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Wyoming Humanities Council Awards Grant to Fort Caspar Museum

Casper, Wyoming – Fort Caspar Museum is pleased to announce the recent grant award for *Journeys through Wyoming's Past: A Summer Reading Series Kick-Off Event* from the Wyoming Humanities Council. The event is scheduled for Saturday, June 14th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The event will feature two prominent Wyoming authors as they share their love of history with youth. Eugene Gagliano of Buffalo will read his books *C is for Cowboy: A Wyoming Alphabet Book* and *Four Wheels West: A Wyoming Number Book*. Jackson, Wyoming resident, Kenneth Thomsma is the author of the “Amazing Indian Children” book series. He will read portions of *Naya Nuki: Shoshoni Girl Who Ran*. A hands-on activity will take place between the two presentations. This event serves as a kick-off for a summer reading program focusing on Wyoming history for youth. The program begins mid-June with a Pioneers Book Club for ages 5-8 and an Explorers Book Club recommended for ages 9 and up.

For more information contact Erin Rose at 235-8462 or check the Fort Caspar Museum website, www.fortcasparwyoming.com for more details about the Kick-Off Event and Summer Reading Program.



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