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The RAP/GAP Mascot is the turtle. The turtle, like us and our children, has a hard shell to protect it from getting hurt, but the inside is soft, vulnerable and lovable. We must learn to stick our heads out of our shell and take a chance.

**IT'S A PIRATE PICNIC!
COME JOIN THE FUN!
SAVE THE DATE!**



WHO: RELATIVES AS PARENTS & FOSTER CARE FAMILIES

**WHERE: JEWETT HOUSE
1501 E. LAKESHORE DRIVE
COEUR D'ALENE, ID.**

WHEN: JULY 10, 2014 11:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

BRING: LAWN CHAIRS, BLANKETS, TOWELS, SOMETHING TO SHARE SUCH AS COOKIES, CHIPS, SALAD OR CASSEROLE. WE WILL PROVIDE THE BEVERAGE, PLATES, UTENSILS, HOT DOGS WITH FIXINGS AND BUNS. EVERY CHILD WILL RECEIVE A PIRATES BAG WITH A TOWEL AND GOODIES

There will be games and prizes!

Please call to let us know how many are coming 208-659-8210



Everyone is welcome!! The Jewett House is right on Lake Coeur d'Alene so your kiddos can go swimming or play in the sand in between eating and playing games. You will need to watch them if they go into the beach area as there is no life guards. This event is not until July, but we want you to mark this on your calendar and call us with the number of people that will be attending from your family. This will be lots of fun for both adults and children! You don't want to miss it!!

RSVP 208-659-8210

Hayden Discount Cinema/Family Film Festival

Family Summer Film Festival Passes **NOW on SALE** at the theater.
You can pick up during our normal hours of operation.

\$10 gets you 10 movies + 2 Guest Passes (12 tickets) for the selected movies. Movies will run from June 13 – August 21. Movies will be every day of the week and weekends at 12 noon with additional times on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am.



Movies Start at 10:00am on Tuesday/Thursday with 1000 seats.
Additional showtimes at 12 noon every day, seating limited to 175.



**HAYDEN
DISCOUNT
CINEMA**
**2014
Family Summer
Film Festival**
Daily from June 13 - August 21
See other side for movies and times.

**10 Movies + 2 Guest Passes
ONLY \$10**

7201 W Cresta Ave - Prairie & HWY 95 • (208)215-2060 • www.haydenmovies.com

Located in **Prairie Shopping Center**
at **HWY 95 and Prairie**
Sorry no Credit Cards but ATM located in
theater.

Skate Plaza Summer Pass

You can purchase a **skating pass** for day time skating starting on June 10, 2014 through August 29, 2014 for **\$55**. Family discounts are available by calling **08-772-9507**. Don't let your kiddos say, "I am bored". Get them a pass for great exercise and fun. Skate Plaza offers public rolling skating, fundraisers and private skate parties, roller derby, inline speed skating and spectacular dance parties. They also have an updated arcade and a fabulous stuff shop to redeem tickets. There is also a snack bar that offers beverages, pizza, hot dogs and snack items. The Skate Plaza is located at 5685 N. Pioneer Dr., Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.



RAP Meeting on 6/12/2014



The **Relatives as Parents** meeting will be on **June 12, 2014 at noon** at the **Jewett House**. The **Jewett House is located at 1501 E. Lakeshore Drive in Coeur d'Alene**. We have a potluck lunch, so we invite you to bring food (or not) to share.

Everyone is welcome to attend our RAP meetings. We offer a no cost childcare on the premises. Come enjoy a relaxing exchange of conversation, ideas and knowledge. Come and visit with people just like yourself that are raising children of others. We all have the same problems and offer support and solutions to each other. You are not alone!

Be sure to save the date for our annual picnic on **July 10, 2014!** This year the theme is **Pirates in Coeur d'Alene**. There will be lots of games and prizes. There will even be a treasure hunt for the pirates buried treasure. Don't miss it!!!

for more information: (208) 659-8210

Hayden Library Summer Program

Make a Splash!



Monday

Open crafts, all ages, 10:00am-2:00pm

Ka-Boom!, ages 10-14 years, 10:30-11:30am

Every Child Ready to Read, ages 3-5 years, 10:30-11:30am

Tuesday

Mother Goose Time, ages birth-2 years, 10:30am

All ages story time, 10:30-11:00am

Wednesday

Summer Reading, ages 5-10 years, 12:30-1:30pm

Thursday

Finucane Park story time, all ages, 10:30am

Friday

Open Game Time, ages 10-14 years, 10:30am-Noon

Literacy Play Group, ages birth-5 years, 10:30am-Noon

Saturday

Checkmate Chess Club, all ages, 10:00am-Noon

May 15, June, 19, July 17, August, 21

Earn free books and prizes all summer long!

Registration for all summer reading begins June 1
haydenlibrarysummer2010.eventbrite.com

Summer Programs begin June 8 and end August 20

Cost: For children Birth to 4 years old Mother Goose Summer Reading 0.00

For children 5-11 years old. Make a Splash 0.00

For teens 12-17 years old. Make Waves 0.00

For adults age 18 and up. Water Your Mind-READ! 0.00

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Teens- Make Waves @ your library this summer!

Gaming, movie nights, prizes and tons of fun!

Rock the Boat! 3rd Mondays, 6-7pm for grades 9-12

Tween Summer Reading, Tuesdays, 11am-noon, for grades 6-8

Open Game Days, Fridays, 10:30-Noon, for grades 6-12

Last Fridays, ages 14-18, 7:00-9:00pm (June 25, July 30, August 27)

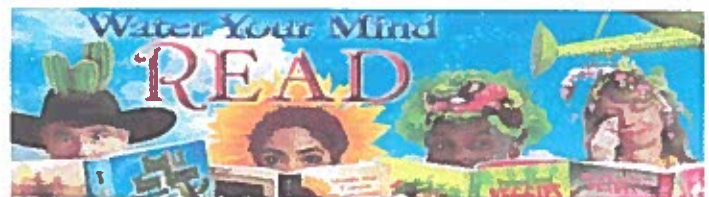
Contact Nick for more information about summer programs.

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Phone: 208-772-5612, ext 120

Facebook: Next Gen Adults of the Kootenai Shoshone Libraries

Twitter: twitter.com/ks14nextgen Blog: ks14nextgen.blogspot.com



Adult summer reading programs offered!

Adults can join in the fun this summer and
Water your mind-Read!

Programs, prizes and fun just for you!

Contact Connie at 208-772-5612, ext 110 for more information

Online information at: ksalibraries.org



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Grandparents as Parents

The Rewards & Challenges of Raising

Authors: Melinda Smith, M.A., and Jeanne Segal, Ph.D.

When parents are absent or unable to raise their children, grandparents are often the ones who step in. Raising a second generation brings many rewards, including the fulfillment of giving your grandkids a sense of security, developing a deeper relationship, and keeping the family together. It also comes with many challenges. No matter how much you love your grandkids, taking them into your home requires major adjustments. But with the right guidelines and support, you can roll back the years and make a real difference in the lives of your grandchildren.

Raising grandchildren tip: Acknowledge your feelings

The prospect of raising grandchildren is bound to trigger a range of emotions. Positive emotions, like the love you feel for your grandchildren, the joy in seeing them learn and grow, and relief at giving them a stable environment, are easy to acknowledge. It's more difficult to admit to feelings such as resentment, guilt, or fear.

It's important to acknowledge and accept what you're feeling, both good and bad. Don't beat yourself up over your doubts and misgivings. It's only natural to feel some ambivalence about childrearing at a time when you expected your responsibilities to be dwindling. These feelings don't mean that you don't love your grandchildren.

Support makes all the difference

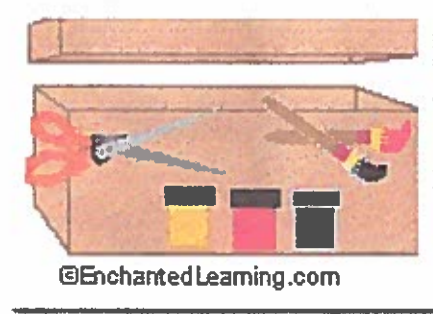
Studies show that grandparents who cope well with the added stress of raising grandchildren are those who seek out others for support.

- **Find someone you can talk to about what you're going through.** This will give you a chance to work through your feelings and come to an acceptance of the situation. If you deny or ignore these feelings, they will come out in other ways and may affect your relationship with your grandkids.
- **Look for support groups for grandparents raising grandchildren.** Support groups or even phone support can be very helpful in this journey, and it's a good start for making friends in similar situations. Hearing from people who have been there can help both uplift your spirits and give you concrete suggestions for your situation.
- **Reach out in your community for childcare help.** If you are a member of a church, synagogue or other religious organization, you may be able to ask around for available babysitters. Try library story-time hours, chatting up other parents at the playground, or seeing if your neighbors have a reliable teen available to babysit or if any parents are interested in a babysitting swap.
- **Connect with parents with children.** Even if you feel like you are from a different generation, the joys and tribulations of raising children can quickly form common bonds. It may take time, but forging friendships with parents with similar aged children can offer camaraderie and help on navigating the maze of issues facing children today.

Treasure Chest Craft

Supplies needed:

- A shoebox
- Tempera paint
- Brushes
- Sturdy tape
- Optional - string or yarn



1. Paint the box the same color as the lid. Let the paint dry.

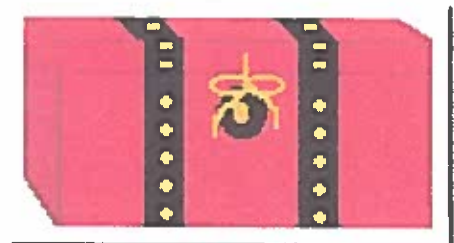
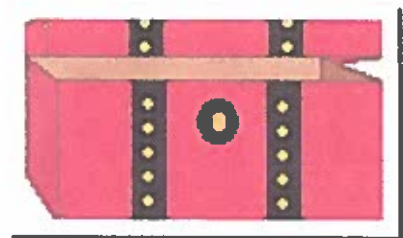
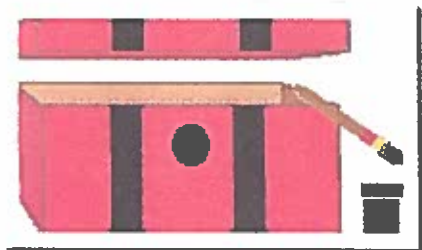
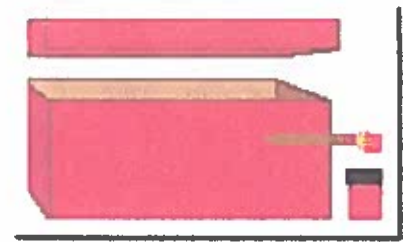
2. Using another color, paint treasure-chest decorations on your box (like a strap/key hole or lock). Let dry.

3. Using sturdy tape (duct tape) attach the lid to the box. If you don't want the tape to show place inside of box and lid.

4. Add any final decorations, like two pieces of yarn glued to the box lid; they can tie your lid closed.

5. You can now fill your treasure chest with all your treasures and goodies!

6. If you want, you can hide your treasure chest and make a treasure map to find it.





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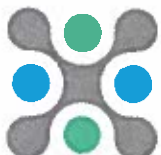
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RAP Meetings: Jewett House
1501 E. Lakeshore Dr.
Coeur d'Alene, ID.

RAP meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at noon.
We share a potluck lunch, offer no cost child care and
share resources and ideas. Everyone is welcome!



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