

THE BROWSTONE COLUMNS

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Director's Letter

The Bayfield Carnegie Library's been a busy place, with several activities and projects. Before I get to those, a quick update: the book reviews will now be available on our web site. If you're interested in being a reviewer, please contact the library!

Big News!--The library's Endowment Fund continues to grow thanks to a large \$10,000 anonymous donation! This donor also offered a challenge: if the community can raise another ten thousand, the donor will match it! If we can do that, we have accomplished our second Endowment goal of reaching \$50,000 and more than halfway to our final goal of \$100,000. The challenge is on!

The library had another successful Winter Lecture Series (Jan-April), with this year's theme of "Social Justice: The Fight for Equality". Among the highlights were a GLBTQ-themed discussion about social justice and a showing of the wonderful, recent documentary about Red Cliff. Following the film, there was a panel discussion featuring Marvin De-foe and Marlene Paap, talking about their personal experiences in Red Cliff. From that discussion night there is much talk about having the next winter lecture series feature Native American/indigenous storytelling series, both at the library and also in Red Cliff. I am very excited about this, and my board is in favor of it as well.

The newly-formed Bayfield Friends of the Carnegie Library group is working on fundraising efforts for this summer. They will have a booth during Applefest and a parade float, to help efforts in restoring two of the outside main entrance pillars of the library. The brownstone has deteriorated on them. The estimated cost is at least \$36,000. If you or anyone you know is able to provide financial support

for this important project, please donate if you can. Every dollar helps!

Our summer reading program is off to a great start. The theme this year is "Build a Better World". We are de-emphasizing prizes and focusing more on programs and subthemes for books; as an example, our children's librarian and cataloger Teresa created bookmarks with headings like "books with empathy," "books to make you laugh". They've been a big hit so far with children and parent alike! The library was recently awarded a Bayfield Community Education Foundation grant in the amount of \$1,000. Two LEGO Mindstorms kits and two LEGO Architecture kits are part of the grant. These will be used for team-building events and competitions at the school and Bayfield Carnegie Library (library program this summer, using the Architecture sets). The hope is that we can expand this program by inviting leaders in the community who work in mechanical, innovative fields.

Lastly, I am working on creating a music-themed series for the library. During it, we will cover, listen to, and discuss various genres of music. It will be great to have guests come in to facilitate discussions and spend more time on genres of music such as those from indigenous cultures. I am planning to launch the series this fall. More information to follow in our fall newsletter.

Remember that any physical item you check out helps fund the Bayfield Carnegie Library. The more the better. Until next time—THANK YOU for supporting our library!

- Blair Nelson, Director



Moms and story hour children pose for a photo inside the big shovel of one of the heavy operation maintenance trucks belonging to the City of Bayfield. Workers stopped by, for a "Meet the Big Machinery" story hour in June, as part of the Summer Reading Program "Build a Better World".

Show Your Support - ENDOWMENT FUND

The Bayfield Carnegie Library has an endowment fund through the Duluth-Superior Community Fund. The endowment started in 2015. This fund protects the library's future and helps fund programs and other activities related to the library's programming. Our goal is to reach \$100,000. To contribute to this endowment please send this form to:

Post Office Box 332 • Bayfield, Wisconsin 54814

Make checks payable to The Duluth-Superior Community Fund

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

My Tax Deductible Donation Amount:

\$50 \$500
 \$100 \$1,000
 \$250 Other: \$ _____

UPCOMING EVENTS - All events are free & open to the public

Book Club • Meet at 5 pm:

July 26: July-Anil's Ghost,
by Michael Ondaatje

August 30: Twelfth Night,
by William Shakespeare

September 27: Haunted Mesa,
by Louis L'amour

Story Hour:

Every Wednesday at 10 am

Library Board Meeting:

Third Wednesday of every month at 4:00 pm

Friends of the Library Meeting:

Third Tuesday of every month at 4:15 pm

Our Free Movie Nights and Writer's Group
will return this fall.

Build A Better World Events

CLIMB Theater Group
Wed., July 26 • 9:30 am
The Ant and the Grasshopper

Teen Night
August 17 • 6:00 pm • Lego Night

Family Fort Night
August 4 • 4:00 pm

Movie Nights
July 21 • 5:00 pm • The Lego Movie
August 25 • 5:00 pm • The Secret Garden

Save The Date

BCL is Co-partnering with Legendary Waters in
Red Cliff to have another "Chequamegon Bay
Con" on Saturday, October 28.

NEW RELEASES - Available to check out NOW!

Adult Books

INTO THE WATER, by Paul Hawkins

THE DEATH AND LIFE OF THE GREAT LAKES,
by Dan Egan (nonfiction)

MOONSHOTS: THE INDIGENOUS COMICS COLLECTION,
by Hope Nicholson-graphic novel

A LOWCOUNTRY HEART, by Pat Conroy

Adult Audiobook

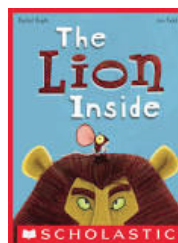
DEAR IJEWELE, OR A FEMINIST MANIFESTO IN FIF-
TEEN SUGGESTIONS, by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie

Movies

LOGAN

MOANA (kid's movie)

COOL IT! (documentary)



Children's
Books
THE LION
INSIDE, by
Rachel Bright

'Preserving Craft & Culture, One Heirloom Weaving at a Time'

Traditions of the Indigenous Culture of Peru

Friday, July 14th 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Learn more about ArtAndes work in Peru.

A colorful slide show followed by a weaving
demonstration walks you through the heights of the
Andes to the depths of the Quechua Culture.



ArtAndes will also be participating in TheBayfield
Festival of Arts on July 15-16. Learn more at: artandes.com

Check
out
this
fun &
informative
event!



"Hot, Flat, and Crowded"

(Title from book by Thomas L. Friedman)

A community - community Micro Film Fest on global
warming and "Code Green Walk-About".

Films will be shown at the Corny beach green shed
pavilion. In case of rain, shows will be at the Cornucopia
Community Center.

**2 Documentary Films, 2 Monday nights at 6:30,
1 night of summing up**

July 24: *How to Let Go of the World and Love All
Things Climate Can't Change* – Josh Fox

July 30: *This Changes Everything* – Naomi Kline

August 1: *A Summing Up*

We have lots more new
releases not listed here.
Go to bayfieldlibrary.org
or find us on facebook to
see more.
Or better yet, come in and
see for yourself!