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Artist, Dick Termes, to Teach Free Workshops at Library

Rapid City, SD – July 22, 2009 – Come reconsider how you think about the world around you while learning about geometric artwork with world-renowned artist, Dick Termes, at two free Polyhedron Workshops on Wednesday, August 5. Attendees, with the help of Termes, will create 25 different polyhedron models as they learn spatial thinking and the connection between art and geometry.

The first workshop will take place at 10 a.m. at the Downtown Library located at 610 Quincy St. and the second workshop will take place at 1 p.m. at the North Library located at 10 Van Buren St. in General Beadle Elementary. Attendees should be in third grade and up. Each workshop is limited to 40 participants. Call 394-4171 to reserve your spot.

The Polyhedron Workshops are a great hands-on and minds-on workshop for students to learn spatial thinking and the connection between Art and Geometry. By the end of the workshop attendees will be able to identify polyhedrons as objects in the real world such as seeds, viruses, crystals, DNA molecules, plants, chandeliers and TV sets.

These workshops are offered as part of the 2009 Be Creative @ Your Library Summer Reading Program. Special events and programs are offered all summer for kids, teens and adults as part of the summer reading program. For more information or to download summer reading logs, booklets or entry forms, visit us at: www.rapidcitylibrary.org/SummerReading.

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The Rapid City Public Library has served the Rapid City area since 1879, and now has two locations, the downtown library at 610 Quincy Street and the north library within General Beadle Elementary School at 10 Van Buren St. Both offer print and electronic resources for adults, young adults and children as well as computers and Internet access and a variety of programs and events. In March 2008, USA Today named the Rapid City Public Library's downtown library as one of the nation's 10 greatest places to "Find a Nook and Read a Book."

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