



**Want to make a gift that will outlast the season?**

Talk to a librarian about HOLIDAYTIME BUY THE BOOK!

## The Chico Library has a new Branch Librarian!

The Chico branch of the Butte County Library has a new branch manager! Her name is Janae Kambestad and she is no stranger to Chico, having earned a BA in history from CSU, Chico.

Her first visit to the Chico branch library was during her junior year with Dr. Magliari's archival research class to utilize the California collection. She eventually found her way down to Burbank where she worked at the Burbank Public Library, first as head of circulation services and most recently as the local history librarian.

Outside of work, Janae enjoys crocheting and listening to podcasts. As local history librarian in Burbank, she even started a podcast called rememBURBANK, which featured short stories from the history of the community.

Janae is excited to be back in northern California and serving the Chico community.

## TREASURER'S UPDATE

*Diane Friedman*

Chico Friends of the Butte County Library is dedicated to supporting activities and purchases by the Library.

Here is an incomplete list of how we have supported the Library so far this fiscal year (our fiscal year runs from July, 2019 to June, 2020).

- \$30,764 - new books and digital media
- \$3,138 - newspapers and magazines
- \$2,174 - Celebration de las Americas 2019 sponsorship
- \$2,208 - staff conferences
- \$1,245 - library programs and craft supplies
- \$1,000 - Trivia Bee for Literacy 2019
- \$937 - library maintenance and repairs
- \$795 - Sunday movie licenses

Our total income for this fiscal year to date (FYTD) is \$49,953. Our total expenses for this FYTD are \$44,924. Ninety-four% of our expenses directly support the library and 6% are operational expenses (things like insurance, fundraising, postage, printing, storage, etc.)

Our sources of income are contributions and grants, fundraising (weekly used book sale), and investments. We have no paid staff and are grateful for the volunteers that make this all possible.



*Meet Janae Kambestad  
The new Chico branch  
manager.*

# NATIONAL FRIENDS OF LIBRARIES WEEK

Oct. 20-26, 2019



[www.ala.org/united/friendsweek](http://www.ala.org/united/friendsweek)



*We celebrated National Friends of Libraries Week in October by, among other things, creating this display at the Chico branch of Butte County Library.*

*~ Katherine Gould*

# TRIVIA FOR A CAUSE

Nancy Leek

*Can you answer these questions? If you can, you might be a Trivia Champ!*

Samuel Langhorne Clemens wrote books under what pseudonym?

On the 9th day of Christmas, what did my true love give to me?

In which state is Fort Knox located?

What bird became the symbol of the Audubon Society in 1953?

What is the stage name of Stefani Joanne Angelina Germanotta?

What metal is an alloy of copper and zinc?

In what country is Transylvania located?

How do you write the year 2019 in Roman numerals?

Under which U.S. president was the Peace Corps started?

What do you call a baby porcupine?

The 13th annual Trivia Bee for Literacy took place in the Sierra Nevada Big Room on Friday, Oct. 25. This fun event raises money for the Butte County Library's Literacy Services. For the first time the Chico Friends of the Library fielded two teams: the Bibliomaniacs and the Black Spire Rebels. Winners this year were: First Place: The PRACTologists; Second Place: Three Babies and No Men; Third Place: Schlieger for Supervisor

Answers:

Mark Twain

Nine ladies dancing

Kentucky

Great Egret

Lady Gaga

Brass

Romania

MMXIX

John F. Kennedy

Porcupette

This *coupon* admits you,  
a Chico Friends of the Library member,  
to the "First Friday" Members Only  
Book Sale on December 6th,  
Sales are held on the first Friday of the month before  
the first public Saturday sale each month.

This *coupon* admits you,  
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Book Sale on January 3rd,  
Sales are held on the first Friday of the month before  
the first public Saturday sale each month.

This *coupon* admits you,  
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to the "First Friday" Members Only  
Book Sale on February 7th,  
Sales are held on the first Friday of the month before  
the first public Saturday sale each month.

## Chico Branch Hours

Monday - Closed

Tuesday - 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Wednesday - 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Thursday - 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Friday - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Saturday - 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Sunday - 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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**Thanks to library volunteers who reached a 100-hour (or more) increment in service in the first half of 2019. Those with an asterisk (\*) reached a 500-hour increment.**

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