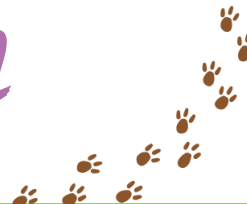




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PIERRE**

RAWLINS MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

*April 2024*



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 31  <b>Library Closed</b> <i>Happy Easter!</i>	April 1 <b>10a-4:30p</b> Free Time with LEGOs, Board Games, etc	2 <b>6pm</b> Rawlins' Book Club	3 <b>10a &amp; 10:30 am</b> Storytime <b>3:30p</b> After School Program	4 	5 	6 <b>1p</b> Poetry Open Mic
7 <b>National Library Week</b>	8 <b>12p</b> Eliza Blue Author Talk <b>3:30p</b> Teen-Tween Bath Bombs	9 <b>6p</b> Rawlins' Book Club	10 <b>10a &amp; 10:30a</b> Storytime	11 <b>9a-5p</b> Patron Appreciation Day	12 <b>D.E.A.R. Day - Drop Everything &amp; Read!</b>	13 <b>9:30a</b> Sugar-Coated by Sophie
14 	15 	16 <b>6p</b> Rawlins' Book Club	17 <b>10a &amp; 10:30a</b> Storytime <b>1p</b> Bat Appreciation Day Program <b>3:30p</b> After School Program	18 	19 	20 <b>10a-12p</b> Earth Day Program  <b>1p</b> Bird Banding Program
21 <b>3-4p</b> For the Thrill of It Book Club	22 	23 <b>6p</b> Rawlins' Book Club	24 <b>10a &amp; 10:30a</b> Storytime	25 	26 	27 
28 	29 <b>3:30- 4:30p</b> Makerspace Monday	30 <b>6p</b> Rawlins' Book Club	May 1 <b>10a &amp; 10:30a</b> Storytime	May 2 	May 3 	May 4 

**Keep in touch with your library!**

Visit us at 1000 E. Church St. in Pierre. Phone 605-773-7421

Visit us online at: [rawlinslibrary.org](http://rawlinslibrary.org) \* Like us on Facebook \* Follow us on Twitter #pierrelibrary \* or Instagram



HAPPY  
EASTER

**RAWLINS LIBRARY**

*Easter Weekend Hours*

- Friday, March 29th - Closed
- Saturday, March 30th - Open 9am - 5pm
- Sunday, March 31st - Closed
- Monday, April 1st - Open 9am - 8pm





Rawlins Municipal Library's

# 2024 SUMMER READING ADVENTURE CAMP



## Rawlins Municipal Library's 2024 Summer Reading Adventure Camp has programs for kids pre-kindergarten all the way to tweens and teens.

Rather than attending one specific day each week, participants will enjoy their very own 4-day session, Monday through Thursday.

*That's 4 days in a row  
(except for holidays) with friends,  
fun crafts, stories, and games!*

### Summer Reading Adventure Camp for Children Pre-K to Fifth Grade

Rawlins Library will be hosting two 4-week sessions of Summer Reading Adventure Camp for children pre-K to fifth grade during the months of June and July. Session 1 starts in June and Session 2 starts in July.

### Summer Reading Adventure Camp for Tweens and Teens

Rather than attending one specific day each week, tweens and teens (middle school and up) will enjoy their very own 4-day Summer Reading Adventure Camp the first week in August.

## 2024 Summer Reading Adventure Camp Pre-K to Fifth Grade: Session 1

### AFRICAN SAFARI, LLAMAS, WINDMILLS, RAIN STICKS, AND MORE

**SESSION 1:** June 3-June 27, 2024

**DESCRIPTION:** We will journey to Africa, Australia, the Netherlands, and the Andes Mountains of Peru during the first session of Rawlins Library's Summer Reading Adventure Camp. Participants will hear a variety of stories and have a good time making a different craft every day. *SUMMER READING ADVENTURE CAMP IS FREE!*

**PRE-KINDERGARTEN (SESSION 1)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, June 3 through Thursday, June 6 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

**KINDERGARTEN & FIRST GRADE (SESSION 1)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, June 10 through Thursday, June 13 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

**SECOND GRADE & THIRD GRADE (SESSION 1)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, June 17, Tuesday, June 18, and Thursday, June 20 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm  
(Rawlins Library is closed June 19th in observance of the Juneteenth holiday.)

**FOURTH GRADE & FIFTH GRADE (SESSION 1)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, June 24 through Thursday, June 27 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

## 2024 Summer Reading Adventure Camp Pre-K to Fifth Grade: Session 2

### ADVENTURES IN THE GREAT OUTDOORS, PLUS TRAVEL OVER LAND, HIGH IN THE SKY, & SPACE

**SESSION 2:** July 1-August 1, 2024

**DESCRIPTION:** We'll learn about the bravery of sled dogs, camping, float high in the sky, and take a quick trip to outer space during our second session of Summer Reading Adventure Camp. Participants will hear a variety of stories and have a good time making a different craft every day. *SUMMER READING ADVENTURE CAMP IS FREE!*

**PRE-KINDERGARTEN (SESSION 2)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church Street, Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, July 1, Tuesday, July 2, and Wednesday, July 3 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm  
(Rawlins Library is closed Thursday, July 4th in observance of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday.)

**KINDERGARTEN & FIRST GRADE (SESSION 2)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, July 8 through Thursday, July 11 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

**SECOND GRADE & THIRD GRADE (SESSION 2)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, July 22 through Thursday, July 25 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

**FOURTH GRADE & FIFTH GRADE (SESSION 2)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, July 29 through Thursday, August 1 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

## 2024 Summer Reading Adventure Camp Tweens and Teens

### SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP FOR TWEENS AND TEENS

**DATES:** August 5-August 8, 2024 *SUMMER READING ADVENTURE CAMP IS FREE!*

**DESCRIPTION:** Rather than attending one specific day each week, tweens and teens will enjoy their very own 4-day session, Monday through Thursday. Participants will make a variety of art projects using air-dry clay, embossed foil & more.

**TWEENS & TEENS (MIDDLE SCHOOL & UP)** Location: Rawlins Library, 1000 E Church St., Pierre, SD  
Dates: Monday, August 5 through Thursday, August 8 Time: 1:00pm to 2:00pm

### How do I register for 2024 Summer Reading Adventure Camp?

We've streamlined registration by partnering with the City of Pierre Summer Recreation Program. Families can browse the options and register using the Summer Recreation on-line registration.



◀ Scan the QR code to access the Rawlins Library Calendar of Programs and Events.

Register for Rawlins Library's  
Summer Reading Adventure Camp at:  
[www.cityofpierre.org/190/Recreation](http://www.cityofpierre.org/190/Recreation)



2024

APRIL



## April Children's Events at Rawlins Library

Visit Rawlins Library on Facebook, X, and Instagram for the latest updates, programs, and new titles added to the collection.

### April Storytime at Rawlins Library Wednesdays in the South Dakota Room

**Two sessions: 10:00AM and 10:30AM**

Join us in the South Dakota Room Wednesday mornings for stories and sing-along fun. Storytime to be held April 3, 10, 17, and 24 in the SD Room.

### Free Time with LEGO, Puppets, Board Games & More Monday, April 1 from 10:00AM to 4:30PM in the SD Room

Everyone's favorite, the puppet theater, is making an appearance during this come and go program. It will also feature LEGO, Duplo table and blocks, and board games.

### After School Program: What's a Total Solar Eclipse?

**Wednesday, April 3 from 3:30PM to 4:30PM in the SD Room**

Learn about the upcoming total solar eclipse, and other interesting solar system facts, at our after school program. The total solar eclipse will pass over the United States, Mexico and Canada on April 8. Rawlins Library will have free solar eclipse glasses available to take home for friends and family. Kids of all ages are invited to our after school programming.

### Tweens & Teens: Make Your Own Bath Bombs

**Monday, April 8 from 3:30PM to 4:15PM in the SD Room**

We're kicking-off National Library Week with an after school program for tweens and teens! We'll be making homemade bath bombs that you can take home and give to family, friends or save them for yourself. All materials will be provided. Register by calling 605-773-7421.

### Celebrate "D.E.A.R." All Week Long\*

**Monday, April 8 thru Friday, April 12 from 3:30PM to 5:00PM**

As part of the National Library Week celebration, Rawlins Library invites youth to "drop everything and read" Monday, April 8 thru Friday, April 12. The goal is to have kids read 20 minutes after school. Enjoy cookies while you read! Cookies will be available daily between 3:30PM to 5:00PM. \*D.E.A.R. stands for "Drop Everything and Read". This national celebration is held every year on April 12, in memory of author Beverly Cleary's birthday.

### After School Program: National Kite Month

**Wednesday, April 17 from 3:30PM to 4:30PM in the SD Room**

Kites have been used to spy on adversaries, photograph the earth, measure the weather, and don't forget Benjamin Franklin's "electrifying" experiment. Unwind after school by listening to stories and making a colorful, homemade kite. Kids of all ages are invited to attend.

### Saturday Family Program: Honoring Earth Day

**Saturday, April 20 from 10:00AM to 12:00PM**

The original Earth Day took place on April 22, 1970 and, over the decades, has grown to include billions of people in 192 countries. At Rawlins Library's Earth Day event, we'll make plant markers to go with your very own plant starter kit. Plant starter kits include: biodegradable pot, soil and seeds.

### Makerspace Monday: "May the 4th Be With You!"

**Monday, April 29 from 3:30PM to 4:30PM in the SD Room**

Star Wars Day is Saturday, May 4th. We're celebrating early with a display of Star Wars books, kid-friendly Star Wars trivia questions, and enjoy making a Star Wars theme craft. Kids of all ages are invited to attend.

Rawlins Library  
cards are now **FREE**  
FOR RESIDENTS OF  
HUGHES & STANLEY  
COUNTIES!

## HOW CAN I GET A LIBRARY CARD?

Proof of residency and a government-issued photo ID are required for all library patrons to obtain a library card.

Juvenile accounts (under the age of 18) can get a library card if they are linked to a parent/guardian.

### Proof of residency items include:

- A piece of cancelled mail
- Bank statement
- Homeowner's or renter's insurance policy
- Mortgage statement
- Pay stub
- Phone bill
- Rent receipt or lease
- Tax document
- Utility bill
- Vehicle registration

### Proof of photo ID items include:

- Driver's license issued within the United States including U.S. Territories
- Non-driver's photo ID issued within the United States including U.S. Territories
- U.S. passport
- U.S. military ID
- Tribal ID



Scan the QR code  
to access the Rawlins  
Library Calendar of  
Programs and Events.



# The Rawlins Library Seed Catalog is now open!

Library patrons are welcome  
to choose 3 packets of vegetable  
seeds from our seed catalog per visit.  
*\*While supplies last.*

If you have a garden and a library,  
you have everything you need.

~Cicero





Ready

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# Library!

**NATIONAL  
LIBRARY WEEK**

**April 7-13, 2024**

ALA American Library Association

Library of the Future Champions

**SATURDAY  
APRIL 6**

1PM-2PM

*Poetry Open Mic  
Come and share  
your poetry*

**MONDAY  
APRIL 8**

12PM-1PM

*Eliza Blue - Accidental  
Rancher Author Talk*

**MONDAY  
APRIL 8**

3:30-4:30PM

*Teen/Tween  
Bath Bombs*

**WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 10**

10AM & 10:30AM

*Family Storytime*

**THURSDAY  
APRIL 11**

9AM - 5PM

*Patron Appreciation  
Day - Cookies & Coffee  
Provided*

**FRIDAY  
APRIL 12**

ALL DAY

*D.E.A.R. Drop Everything  
and Read*

**DVD Sale  
April 6 - 12**



**SATURDAY  
APRIL 13**

9:30AM-11AM

*Sugar -Coated by  
Siophie  
Cookie Decorating Class*


Update your Library Card information during National Library Week, April 7-13, and have your name entered into a drawing for 2 State 123 movie tickets!



**R.E. Rawlins  
Municipal Library**  
Pierre, South Dakota

Registration is not needed for Storytime, Patron Appreciation Day or the D.E.A.R event. For other events, call the library at 605-773-7421 or visit [rawlinlibrary.org/programs-events](http://rawlinlibrary.org/programs-events)






Rawlins Library needs your help to update patron contact information in our computer system. Often times, phone numbers change or people move without notice.

Patrons who update their account information during National Library Week, April 7 through April 13, will have their name entered into a drawing for two movie tickets.

Call us at 605-773-7421 or stop by the library today!



RAWLINS LIBRARY PRESENTS

# OPEN MIC POETRY



APRIL 6

1-2 PM

RAWLINS LIBRARY

Want to share your poems? Excited to tell people about a piece you found powerful? Here is your chance.

Rawlins Library is hosting an open mic poetry event in honor of National Poetry month. Please join us as we support local poets or participate in the event yourself!

Participants are able to share their own poems or poems written by another author. Poems must be appropriate for the public.

To sign up to speak for the event, please scan the QR code, or call or visit Rawlins Library. We look forward to hearing your work!





# Rawlins Library DVD Tote Bag Sale!

**April 6 – April 12**

Hours:

Mon-Thurs 9AM-8PM; Fri-Sat 9AM-5PM; Sun 12PM-5PM

Purchase a reusable tote bag for \$5 and you will receive a coupon to fill your bag with DVDS from the DVD sale during National Library Week, Sat., April 6 through Friday, April 12th during normal library hours.

Tote bags are available while supplies last. After tote bags are gone, plastic bags will be available to fill.



***Proceeds will go towards our  
Summer Reading programs.***

Cash or Check  
Only  
No Credit  
Cards

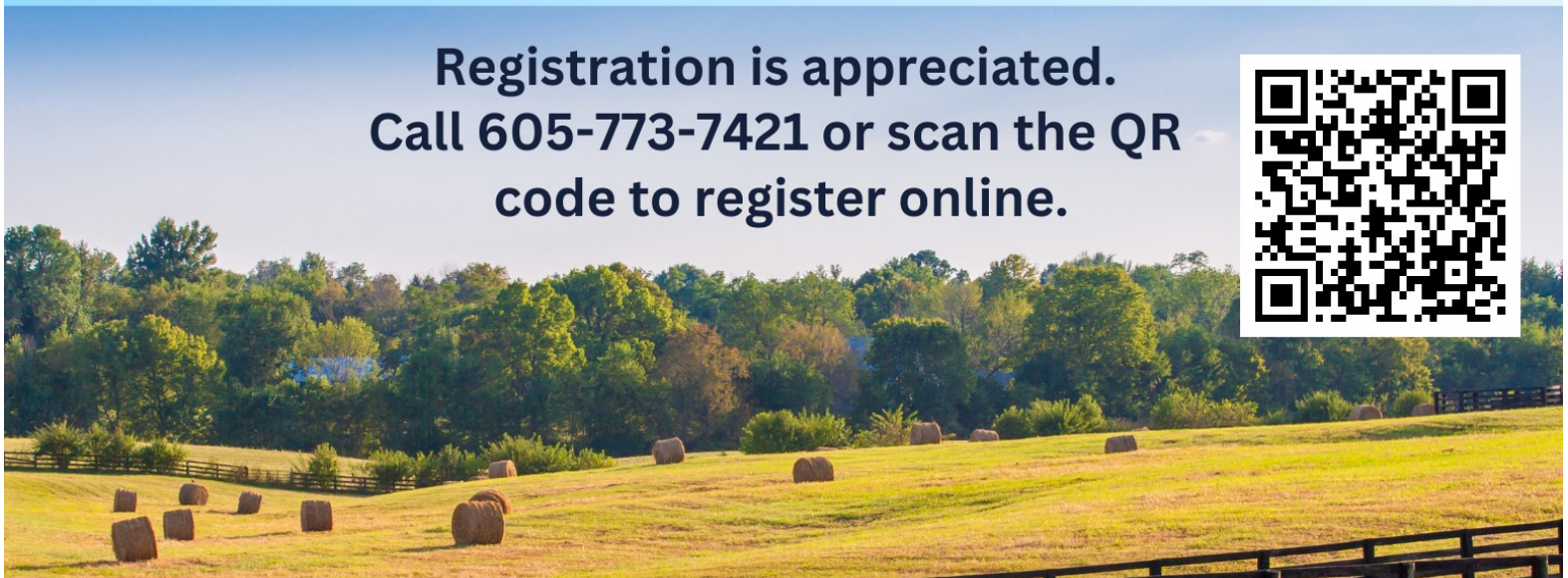
# ELIZA BLUE SOUTH DAKOTA AUTHOR

As part of the National Library Week celebration, Eliza Blue will host an interactive author talk over Zoom about her book *Accidental Rancher*. Eliza describes herself as a writer, folk singer and accidental rancher.


## Monday, April 8th at 12 PM

Copies of Eliza Blue's book "Accidental Rancher" are available for checkout at Rawlins Library.

Registration is appreciated.  
Call 605-773-7421 or scan the QR  
code to register online.





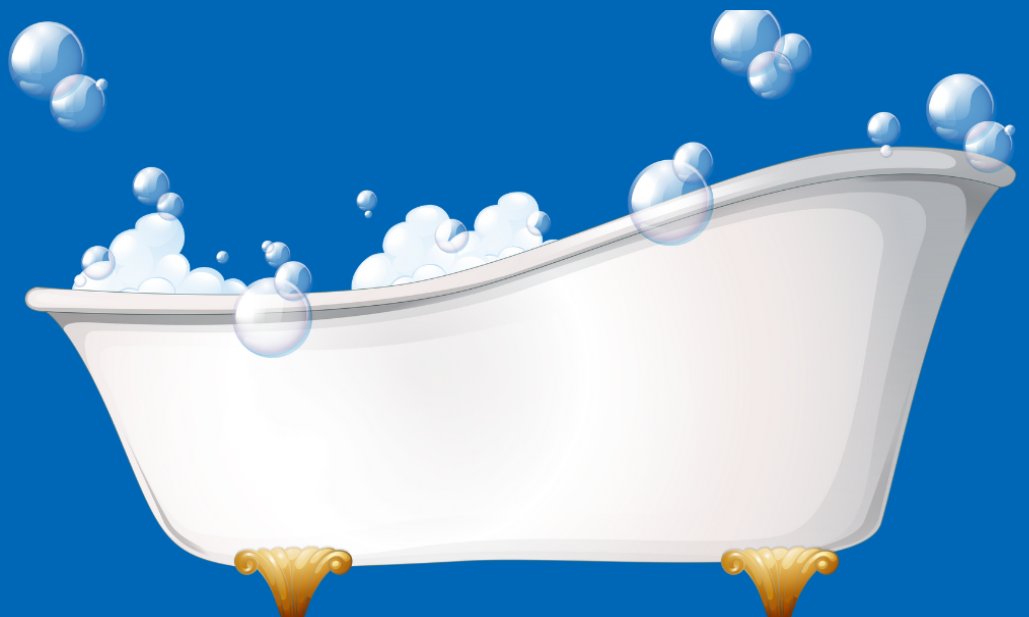


# TEEN/TWEEEN BATH BOMBS

MONDAY, APRIL 8  
3:30 PM TO 4:15 PM

*All materials are provided.  
Registraton Requested.*

605-773-7421  
*or at [rawlinlibrary.org](http://rawlinlibrary.org)*



RAWLINS MUNICIPAL LIBRARY  
*Patron Appreciation Day*

**Thursday, March 11  
9AM - 5PM**




**Stop by for cookies and coffee!**

\*Update your account information while you're here and have your name entered into a drawing for two movie tickets.







# Beverly Clearly D.E.A.R. Program Drop Everything and Read



As part of the  
National Library Week  
Celebration,  
Rawlins Library  
invites youth of all ages to  
Drop Everything and Read  
Monday-Friday,  
April 8-12 9am-5pm.



The goal is to have kids read for  
20 minutes after school.  
Cookies will be provided for snack.





**Saturday, April 13th 9:30 AM**

Join us as we celebrate National Library Week with a cookie decorating class. Participants will make a cookie flower pot and learn to decorate it. Sugar Coated by Sophie will host the class and the fee is \$30 per person (cash or check). Registration is required for planning purposes.



**Call to register at 605-773-7421  
or scan the QR code to register online.**





# MONEY SMART WEEK®

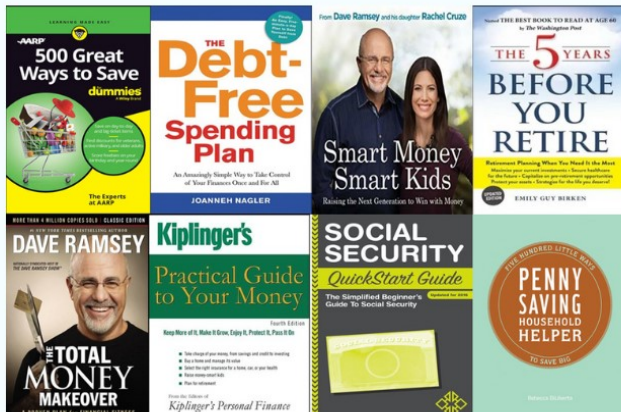
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Rawlins Library has the resources you need to become Money Smart!

## BOOKS



## DIGITAL EBOOKS



## DIGITAL MAGAZINES





**CELEBRATE  
INTERNATIONAL  
BAT APPRECIATION  
DAY**

Dr. Rhea Waldman, executive director of the SD Discovery Center, will explain why people should be batty about bats.

**1 p.m. Wednesday, April 17**

**Rawlins Municipal Library**  
1000 E. Church St., Pierre

Registration requested. Please register at the circulation desk, by calling the library at 605-773-7421, by scanning the QR code or at [rawlinslibrary.org/programs-events](http://rawlinslibrary.org/programs-events)



# Bird Banding

Silka Kempema will explain about the banding of migratory birds conducted by the SD Dept. of Game, Fish and Parks and what we can learn about our feathered friends from banding.

**1 p.m. Saturday, April 20**

**Rawlins Library**

**1000 E. Church St., Pierre**

Please register at the circulation desk, by calling the library at 605-773-7421, by scanning the QR code or at [rawlinslibrary.org/programs-events](http://rawlinslibrary.org/programs-events)





# Rawlins Library Macrame Creativebug Craft Workshop



Presented by Selena Parce  
Saturday, May 11th at 10 AM

Participants will make a macrame key chain.

\$5 Dollar Material Fee (Cash or Check)

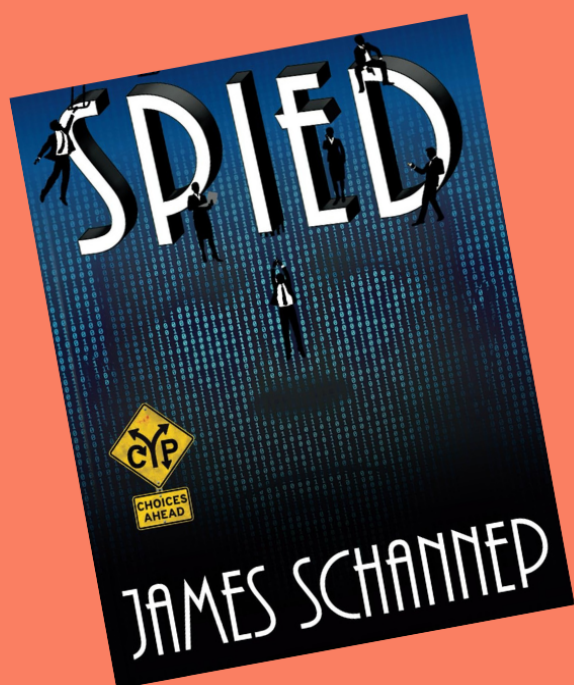
Sign up is required.

Call 605-773-7421 or scan the QR code below.



Coming this Summer!

# Rawlins Library Summer Reading Program for Adult



"Spied" is a choose-your-adventure novel. As the main character, you, the reader, are recruited from the lower-levels of the CIA to become a field agent. At the end of each section of text, you are given choices to continue your investigation.

UNLEASH YOUR  
INNER SPY!

Registration begins May 1st

Begins June 3, with a new session starting in July and August.



# ONE BOOK



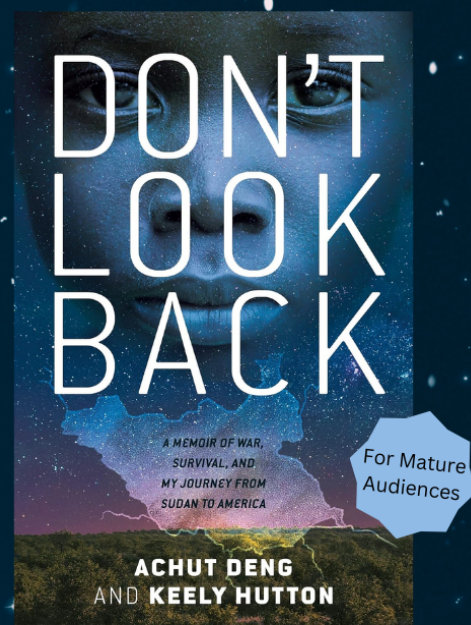
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## ONE BOOK

One Book is a new program Rawlins Library has implemented to help encourage patrons to read more nonfiction literature. *Don't Look Back* is the spotlighted nonfiction novel for 2024.

The One Book program includes events and activities patrons can participate in for the chance to win prizes. **All are welcome at these events regardless of participation in the One Book program.**

A One Book passport will be used for those interested in the raffle to keep track of their involvement in the One Book program.



## PASSPORT

Rawlins Library has chosen *Don't Look Back*, written by South Dakota author Achut Deng, as the 2024 Adult Book of the Year. Use a One Book passport to collect stamps for the chance to win an autographed copy of *Don't Look Back*, a \$50 Amazon gift card in May, or a \$100 Amazon gift card in December via raffle. Earn stamps by attending or participating in nonfiction activities promoted by Rawlins Library.

A minimum of two stamps is needed to be entered into the raffle. Each additional stamp is another time your name will be entered. You are able to be entered into both raffles, but any stamps over of the minimum requirement you acquired before the May raffle will not count after it has taken place.

**Please visit the front desk or call us at 605-773-7421 with any questions.**

**Receive passport at the Rawlins Library front desk to begin your nonfiction adventure!**

ONE  
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## EVENTS FOR MAY RAFFLE

**February 15**

Trivia Night

6:30–7:30 pm

**March 11**

Database Discussion

6–7 pm

**April 6**

Poetry Open Mic

1–2 pm

**Tentative**

*Don't Look Back* Book Talk

**MAY 17**

**RAFFLE DRAWING**

## YEAR ROUND ACTIVITIES

**Read *Don't Look Back* by Deng and Hutton**

1 stamp

**Write a Nonfiction Book Review**

1 stamp per book,  
max. 4 stamps per raffle

**Write a Recipe Review**

1 stamp per recipe,  
max. 4 stamps per raffle



ONE  
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## YEAR ROUND ACTIVITIES

- **Nonfiction book review** forms are available at Rawlins Library. Feel free to choose any nonfiction book.
- Rawlins Library will be posting a recipe monthly on our Facebook page for those interested in doing the **recipe review**. Alternatively, you can try any recipe from our cookbook collection and give us a brief summary on your experience.

## EVENTS FOR DECEMBER RAFFLE

**June 16** Journalism in the Time of Fake News 1–2 pm

**August 1** Search the Stacks 6:15–7:15 pm

**September 26** Trivia Night 6:30–7:30 pm

**October 21** Creative Nonfiction Writing Class 6–7 pm

**Tentative** *Don't Look Back* Book Talk

**DECEMBER 13** RAFFLE DRAWING