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Award-Winning Author Stew Magnuson Presents “The Last American Highway: U.S. Route 83” at Kearney Public Library

Kearney Public Library welcomes Author Stew Magnuson, Tuesday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m. as he presents his newest book, “The Last American Highway: A Journey Through Time Down U.S. Route 83: Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma”.

In his book, “Stew takes readers on a trip through the Nebraska Sand Hills, the Smoky River Valley in Kansas and the singular Oklahoma Panhandle. Along the route are the stories of the famous, the infamous, and the forgotten. Buffalo Bill Cody hunted these lands, but what about Buffalo Jones, who set out to save the American bison from extinction? This is where the ruthless, but now largely forgotten bank robbers, the Fleagles committed their most heinous crime; where the Grand Duke Alexis of Russia met George Armstrong Custer and Pussy Cat Nell dispatched the corrupt Sheriff “Brushy” Bush with a shotgun blast. What ties together President Eisenhower, the architect Frank Lloyd Wright and author Truman Capote? Highway 83, of course.” A book signing will follow his presentation. This program is free and open to the public. The Kearney Pubic Library is located at 2020 1st Avenue, Kearney, NE.

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