

They say that timing is, well, everything. We just held our Meadowlarks Market on October 28. It was a great event in spite of the weather and a huge THANK YOU to Starla and Karen for all their work to bring this event to fruition.

Karen contacted me earlier in the week before the Market and asked me if I could do something for she and Starla. They wanted to display at the Market something that would illustrate a lot of the projects and organizations we have supported. I'm like hmmm I can do that, because that was going to be the subject of this Newsletter this month anyway.

I already had some material prepared for printing on a postcard. So I merely updated it and printed it off the post cards to give out to customers. Then my "uncreative" juices started flowing. What could I do to illustrate our good works?

I thought, well, how about a dry erase board? No, I thought, how about a cork board and I could tack info to it? Then my mind, which is never linear but pops all over the place settled on a foam board. I would get a foam board. But how would I present? So off to Office Depot I went to explore and I found the perfect product. Colorful bursting stars. And Karen said she would supply pictures for me to post on the board too.

So then I printed colorful labels for the board and the pictures. Please see the board below. This is what Starla and Karen put on an easel at the entrance to the event so customers could see the different organizations we have supported.

I told you in August/September and October how we got here. Now I wanted to let you know what the heck we have been doing all this time. So the ask from Karen for the Market came at the perfect time. I could do both.

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## BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS!

I love to read and I always wish I would do more of it. So that is a new goal. To read three books a month if not more. Currently I am reading The Widow Maker by Hannah Morrissey. My favorite book is a good who dunnit. This novel depicts two separate stories. One is the disappearance of a rich man 20 years ago. One is a young woman who witnesses a cop being killed. Two separate incidents but then the two stories start to blend into coincidental twists and turns. It's suspenseful, well written and I am enjoying it very much.

## **MEMBERS**

This month we are highlighting Julie Gliem, our Treasurer, and Pat Moore, a fairly new member.

Julie is a Wyoming/Cheyenne native. She said she spread her wings exactly 2.8 miles from where she grew up, and the first house she bought was 2 blocks from her childhood home. Her hobbies are Bingo, doing Dippin' Dots when she has time (I had to google this to find out what it is). She is married to George, and has two children and their bucket list includes visiting the baseball fields around the country. Her favorite author is Scott Turow. Julie also has two fur babies. I add that she owns and operates USATax on Warren Avenue. "Jules" is one of the original founders of the Larks.

Pam Moore is a fairly new member having joined in 2022. She has lived in Cheyenne for three years. She is a graduate of Worland, Wy, 52 years ago. She said that she has gone to 25 schools in five years, and has never met a stranger. Her two 10 year old cats are Sadie and Darcie. Pat sews and reads everyday. I add that Pat does substitute teaching.

Speaking of Books and Reading, if you send me books you are reading or have read, and enjoyed, I can highlight one each month. Just give a short blurb what it's about.



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LARKS ROCK!!