**NoBo Corner Library Open House**

**December 6**

An open house at the future site of the NoBo Corner Library will be held on Friday, December 6, from 4 to 7 p.m. Library staff will welcome community members into the space, talk about the planned services and materials, and show plans. The NoBo Corner Library will open in March 2014.

Light refreshments will be served, and community feedback is encouraged.

We hope you will stop by!

Information: Email BPL-NOBO.
Many of our events are generously co-sponsored by the Boulder Library Foundation.

**Overheard at BPL...**

"Many, many people have come dancing through the doors of GRB - super happy that we're open again. One woman threw open the door, threw open her arms and yelled, 'Welcome back!'"
-- Stella, George Reynolds Branch

Enjoy stories, rhymes and songs with your children in English and French or English and Spanish. French/English storytimes occur the first and third Saturdays of each month. Spanish/English storytimes occur the second, fourth, and (when applicable) the fifth Saturdays of the month.

Information: Youth Services, 303-441-3099

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**Holiday Dance Program:**
Cleo Parker Robinson Ensemble's "Granny Dances to a Holiday Drum" Sampler

Two shows on Wednesday, December 11, from 4-5 p.m. and from 6:30-7:30 p.m. in the Main Library's Canyon Theater.

For the first time, Denver's acclaimed Cleo Parker Robinson Dance Ensemble will share with Boulder audiences a sampler of their annual holiday program, "Granny Dances to a Holiday Drum." The program is interwoven with dance, music, story-telling and holiday traditions from around the world.

Perfect for audiences of all ages, the one-hour shows are free.

Information: Mary Wohl Haan, dancebridge@boulderlibrary.org or 303-441-4391

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**Holiday Concerts:**
Harps, Handbells and More!

*Holiday Harps*, Saturday, December 7 at 11 a.m., Main Library Canyon Theater

*Celtic Holiday*, Sunday, December 15, at 2 p.m., Main Library Canyon Theater

*Timberline Handbell Ensemble*, Sunday, December 15, at 3 p.m., at the Meadows Branch

*The Third Tuesday Lunchtime Concert Series Presents: Christmas with Essence of*
Larynx, Tuesday, December 17, noon, Canyon Theater

Join us for a beautiful holiday harp recital, featuring the students of Margot Krimmel; a Celtic holiday concert with Krimmel and Beth Gadbow; a family-friendly handbell concert; and a holiday romp with vocal ensemble Essence of Larynx.

Information: Juliette Leon Bartsch, bartschi@boulderlibrary.org or 303-441-4492.

Holiday Film: Screening of "A Christmas Story"

Saturday, December 14, at noon, Main Library Canyon Theater

Based on Jean Shepherd's short story collection "In God We Trust," "A Christmas Story" has become a holiday classic. Before our screening, Cinema Program coordinator Joel Haertling will reveal special secrets to look out for during the film, and audience participation is encouraged. Come in your bunny pajamas and bring your Lifebuoy soap, but please leave your Red Ryder BB guns at home (you 'll shoot your eye out). Prizes for best pjs will be awarded.

Information: Joel Haertling, haertlingj@boulderlibrary.org or (303) 441-3197

Game Night at Meadows Branch

Friday, December 6, 4:30 p.m. at Meadows Branch

Enjoy playing board games with other members of the community, or try out Wii games on the big screen. We have a variety of games to play, or feel free to bring a personal favorite.

No reservations required.

Generously co-sponsored by the Boulder Public Library Foundation.

Information: Gwen Holton weisseg@boulderlibrary.org or 303-441-4390.

Recommended Read

Mother, Mother by Koren Zailckas

A wickedly satiric story of a narcissistic mother's manipulation of her family takes a chilling turn as secrets and lies are slowly
revealed. If *Where'd You Go, Bernadette?* merged with *Gone Girl* the result wouldn't be half as fun or suspenseful as this well crafted tale. I read the whole book in two days.

--Hannah, George Reynolds Branch

View more recommendations.