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"Who doesn't love a library? It is a place you can go in any town and discover the world." - Pat MacEnulty

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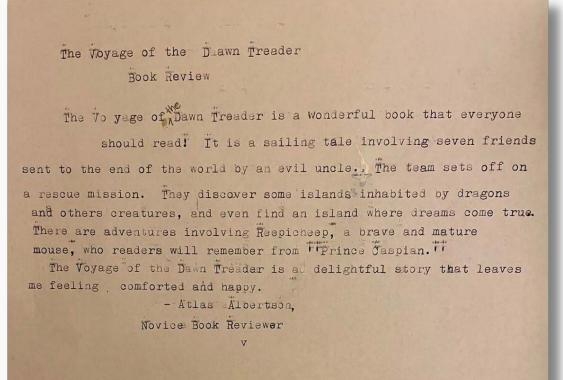
Book Review

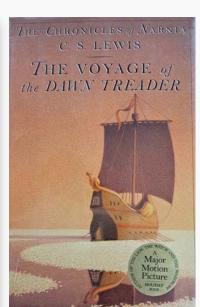
February Calendar

Healing Through Music & Dance

What's going on at the Library?

"The Voyage of the Dawn Treader" by C.S. Lewis : A Book Review





By: Atlas Albertson,
age 7,
Novice Book Reviewer

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

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Sunday 30	Library Closed	6 Library Closed	13 Library Closed	20 Library Closed	27 Library Closed
Monday 31		7	14 Valentine's Day	21	28
Tuesday 1		8 Teen Time @ the Library: 4:00 p.m.	Teen Time @ the Library: 4:00 p.m.	22	
Wednesday 2	Art with Jimmy: Zoom session: Painting @ 4:00 p.m.	9 StoryTime with Ms. Miller 11:00 a.m.	StoryTime with Ms. Miller 11:00 a.m. Art with Jimmy: In-person/online Leather Crafting @ 4:00 p.m.	StoryTime with Ms. Miller 11:00 a.m.	2 StoryTime with Ms. Miller 11:00 a.m. Art with Jimmy: Zoom session: Drawing @ 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 3	Library Closed	10	17	24	ω
Friday 4	Library Closed		18	Book Discussion with AK Author Joan Nockles Wilson In-Person @ 6 p.m.	4
Saturday (Junior Librarian League Meeting online/in-person @ 12:00 p.m.	Healing Through Music & Dance Zoom Class @ 1p.m.	Healing Through Music & Dance Zoom Class @ 1p.m.	26 Healing Through Music & Dance Zoom Class @ 1p.m.	5 Healing Through Music & Dance Zoom Class @ 1p.m.
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Get in the Groove with the library

By: Theresa Quiner, Library Director



Photo Credit: Richard Beland

Bethel Reads Update

We are now in the second month of our community reading campaign Bethel Reads a Million Pages in 2022. We are thrilled that 76 community members have already logged 65791 pages as of January 31st! Top readers this month are Thea Vanasse, Aiden Keller, Anne Kosacheff, Ned Peters, Sally Peters, and library employees Mikayla Miller and Theresa Quiner, all of whom logged over 2,000 pages this month! We are holding a weekly raffle for people who log their reading, and so far Conar Andrews and EB have won passes to the fitness center! Thank you to the YK Delta Lifesavers fund and the YK Fitness Center for sponsoring this reading campaign by donating passes to the Fitness Center.

If you want to participate in this fun reading campaign, you can log your reading each week by going to our website uaf.edu/bethellibrary. Watch the website for live updates on how many pages Bethelites have read so far this year!

The library, in partnership with Healing Through Music and Dance, is excited to announce a series of weekly programs for kids starting February 12 with harmonica virtuoso Mike Stevens. Mike is an award-winning harmonica player, composer, and author who hails from Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. In addition to performing, Mike works in remote indigenous communities across Canada, the YK Delta, and Interior Alaska. Through motivational talks and engaging harmonica lessons, Stevens inspires youth to express their feelings in healthy ways. Students work individually and in teams to create stories and musical works that give them strength and inspiration.

Join us on Zoom February 12th, 19th, and 26th. Harmonicas will be provided for each kid that participates through the Healing through Music and Dance fund with Bethel Community Services Foundation. Call the library at 543-4516 to sign up for the program and to get your harmonica!

If you would like to support programs like these, donations are always accepted through either the Friends of the KuC Library or the Healing Through Music and Dance funds with Bethel Community Services Foundation at

http://www.bcsfoundation.org." These programs are sponsored by GCI/ACF, Marston Foundation, Bilista, Saltchuk and the Brice Family.

Fall in Love with a Book this Valentine's Day

Ah the glory of young love in New York City, right? Wrong. August, a new resident to the big apple, is of the mind that magic and love stories belong in the movies. Her waitress job is just a job, her roommates just share a house, and the subway is just a way to go from place to place; until a beautiful girl that could be found in a 1970s magazine is riding it one day. Jane, the subway crush, is easily the best part of August's day. But by chance, there is more to this subway romance than meets the eye. Check it out in "One Last Stop" by Casey McQuiston.

By: Mikayla Miller

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Hattie Greenfield wants the same things as any other young woman; acclaim as an artist, a noble cause, and marriage to a gentle, young lord. The man she finds herself married to is anything but gentle. Lucian Blackstone, ruthless, churlish, and business rival to Hattie's father, is on a political path with no room for Hattie. A trip to Scotland changes everything. Find out what happens in "Portrait of a Scotsman" by Evie Dunmore.

February Book Discussion:

The Book of Timothy: The Devil, My Brother, and Me with Alaskan Author Joan Nockels Wilson on Friday, February 25th

By: Eleanor Oser

On Friday, February 25th at 6pm, Alaskan author Joan Nockels Wilson will be joining us for a lively discussion of her newly published book, *The Book of Timothy: The Devil, My Brother, and Me.* From the back cover:

"Set in Rome, Chicago, and Anchorage, and spanning thirty years from crime to confrontation, The Book of Timothy: The Devil, My Brother, and Me recounts in lyric movements a sister's journey, partly through trickery, but eventually through truth, to gain a long-absent admission from the priest who abused her brother. While on that journey, Nockels Wilson, a former prosecutor, confronts not only the priest, but her personal quest for vengeance. She further seeks an understanding of how the first Book of Timothy, the work of St. Paul, contributed to the silencing of women in her once loved Catholic Church. This Book of Timothy promises to take the reader on a quest for justice and down a path of unexpected coincidences that ends where it first began: out of a great love for a brother and in the power of first memory."

Physical copies of this book are now available at the library. Call 543-4516 to pick yours up now, or email emoser2@alaska.edu. We hope to see you at the Cultural Center on February 25th!

Dolly Parton's Imagination
Library service offers a free
book once a month to
children under 5 to promote
early literacy. To sign up, call
the library or go online to
https://imaginationlibrary.com.



Junior Librarian League for kids ages 8-12. This is a club for kids who want to get involved with their local library.

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If you want to learn more about the club, call the library at 907-543-4516. Help build up your community library!

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The library is seeking community members to serve on our Advisory Committee! The committee will help establish annual priorities, fundraise, and help us establish and evaluate our policies. If you are interested in helping to make the library a better place, please email Theresa at tquiner@alaska.edu or by calling 907-543-4517.



LIBRARY HOURS OF OPERATION

MONDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

TUESDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

FRIDAY

11 A.M. - 6 P.M.

SATURDAY

11 A.M. - 4 P.M.

SUNDAY

CLOSED

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