



Outgoing Board Chair Clint Hoxie swears in Maggie Newman (center) and Brooke Wegner, recently elected trustees for the North Lake County Public Library District. Not shown is trustee Allen Bone. The election was May 5th.



The Happy Hippo prepares for takeoff at the end of the 2016 Family Summer Reading Program. This year's program finishers will also have the opportunity to take an amphibious (and wet!) ride.

# Beyond the Stacks

## A Newsletter from North Lake County Public Library



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### NASA Grant!

Youth Services Librarian Kendra Mullison wrote a successful grant request for the highly competitive national NASA@MyLibrary program — and the funding was awarded in May! The grant will “increase and enhance STEM learning opportunities” for library users throughout the North Lake County Public Library District.



Only 75 public libraries (and only ONE Montana library!) were selected nation-wide. **STEM** is a movement which encourages students to pursue four specific disciplines — science, technology, engineering, and math.

North Lake County Public Library will receive training and materials for at least two years to help with STEM programming for all ages. Keep your eyes open for these upcoming opportunities!

### BUILD A BETTER WORLD

The theme for the 2017 Family Summer Reading Program is “**Build a Better World,**” and we’re planning to do just that! Anyone of any age is invited to join the fun.

Registration begins on Monday, June 12th at 10 a. m. To register, stop by the library or follow the link on our website to fill out the signup form. (The link will be available beginning June 12th.) You’ll receive your reading record and instruc-

tions for completing the program. Special Thursday morning activities for school-age children are also scheduled. The program ends on Saturday, August 12th at 4:00 p.m.



**Spring is Bustin' Out All Over** was the theme of the adult coloring programs hosted by staff member Angela Claver in May. Live music, great food, and, as always, warm camaraderie made the sessions popular and well attended. Watch for more coming in July! Everyone is welcome!



Taylor Rost photo

Technology specialist Heather Miles explains the intricacies of Internet safety during a recent free class here at the library. Join her as she explores a new topic on Tuesday, June 20th, at 2 p. m. ("The Cloud and What to do With It"). Please call 883-8225 to register.

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**NOW STARTING**  
**SUMMER HOURS:**  
**10 AM—6 PM Mon. through Fri.**  
**11 AM—4 PM Sat.**  
**Closed Sundays and holidays**

Library Director:  
Marilyn Trosper

Library Board:  
Allen Bone, Vice Chair  
Bruce Harrop, Trustee  
Maggie Newman, Foundation Liaison  
Brooke Wegner, Trustee  
Holly Wurl, Tamarack Federation Rep.

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Connie Brownell, Chair

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Many thanks to Anya, our outgoing high school worker, for her service to the library and her cheerful willingness to help!

## SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMMING

Our youth programming schedule will be slightly different beginning this week. Bedtime Bounce and Story Time have ended for the season and will start up again next fall. However, Mother Goose Time and Makerspace Mondays will continue through the summer without interruption, as will Friday Flicks and Game Days. Summer hours begin June 1.



### Welcome!

When you visit the library this summer, be sure to greet David, our new student employee.

A local high school student, he will help with the Family Summer Reading Program as well as work at the circulation desk.

And welcome back to Taylor, our faithful college student, without whose summer help we'd be lost! Thanks, Taylor!

### NOVELIST PLUS

Looking for something great to read next?

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