



Library Informer

Read Across Pend Oreille "Citizen Vince" by Jess Walter

Winner of the 2005 Edgar Award for best Novel.

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Book Discussions:

Tuesday March 3rd	6:-00 pm	Newport Public Library
Thursday March 12th	3:00 pm	Calispel Valley Library
Wednesday March 4th	3:00 pm	Ione Public Library

Sign up for a book discussion group and get a free copy of Citizen Vince and Reading group guide.

Be a good Citizen Day

Thursday, March 5th 1:00-5:00 Cusick Community Center
Come and see a wide variety of organizations from Pend Oreille County that will encourage you to "Be a Good Citizen". Open to all ages.

Author Visit with Jess Walter

Monday, March 9th	7:30 pm	Cutter Theatre in Metaline Falls
Sunday, March 29th	2:00 pm	CREATE in Newport

Jess Walter-winner of the 2007 Pacific Northwest Booksellers Award

CELEBRATING

National Library Week

April 12-18th

Volunteer

Appreciation Week

April 19-12th



SPRING AT THE LIBRARY

Newport Public Library

Easter Egg Hunt & Crafts, Saturday

April 11th, 10am to 1:00 pm



Calispel Valley/Cusick Library

Information to come



Ione Public Library

Metalines Community Library

APRIL 1ST-APRIL 11TH

First Book North Pend Oreille PRESENTS: **DR. SEUSS DAY AT THE IONE LIBRARY**

The lone Public Library will host it's annual Dr. Suess Day open house on Saturday March 21st from 11am-1pm, sponsored by the North Pend Oreille First Book board. Children and their parents are invited to hear Dr. Seuss stories, make crafts based on his books, receive a free book and more.

First Book North Pend Oreille is part of First Book's national network of volunteer-led Advisory Boards who provide new books to children in need in communities across the country. Comprised of volunteers from all sectors of the community, First Book North Pend Oreille works to promote and facilitate the distribution of new books to children of literacy programs in the Pend Oreille County area.

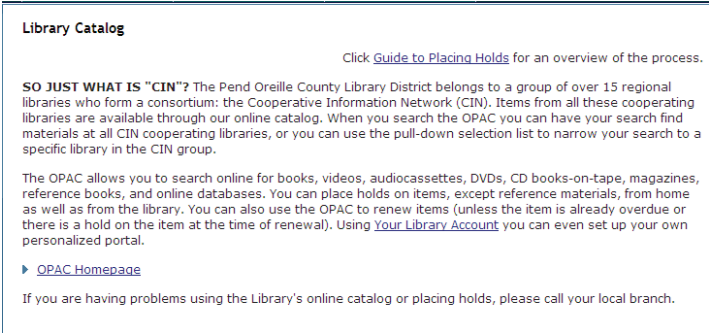
Access to books is essential to reading development. However, 61 percent of low-income families have no books for children in their homes. Additionally, over 80 percent of childcare centers serving low-income children lack age-appropriate books and other print materials. By providing children from low-income families with books they can take home and keep, First Book targets the only variable that correlates significantly with reading scores—the number of books in the home.

First Book North Pend Oreille has been distributing books to programs serving low-income children since 1997. The First Book Advisory Board is comprised of individuals from the community. In 2008, First Book - North Pend Oreille distributed **1,300** books to children participating in programs including Selkirk Elementary School, the Cutter Theatre and Pend Oreille County Libraries.

REQUESTING A BOOK'S NEW LOOK

When you go to www.pocld.org

And click on find a book you will get



Click on



On the bottom left hand of the page to get to the Catalog page

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AT POCLD LIBRARIES

NEWPORT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Storytime
Thursdays at 1pm

◆
Citizen Vince
Book discussion
Tuesday
March 3rd
6pm

◆
Author visit
Jess Walter
At CREATE

Sunday
March 29th
2pm

◆
**Easter Egg Hunt &
Crafts,
Saturday**



**April
11th,
10am to
1:00 pm**

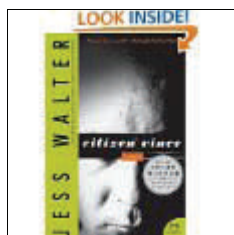
CALISPEL VALLEY LIBRARY

Storytime
Tuesdays at 10:30 AM

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Pinochle
Tuesdays 6:00 PM

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Loosely Knit
Thursdays 1:00 PM

◆
Citizen Vince
Book discussion
Thursday
March 12th
3pm



◆
Author visit
Jess Walter
At CREATE
Sunday
March 29th
2pm

IONE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Storytime
Tuesdays 10:30am
NEW NEW
Thursdays 10:30am

Stories & crafts toddlers
and up

◆
**Book Discussion
Group**
1st & 3rd Wednesday
4-5pm

◆
Citizen Vince
Book discussion
Wednesday March 4th
3pm

◆
Author visit
Jess Walter
At the Cutter
Theatre

Monday March 9th
At 7:30pm

◆
**APRIL 1ST-
APRIL 11TH**

Find an Easter Egg get a
Prize!!

(see library staff for de-tails)

METALINES LIBRARY

Storytime
Fridays 10:30am
NEW NEW
Mondays 10:30am

◆
**Book Discussion
Group**
4th Wednesday
3pm

◆
**Hollywood Classic
Movies**
1930's, 1940's, 1950's
4th Saturday at 12 noon.

In the Theatre at the
Cutter Theatre
Call the Metalines
Library for more
information

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At 7:30pm

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IN THE SPOTLIGHT: Resources for Parents

- Go to www.pocld.org
- On left hand side scroll to Online Resources
- That brings up a list click on Parents
- Which brings up a page with these choices:

Getting your child interested in books

Helping kids with abuse problems

Homeschooling resources

Parent Support groups

Parenting guides

- Clicking on any blue text will bring up a website on that topic Tabs on the top offer advanced searching or visual searching.

Resources for Parents

Getting Your Child Interested in Books

- ▶ [Every Child A Reader](#) - A collaboration between charitable trusts, the business sector and government, this site aims to show that, with the right resources, it is possible to overcome the literacy difficulties that blight so many children's lives.
- ▶ [Suite101: Parenting Methods](#) - Fun ways to get kids interested in reading.

Helping Kids with Abuse Problems

- ▶ [Because I love you \(BILY\)](#) - A non-profit organization dedicated to supporting parents with troubled children of any age.
- ▶ [Parents: The Anti-Drug](#) - Sponsored by The National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign.
- ▶ [The Partnership for a Drug-Free America](#) - The Partnering with Families mission is to inspire more parents and family members to connect with their kids in ways that persuade them not to use drugs.

Homeschooling Resources

- ▶ [Family Learning Organization](#) - This organization in Spokane offers encouragement, advice, and standardized achievement testing to support you in homeschooling.
- ▶ [Homeschool.com](#) - Lots of homeschooling advice and links.
- ▶ [HomeSchoolZone](#) - Free newsletters, services, and great ways to connect with people.
- ▶ [Jon's Homeschool Resource Page](#) - A source of neutral, non-commercial homeschooling information.
- ▶ [Finding Homeschool Support on the Internet](#) - Links to support groups, lesson planning, and more.

Parent Support Groups

- ▶ [Parent Support Group](#) - Help for parents of children with special needs.

Parenting Guides

- ▶ [Village: Pregnancy and parenting](#) - All sorts of great articles, tools, links and pictures.

TRY IT-ASK WA!!

Internet

Can't find what you want?

Find too much?

Not sure if it's reliable?

Try our online Reference service

go to www.pocld.org

At the bottom of the screen

you will find a blue box.

When the blue box says chat available

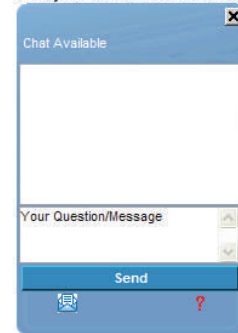
you will have immediate contact with a librarian.

Type in your question and begin your chat session.

If Chat is not available type in your question and your e-mail address and you will receive an answer to your question by e-mail.



Take advantage of our 24 hours a day,
7 days a week Reference Service.



Pend Oreille County Library District
116 S. Washington Ave. Newport WA 99156
Phone: (509) 447-2111

Pend Oreille County Library District Hours of Operation

Newport Hours

447-2111 or 1-800-366-3654

Monday	10am-5pm
Tuesday	10am-8pm
Wednesday	1pm-5pm
Thursday	10am-8pm
Friday	10am-5pm
Saturday	10am-3pm

Saturday 11am-3pm

Ione Public Library Hours:

442-3030

Tuesday	10am-1pm & 2pm-6pm
Wednesday	1pm-7pm
Thursday	10am-1pm & 2pm-6pm
1st & 3rd Saturdays	10am-3pm

Calispel Valley/Cusick Hours

445-1215

Tuesday	11am-8pm
Wednesday	1pm-5pm
Thursday	11am-6pm

Metalines Community Library

Hours

446-3232

Monday	10am-12pm & 1pm-6pm
Wednesday	1pm-6pm

Regular Library Board Meetings

Tuesday March 17th

5pm

Tuesday April 21st

5pm



In the meeting room of the Calispel Valley Library
Public welcome