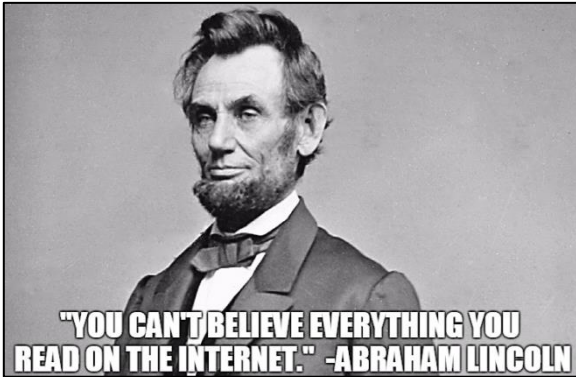


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February 1, 2017

Lately there's been a lot of real news about fake news. Although fake news has been around for a long time, it has finally found its place in the public consciousness. But you see, librarians have always been aware of fake news, and we've always found it to be a great opportunity for us to show the value of what it means to be an information professional.

Back when the Internet became a "thing," many people started questioning the need for libraries. People thought you could find anything and everything online. For many years, we fought to show our constituents that we were still relevant. Back then, the argument was that you needed a librarian to help you navigate the complicated waters of the Internet. You may be able to type a question into Lycos or Ask Jeeves, but your results would never really have the answer you were seeking. Librarians relied on their expertise in creating cryptic Boolean searches, using "and" "or" and "not" to find the real answer, a proficiency that surely no layperson could ever glean.



Then Siri came along with the amazing ability to answer just about any question with the push of a button.

Ah, but now, librarians are back in the fold of newsworthiness as Ambassadors for Information Literacy. Information literacy is the ability to recognize when information is needed and to have the skill to locate, evaluate, and use needed information effectively. With news coming towards us at every turn, many people don't bother to verify the truth before believing what they are told and passing it along to others. But, rest assured...your librarians will always be here, wielding the torch for truth and accuracy in the news stories we all consume. It is simply what we do.

Lynn Hobbs  
PCL Director

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### **Friends of the Library News**

The next book sale will be April 14-19. Note that Friends of the Library members get an early peek at the sale on April 13, from 5-8 p.m. Become a Friend, and you, too, can be a part of this pre-sale opportunity.

The Friends of the Library Cookbook is a collection of recipes from local "chefs". It is currently on sale for \$7.

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Please take a moment to "like" Pendleton Community Public Library's Facebook page! We have reached over "1200" likes! Thank you for helping us reach that goal. We love our patrons! Like us back!



**Book Clubs**

Bookworms - Monday, Feb. 13th - 6 p.m.

Rocket Readers - Monday, Feb. 20th - 6 p.m.

Page Turners - Monday, Feb. 27th - 6 p.m.

**Stuffed Animal Sleepover**

Thursday, February 9th - 6:30 p.m.

All ages

Bring your family to enjoy an evening at the library.

We'll read stories, eat snacks, and play games.

When our doors close, you will leave your stuffed animals to have an adventure of their very own at the library.

Pick them up the next day, and see what they were up to while you were away!

(Make sure you choose an animal you can sleep without.)

<p><b>Storytime</b> Ages 3-7</p> <p>Tuesday, February 7 10 a.m.</p> <p>Tuesday, February 21 10 a.m.</p>	<p><b>ToddlerTime</b> Ages Birth-3</p> <p>Wednesday, February 8 10 a.m.</p> <p>Thursday, February 9 10 a.m.</p> <p>Wednesday, February 22 10 a.m.</p> <p>Thursday, February 23 10 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Preschoolers</b> Ages 1-6</p> <p><b>Dance and Play</b> Wednesday, March 1 10 a.m.</p> <p>Children and their caregivers will move, dance, sing, and play together. Get ready to boogie, laugh, and have fun!</p>
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## Teen Programs



### **Be My Anti-Valentine**

Saturday, February 11th

12:30 - 3:00 p.m.

Grades 7 through 12

Do you hate the commercialization of that one holiday in February? Meet up with other teens and say 'no' to Valentine's Day. An anti-romantic movie will be shown and fun activities will include games and coloring. Snacks and refreshments provided.

### **The Game Corner**

Every Wednesday

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Grades 6 through 12

Every Wednesday, there is a friendly video game tournament at "The Game Corner." Featuring a different game each week, the winner of the tournament chooses the next week's game.

### **Anime Society**

Thursday, February 2nd and 16th

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Grades 7 through 12

Are you a teen looking to watch a new anime series? Or maybe you want to watch anime but don't know where to start? Come and watch the newest and greatest anime with the Anime Society.

### **Teen Advisory Board (T.A.B.)**

Tuesday, February 7th

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Grades 6 through 12

The Teen Advisory Board is a group that advises the teen librarian on how to make the library more teen-friendly. To join this group, simply attend this meeting, in which we will discuss April's teen-led LEGO program and the spring TAB/VolunTEEN lock-in.

### **The Biblioteen Book Club**

Tuesday, February 21st

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Grades 9 through 12

The Biblioteen Book Club is back from the winter hiatus! We will be discussing the book [The Wrath and the Dawn](#) by Renée Ahdieh. There is a limited supply of free copies for book club participants. Contact the library regarding availability.

### **The Bodacious Book Brigade**

Tuesday, February 28th

4:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Grades 7 through 9

The Bodacious Book Brigade is roaring back after the winter hiatus! We will be discussing the book [This Savage Song](#) by Victoria Schwab. There is a limited supply of free copies for book club participants. Contact the library regarding availability.

## Adult and Family Programs

### YARN TWISTERS

This month's meetups will be replaced with the sock workshop (registration required). We will resume our normal 1st and 3rd Monday meetups in March!

### HOW TO KNIT SOCKS

Tuesdays in February - 6:00 p.m.

Are you ready to take your knitting to the next level? Prior knitting experience is **REQUIRED** for this 4-part workshop. Participants must be comfortable with knit and purl stitches and working with double-pointed needles. Supplies are included. **Class size is limited and registration is required.**



### POUND®

Saturday, February 11th - 10:00 a.m.

POUND® is a unique exercise method inspired by the energizing, infectious, and sweat-dripping fun of playing the drums. Using Ripstix®, lightly weighted drumsticks engineered specifically for exercising, POUND® was designed to transform drumming into an incredibly effective way of working out. Free! No registration required.



### MAT PILATES

Saturday, February 18th - 10:00 a.m.

This is a mat-based core class incorporating stretching and relaxation. Focus is placed on precise movements originating from the center, or core, of your body. Remember, swimsuit season is just around the corner! Please bring a yoga mat if you have one. Presented by the Pendleton Y.

### YOGA

Saturday, February 25th - 9:30 a.m.

Local Y instructor, Carol Hanna will be leading an hour of yoga targeting a total body strengthening and stretching workout which ends with peaceful relaxation. Suitable for all skill levels. Please bring your own mat or towel if you have one. No experience necessary! No registration required. **FREE!**

### MEDITATION

Thursday,  
February 2nd -  
6:00-7:30 p.m.



"Meditation is the greatest gift you can give to yourself." -Patriji

In January, we learned about the power of meditation. Starting in February, we will be holding monthly guided meditation sessions on the first Thursday of every month. Yoga mats provided. Presented by Pyramid Meditation Center.

### BAD LOVE POETRY NIGHT AT THE STABLE

Monday, February 13th - 6:30-8:00 p.m.

The Wine Stable and Brew Co.  
105 E. State St., Pendleton

Bad Love Poetry Night is back!!! Share your worst love poem with other bad local poets during open-mic readings at The Stable for a chance to win a \$50.00 gift certificate! Poetry does not need to be original. You don't want to miss this! Ages 21 and over only.

### REFINE YOUR RESUME

Need a little help putting the final touches on your resume or cover letter? Would you like to have some helpful feedback? We are here to help! Call the library today to set up your 15-minute one-on-one session with our knowledgeable staff. Please bring a printed copy of your resume and/or cover letter, or provide a digital copy to work with.