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The Life & Legacy of Annie Oakley

The Peterson Activity Center proudly host Humanities Nebraska speaker Charlotte Endorf, on Thursday November 3, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. This presentation is made possible by the Nebraska Humanities Council, the Nebraska Cultural Endowment and Peterson Activity Center as part of the NHC Speakers Bureau.

She was described as the “greatest woman rifle shot.” A star attraction of Buffalo Bill’s Wild West Show, Oakley thrilled audiences around the world with her daring shooting feats. A champion in a man’s sport, she changed ideas about the abilities of women in the 19th century. Her fame and fortune came from her skill with guns, yet she was a Quaker.

This presentation dispels myth to reveal the real Annie Oakley. Charlotte has traveled into seven states the summers of 2015 and 2016 following the journey of Annie. She has met with museum curators and Annie’s family members to delve into the Oakley history. *Always on Target: Adventurous Annie Oakley* was released Easter of 2016 and *From Phoebe to Famous: Annie Oakley a Legacy of Giving* is coming early 2017.

This program is free and open to the public. The Peterson Activity Center is located at 2020 West 11th Street, Kearney, NE.

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