

ALPINE COUNTY LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

October at the Library



**Archives
Open House**

Thursday, October 10th
12:00 pm-2:00 pm

Stop by the Alpine County Archives to celebrate National Archives Month. This is a once-a-year chance to see where our historic documents are stored and view selected items on display. Snacks will be available in the Library Park.

Alpine County Archives is next to the Markleeville Library

Dial-A-Ride offers free rides to the Alpine County Library

270 Laramie St, Markleeville, CA 96120 ~ (530) 694-2120

October is a busy month for Alpine County Library! Join us for Music After Dark, Sew Fun Thursdays, and Saturday Storytimes. This month we're celebrating National Archives month with an open house & brief tour of the facility, and we're co-hosting an outdoor movie night with Public Health!

Stop at the library to find a cozy, spooky Halloween read or scoop a telescope to enjoy our crisp night skies!

Staff picks: *Cemetery Boys* by Aiden Thomas and *Nettle & Bone* by T. Kingfisher



BOOKMOBILE BLAST

Come check out the bookmobile every Wednesday! Grab a new read, movie, or chat with our volunteer bookmobile driver!

Sierra Pines General Parking Lot: 11:30-12:00pm

Kirkwood Mountain KCA: 12:30-1:30pm

Woodfords Mad Dog Café: 2:00pm-2:15pm

Markleeville Happenings

ARTIST'S RECEPTION

OUTDOOR LIBRARY MOVIE NIGHT!

"Father, Daughter Interpretations" Artist Reception
with Arts & Culture 

Art Reception Details

Join us at Markleeville Library on October 5th, from 1-3pm for our "Father, Daughter Interpretations" exhibit reception.

Artists' talks will start at 1:45 pm and art will be on full display with light refreshments available. All are welcome!



Aaron Covington

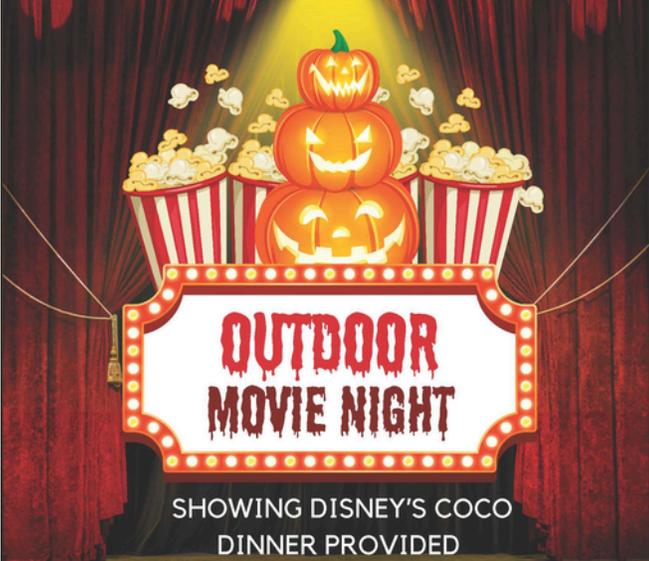
I grew up here in Markleeville and was fortunate enough to attend Alpine County schools in the 1970s when art was still emphasized in the public school curriculum. As a child, I was guided in drawing and painting by several local artists including Dede Lyons and Gina Gigli. My father, Linc Covington, also spent countless hours with me at his workbench where he taught me the basics of hand tool use and encouraged my initial forays into wood carving with a pocket knife. Woodcarving in multiform has remained my avocation to this day. My creative interests span relief carvings of wildlife, furniture embellishments and abstract wooden sculptures.



Axia Covington

As a resident artist living in Markleeville, I am surrounded by a constellation of the vital phenomena that constitute the natural world. Here, I can observe the flow of the creek and the things living in and around it. In Mandarin Chinese, physics is 'wu li', which can be translated to "patterns of organic energy". Coming from a scientific background, I am constantly thinking about these patterns and trying to express them through my art. I believe that by carefully studying the rhythm and flow of living creatures around us, we might better understand nature and our place within it. If we have a deeper sense of understanding of our natural surroundings, perhaps we may treat them more kindly. At a time when our climate is undergoing rapid changes, I hope to capture these observations in my art. I am attempting to do so through ink, watercolor, charcoal, and wood-burning.

270 Laramie Street
Markleeville, CA 96120



**OUTDOOR
MOVIE NIGHT**

SHOWING DISNEY'S COCO
DINNER PROVIDED

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

5:30-7:30

ALPINE COUNTY LIBRARY
270 LARAMIE STREET
MARKLEEVILLE, CA 96120



Bring chairs, warm clothes and blankets!



Join us October 5th for Art & Culture's monthly artist reception. Meet the artists, have a snack, and enjoy some beautiful art!

Art is available for viewing the entire month of October! Come enjoy local talent for free!

Join us at the library for an outdoor spooky family movie night!

We provide dinner and a show and you bring blankets, chairs, and coats!

Bear Valley Happenings

BEAR VALLEY NEW PAINT!



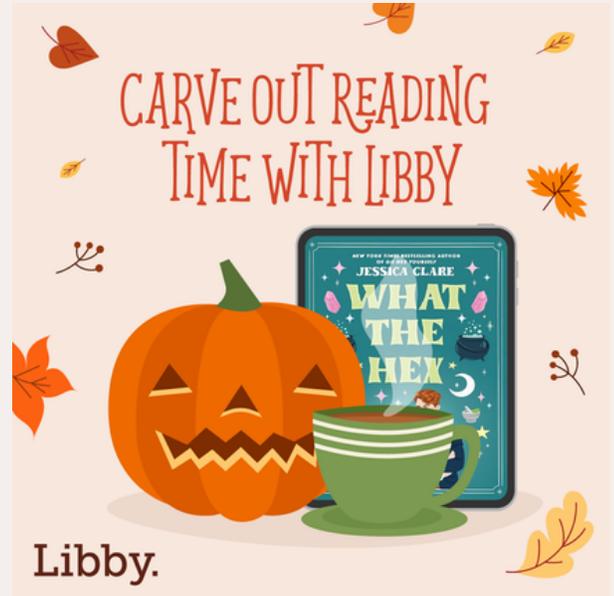
Check-out Bear Valley Library's new exterior paint job!

Come inside for new books, DVD's, manipulatives, and more!

We have monthly programs like our bookclub and weekly programs like our water color painting sessions!

Come say hello to our wonderful team!

SPOOKY SEASON ON LIBBY



Check out eBooks, Audiobooks, and magazines on Libby this October for a spooky cozy month of fun!

All materials are completely free and you can access from any device! Let us know if you need help creating an account.

Meet Our Staff!

SARAH JANE!



Sarah Jane is a Bear Valley local, growing up in the surrounding area and residing there for the past six years. She is a multi-disciplinary artist who spends the majority of her time creating ceramics, graphic design projects and ritual hand-poked tattoos among other artistic ventures. She feels most at home amongst the towering Cedars and Pines, the blooming Elderberry trees and Yarrow flowers of Alpine County.

In the Winter you can find Sarah Jane at Bear Valley Resort teaching the younger generation the joys of snowboarding or on the hill slashing powder turns and laughing the whole way down. She loves immersing herself in a good historical fiction audio book while she creates and is happy to be spending time serving the reading community at the Bear Valley Library.

We hope you can stop in and say hi to Sarah Jane sometime soon!

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

FINAL MUSIC IN THE PARK

ARCHIVES OPEN HOUSE



Join us for the last Music in the Park of 2024, hosted by the Friends of the Library!

Bring lawn chairs, warm clothes, blankets and food for a final musical night out on the library lawn!

All donations go towards supporting your libraries!

We hope to see you on October 10th from 12-2pm for the Archives Open House!

Stop by for refreshments in the park, meet our Assistant Archivist, and get a sneak peak inside the County Archives building!

If you would like to submit a research request please scan this QR code:

