENT LOANS
- Wednesday, April 14 @ 12 pm MST
FRAUD PROTECTION
- Thursday, April 15 @ 12 pm MST
PERSONAL FINANCE
- Friday, April 16 @ 11 am MST
HOUSING PROTECTIONS + RESOURCES
- Saturday, April 17 @ 9:30 am MST
BUDGETING

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