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FROM THE STACKS

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SERVING WARD AND MOUNTRAIL COUNTIES WITH BOOKS AND OTHER GOOD THINGS

2007 WARD COUNTY LIBRARY PATRON AND MATERIAL STATISTICS

2007

173	NUMBER OF DAYS THE BOOKMOBILE WAS ON THE ROAD
305	NUMBER OF STORYTIME VISITORS IN KENMARE
568	NUMBER OF NEW PATRONS IN 2007
808	NUMBER OF KENMARE INTERNET USERS
1100	NUMBER OF DOLLARS IN USED BOOK SALES
3609	NUMBER OF NEW MATERIALS PURCHASED
4202	NUMBER OF LIBRARY INTERNET USERS
8986	NUMBER OF LIBRARY CARD HOLDERS
49736	TOTAL NUMBER OF LIBRARY MATERIALS
98924	NUMBER OF ITEMS CHECKED OUT IN 2007

SHELF ELF AWARD

The following classrooms were chosen as "Classrooms of the Month" by the bookmobile librarians. The rooms were chosen because of the special enthusiasm the students and teachers show for books, reading, and for visiting the bookmobile. Each room received a trophy and a certificate.

December	Grade 2 , South Prairie School, Mr. Roedocker
January	Kindergarten, Bell School, Ms. Ploof
February	Kindergarten, Sawyer School, Ms. Volk

CONGRATULATIONS!

USED BOOK AND VIDEO SALE

The library is constantly weeding materials from the shelves to make room for new purchases or newly donated items. Several things may be done with the discarded items: they may be given to another outlet such as a senior center; they may be put in our ongoing book sale; they may be recycled.

Stop in and visit our used book and video sale. Some of the donations we receive are recent bestsellers. The proceeds from the sales are used to purchase new materials.

Hardcover books .50, paperbacks .25, videos .50.

LIBRARY HOURS

MAIN LIBRARY
405 3RD AVE SE
MINOT ND
852-5388 or 1-800-932-8932
MONDAY-FRIDAY
8:00 AM-4:30 PM
BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULES AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE OR BY CALLING THE LIBRARY

KENMARE BRANCH LIBRARY
5 NE THIRD
KENMARE ND 58746
701-385-4090
MONDAY
10:00 AM-7:00 PM
Closed for lunch 12:30-1:30
WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
10:00 AM-5:00 PM
Closed for lunch 12:30-1:00

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BOARD MEETINGS ARE HELD ON THE SECOND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 3:00 PM AT THE WARD COUNTY LIBRARY IN MINOT

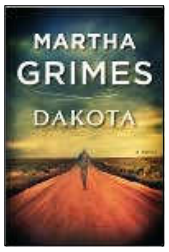
DOO DAH PARADE

What is a Doo Dah Parade and why are we having one?

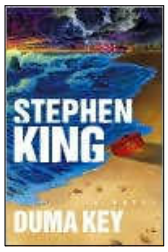
Have you ever watched the Great American Library Book Cart Drill Team in a parade? Or seen men do a synchronized routine with lawn chairs? Imagine a whole parade made up of similar, silly entries. The first ever Minot Doo Dah Parade will be held this summer. Its purpose is to celebrate the diversity of Minot with a little fun. Sponsored by the Celtic Heritage Society, Ward County Library and KMOT, it will be a walking parade with the entries doing synchronized routines to music. It will be humorous and fun and we are looking for more entries. If you have a "doo dah" idea, find some friends to help you create a routine and enter it in the parade. Visit the library website or call the library for more information or to obtain an entry form. Entry fee is $5. There will be trophies for most creative, most precisioned, and most unique entries.

NEW TITLES @ YOUR LIBRARY

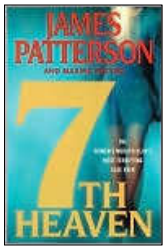
Honor Thyself
Danielle Steel
Fiction



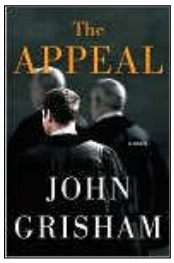
Dakota
Martha Grimes
Fiction



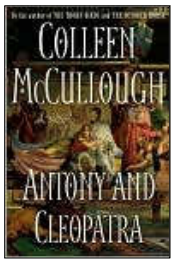
Duma Key
Stephen King
Fiction



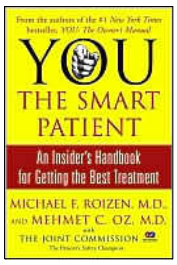
7th Heaven
James Patterson
Fiction



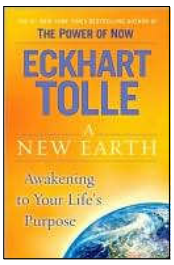
The Appeal
John Grisham
Fiction



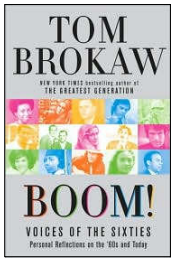
Anthony and Cleopatra
Colleen McCullough
Fiction



You: the Smart Patient
Michael Roizen, M.D
Non-Fiction



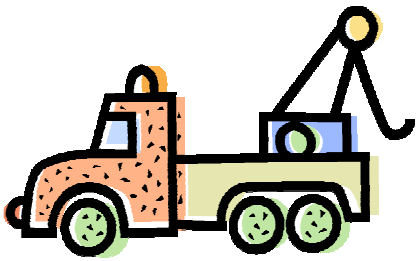
A New Earth
Eckhart Tolle
Non-Fiction



Boom!
Tom Brokaw
Non-Fiction

Lakeview Art Club Spring Show, Kenmare Memorial Hall
May 10, 7-9 pm; May 11, 11 am-4 pm; May 12, 9 am-3 pm
May 12, Business After Hours 5-7 pm

SUMMER BOOKMOBILE PROGRAM PRESENTS:

"TOUCH A TRUCK"

JUNE 7, 2008, 11am-3pm, BURLINGTON SCHOOL PARKING LOT