# Friends of the Lewistown Public Library **NEWSLETTER**

**Nov Dec 2017** 



# **Around the Library**

#### **New Book Station Mural**

The next time you're near the Library, drive by the Book Station and check out the new mural on the west wall.



The Friends of the Library were fortunate to find the talents of Adam Grensten available to create a mixed media work of art for the Book Station. The Friends have long talked about doing something on the blank board on the side of the building and when we heard that Adam was in town for the summer, we met with him and looked at several of his ideas, deciding on his recreation of Main Street using a montage of author's names to create the main buildings found there. Adam was gracious enough to offer us a great price and started work in August. Unfortunately, his time in Lewistown came to an end before the project was completely finished but he's promised to return next summer to complete his work. His work, although unfinished, is beautiful and we urge you all to stop and take a look!

#### 2nd Annual Santa's Seconds Sale: 9-2 Sat Dec 2 at Library

The Friends are happy to announce the 2nd Annual Holiday Decorations Sale to be held 9am-2pm Sat Dec 2 at the Lewistown Public Library Upstairs Meeting Room. All sales benefit the Library.

Need to clear out excess holiday decorations and ornaments? Now through Dec 1, you can bring your unneeded holiday decorations to Library, help with Library improvements and bring cheer to a new owner!



#### Next Friends Meeting Wed Jan 31, 2018.

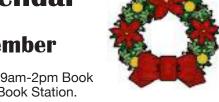
The Friends now have a quarterly meeting schedule and our next quarterly meeting will be in the new year on Wed January 31, at noon in the Library Meeting Room.

With only four meetings a year, we hope to see as many members as possible yo make decisions needed to move forward on our many efforts to help the Lewistown Public Library be the very best that it can be. Mark your calendar & join us Jan 31.

**More from your Lewistown Public Library** Need more Library news? Check out the Lewistown Public Library website at www.lewistownlibrary. org. You'll find everything library related you may need - including upcoming events and programs, new books and materials, Board of Trustees agendas and meeting minutes, as well as quick links to Montana Libray2Go (audio & e-books) and Montana Memory Project (Central MT Historical Photographs digital archive). Also, with your Library card number, log in to your personal account to renew books, place a hold or browse the catalog.

## Calendar

#### November



4 Sat 9am-2pm Book Sale at Book Station.

**9 Thurs** 2pm Library Board Meeting, Upstairs Meeting Room.

**10 Fri** Library Closed in observance of Veteran's Day.

**23 Thurs** Library closed - Thanksgiving.

#### December

2 Sat 9am-2pm Book Sale at Book Station. Also, 9am -2pm "Santa's Seconds Sale" at Library Upstairs Meeting Room.

**14 Thurs** 2pm Library Board Meeting, Upstairs Meeting Room.

**26 Tues** Library closed in observance of Christmas holiday.

Other Important Dates

**Jan 2 Tues** Library closed in observance of New Year's Day holiday.

Jan 19 Fri 5:00pm 7th Annual Chili Bowl, Jack's Hangar. Team Signups at Library or at the door.

**Jan 31 Wed** Noon Friends of Library meeting, Upstairs Meeting Room.

> Book Station Book Sortings -Every Thursday at 10am

#### **Lewistown Public Library Trustees:**

Mary Frieze, Chairperson Blanche Chapman, Vice Chair Jean Collins Cathy Moser Patti Turk Marie Anderson, Ex-officio KellyAnne Terry, Director

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#### From the President

Dear Friends.

Tom and I just returned from a wonderful cruise with a trip to Macchu Picchu as the highlight. My guide told me that now they think Macchu Picchu was an Incan university. It made me think about how long people all over the world have valued information and how lucky we are to have access to information today in so many formats.

Of course you know where I'm going with this...how very lucky we are to have the Lewistown Public Library where we can access all kinds of information in both print and nonprint formats. Our Library director and staff do such a great job of making sure that library patrons have access to fair and balanced information as well as a great diversity in recreational reading that we have to count the Library as one of Central Montana's greatest resources!

The Friends of the Library deserve so much credit and appreciation for all they do to help our library be the very best that it can be. So here's a great shout out of thanks to the Friends who spend hours helping sort and shelve books for our monthly sales, the volunteers who work our monthly sales, as well as volunteers who help with all the great events our library sponsors. There are a lot of folks who quietly work on our projects without any recognition, so here's a very public thanks for all your help. Library director KellyAnne Terry frequently tells me how much she appreciates all the work that the Friends do for the Library, claiming that we're the best group of Friends in the state!

So let's keep doing what we can to support our Library and let's make sure that we keep the residents of Central Montana aware of the treasure we have in our fantastic Lewistown Public Library.

#### Marie Anderson

Marie Anderson, President, Friends of the Lewistown Library

#### **Interview: Library Intern Misty Aldrich**

- 1- Brief Bio: I was born in a small town called Rupert, Idaho. I moved to Lewistown with my husband in May of 1999. moved here because this is my husband's home town and love it here.
- 2. Before the Library, what was your most interesting or unusual job? I worked at Albertsons for 10 ½ years and many different departments in the store so I got to meet some unusual people. I had a lot of fun.
- 3. What's your education history? I graduated from Lowry High School in Winnemucca Nevada in 1997. Then I went to Job Corps in Curlew Washington to become a secretary.
- 4. What's your favorite part of the job so far? The most challenging? My favorite part of the job is the positive environment, and the friendly patrons. The challenging part is learning to slow down in this position.
- 5. What do you like best about interning? Learning the different jobs involving my position and the different areas in the library.
- 6. What's your favorite book? Flowers in the Attic By: V.C. Andrews would have to be my favorite book. It's everything I look for in a book.
- 7. What we might not know about you? I played the flute from 7th grade until after graduation.
- 8. What do you do in your spare time? I watch movies with my family and of course read.

Thanks Misty for sharing your background and thoughts with us!

### Friends of the Lewistown Public Library

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#### Membership

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Join Us!



#### 2018 Author Dinner to Feature Montana's Mark Sullivan

The Lewistown Public Library is pleased to announce thriller and historical fiction author Mark Sullivan as the guest speaker for the 8th Annual Author Dinner. The acclaimed author of eighteen novels, Mark has received numerous awards, including the WH Smith Fresh Talent Award, New York Times Notable Book and LA Times Best Book of The Year. He grew up in Medfield, MA, graduated from Hamilton College with a BA in English before volunteering in Niger, West Africa with the Peace Corps. Back in the US, he earned a graduate degree from Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern University and worked as an investigative journalist. In 2011, Mark began working with legendary author James Patterson.

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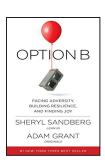
Since then they've written five #1 NY Times Bestsellers including *Private Paris*, *Private L.A.* & *Private Berlin*. Sullivan lives in Bozeman, MT with his wife.

Mark Sullivan's most recent book, Beneath a Scarlet Sky, is based on the true story of a forgotten hero. Pino Lella wants nothing to do with the war or the Nazis, but when his



family home in Milan is destroyed by Allied bombs, Pino joins an underground railroad helping Jews escape over the Alps. *Beneath a Scarlet Sky* is the triumphant, epic tale of one young man's incredible courage and resilience during one of history's darkest hours. The 8th Annual Author Dinner will be Wednesday, May 16, 2018 at the Elk's Club. The evening will feature a catered dinner, a silent auction and time to visit and listen to Mark Sullivan. Tickets go on sale the first week of April, and will be available at the Library or from any Library Board Trustee. The event is sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Save the date and we look forward to seeing you this spring!

# **B00k Review** Option B: Facing Adversity, Building Resiliency and Finding Joy, by Sheryl Sandberg & Adam Grant.



After hearing a book review on National Public Radio, I saw this non-fiction book on the Library's "New Book" shelf. Author and Facebook Chief Operating Officer Sheryl Sandberg recounts her path back to a new life, after the unexpected death of her 48-year old husband. Co-author and friend, Wharton professor Adam Grant played a pivotal role in Cheryl's journey to recovery. Option B, what there is when Option A is no longer available, reveals how it's possible build resilience after tragedy, trauma and the unexpected hardships life brings, including death, illness, natural disasters, job loss and more. This is a guide to

finding strength during diversity, moving on and how one can again experience joy and grow to a new understanding of ourselves and each other.

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## New Late Fall Books & DVD's



#### New FICTION

My absolute Darling - Gabriel Tallent Good People - Hannah Kent Rules of Magic – Alice Hoffman One Year after – William R. Forstchen Death on Tap - Ellie Alexander Scarred Woman – Jussi Adler-Olsen Whole of the Moon – Brian Rogers Lightning Men – Thomas Mullen In the Distance - Hernann Daiaz Fairytale – Danielle Steel Death in St. Petersburg - Tasha Alexander Hell Fire - Karin Fossum Blind - A.F. Brady Deep Freeze – John Sandford Death Overdue – Allison Brook For Such a Time - Kate Breslin The Long Drop – Denise Mina Nail's Crossing - Kris Lackey Don't Let Go - Harlan Coben Reservoir 13 – Jon McGregor The Cuban Affair - Nelson DeMille Enemy of the State - Vince Flynn

#### **New NON FICTION**

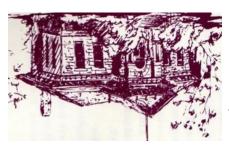
What made Maddy Run – Kate Fagan Unbelievable – Katy Tur Paradigm – Jonathan Cahn What Happened – Hillary Rodham Clinton Option B – Sheryl Sandberg Killing England – Bill O'Reilly Al Franken, giant of the Senate – Al Franken The Templars – Dan Jones

#### **New DVD's**

The Fall (series 1&2)
Two for the Money
Manglehorn
Going in Style
Snatched
The Crown
The Panic in Needle Park
Boardwalk Empire (complete series)
Blandings (series 1&2)
Miss Julie
In the footsteps of Alexander the Great

#### UPCOMING BOOK SALE PATES

Nov 4 Sat 9am - 2pm Pec 2 Sat 9am - 2pm Place stamp here



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# The Chili Bowl is BACK!

# **7th Annual Chili Bowl Friday, Jan 19, 2018**

The 7th Annual Chili Bowl will be held at Jack's Hangar on Friday, January 19, 2018. The cost is \$10 per person and includes both a complete chili dinner and one entry



fee. Teams are limited to maximum of eight people. If you need a team or team member, let the Library know and we'll match you up! Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams. Dinner will be served starting at 5:00 p.m. and the quiz starts at 6:30 p.m. You may bring your own beverage of choice. Put on your thinking cap and come enjoy an evening filled with food, friends and fun!

The Chili Bowl is a fundraiser for the Library's Summer Reading Program, and is sponsored by the Friends of the Library and the Lewistown Public Library Staff. Team sign-ups now available at Library Front Desk or at the door Jan 19. Any questions please call the Library at 406-538-5212.

5pm January 19, 2018 at Jack's Hangar, Lewistown. Don't miss it!