### **Created Equal:** America's Civil Rights Struggle

Join us for screenings of The Created Equal film series: \*The Loving Story (2011) 77 mins Friday, June 5 @ 2:00pm \*Freedom Riders (2011) 120 mins Friday, June 12 @ 2:00pm \*Slavery by Another Name (2012) 90 mins Friday, June 19 @ 2:00pm \*Freedom Summer (2014) 120 mins Friday, June 26 @ 2:00pm These films explore mature themes and are not recommended for children under age 14. \*Refreshments will be served.

Created Equal is part of the Bridging Cultures Initiative of the National Endowment for the Humanities, produced in partnership with the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History to encourage public conversations about the changing meanings of freedom and equality in America.

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **Created Equal:** ☆ ☆ America's Civil Rights Struggle \*Lunch and Learn @ the Library \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Friday, June 12 12:00pm-12:45pm "Fight Against Slavery on the Great **Plains:** Nebraska's Underground Railroad" ☆☆☆ Humanities Nebraska speaker Bill Hayes will Humanities Nebraska speaker Bill Hayes will discuss the issue of slavery in the U.S. during the 1850s, the controversy surrounding the Kansas-Nebraska act, and how the issue affected people moving to the Nebraska territory. Program sponsored in part by Humanities Nebraska through the HN Speakers Bureau. \*Bring a bag lunch & learn! Beverages and dessert will be provided \*\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **Created Equal: America's Civil Rights Struggle** The largest demonstration in our nation's capital and civil rights history is captured in the photographic exhibition, The March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom: A Half Century ★★★★★ Remembrance of the Dream, on view during June & July at our library. These historic photographs depict the march participants, organizers and program speakers. \*\*\*\*

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**Central City Public Library** 2015 Adult Summer **Reading Program** 



## What's it all about? When is it? How does it work?

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# Adult Summer **Reading!**

Of course! Why should the kids get to have all the fun? It's easy to participate. Read a book, and fill out an entry form for our weekly drawings and grand prize drawing at the end of the program. The 7 weekly prize drawings will be for a **"Book** Lover's Bag." The lucky winners will receive a goody bag that will include a current bestseller! The grand prize drawing will

be for a **\$50** Amazon.com gift card!

**Register for Adult Summer Reading Program** May 26-June 3!



Monday, June 8 6:30pm-7:30pm **Book Discussion** of the NYT best selling book "Thunder Dog: the True Story of a Blind Man, His Guide Dog, & The **Triumph of Trust**" by Michael Hingson & Susy Flory Every moment in Michael Hingson's and Roselle's lives seemed to lead up to this day. When one of four hijacked planes flew into the World Trade Center's north tower on September 11, 2001, Michael Hingson, was sitting down for a meeting. His guide dog, Roselle, was at his feet. *Thunder Dog* is a story that will forever change your spirit and your perspective. We will have multiple copies of the book available for checkout, beginning 5/11. Monday, June 15 @ 6:30pm-7:30pm **Exploring the Fashion** of Downton Abbey Humanities Nebraska speaker Sue McLain

will present "A Century of Fashion: Downton Abbey." Sue McLain, owner of Yesterday's Lady, a vintage fashion museum/store in Beatrice, has been traveling the Midwest since 1991 sharing her extensive collection of clothing from 1840 through 1980 and teaching groups about the history of fashion. Sue has been collecting fashions since 1985 and they are

currently housed in an 1887 historic building in downtown Beatrice. Program sponsored by Humanities Nebraska through the HN Speakers Bureau. Refreshments will be served.



### 6:30-8:00 pm **Game Night** for Teens! Wii, PS<sub>3</sub>, board games, and snacks!



If you're a fan of **Pokemon**, bring your cards along with and prepare to

Monday, July 13

Pokemon battle!

If you're into trading, bring the cards along that you want to trade



(maybe you'll be able to pick up a few different ones).

We will be drawing for a couple of Pokemon card packs at the end of the evening (must be present to win)!

#### Thursday, July 2 2:00 pm "The Men on the Field"

A nostalgic look at town team baseball

in Central Nebraska presented by Alyx Gragg



"The Men on the Field " is a nostalgic look at town team baseball in central Nebraska from the 1880's through the 1960's. Interviews with local and area men relate how the town team was an important part of small town life. Alyx Gragg, CCHS class of 2017, is the presenter.