

Thursday, April 13 6:30 p.m.

***In Between and Walkin' Down the Middle:
The Metis of Montana***

**Talk and Book Signing with Candi Zion
at the
Lewis and Clark Library
120 S Last Chance Gulch, Helena, MT**

Join the author of *In Between People: The Metis of Central Montana* and *Walkin' Down the Middle: The Hi-Line Metis*, to learn more about this distinctive cultural group, sometimes known as the children of the fur trade. Zion interviewed descendants of early Métis settlers in central Montana and the Hi-Line, who relayed stories about their families' experiences of persecution in Canada and prejudice in the United States. They also talked about their devout Catholic faith; the tough living, strong work ethic, and secrecy that shaped their family cultures; and shared stories about education, rodeo, movie careers, and military service.

