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# Casanova releases new editions

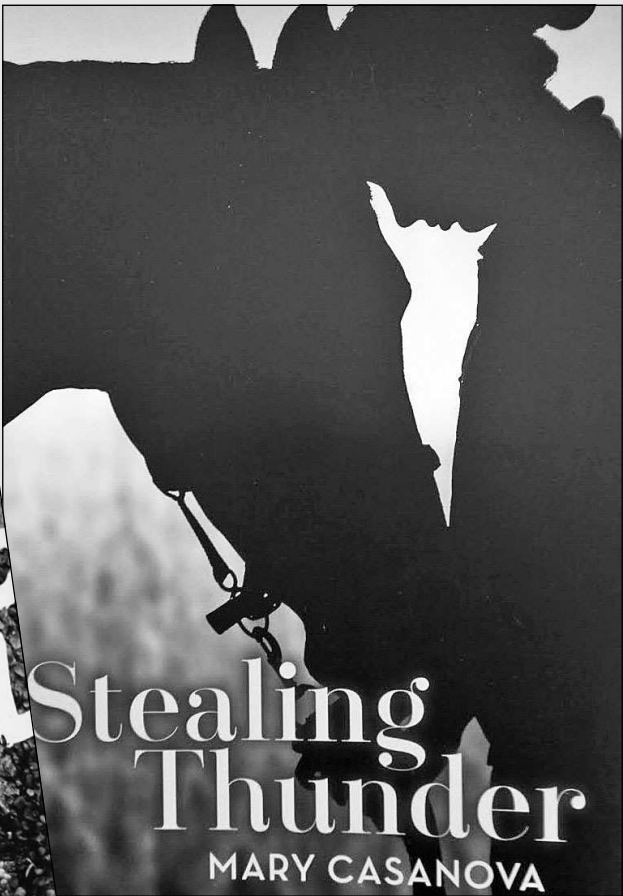
JOURNAL STAFF REPORT

New editions of two young adult novels by Mary Casanova hit shelves this month.

According to a release from Casanova's publisher, University of Minnesota Press, she is the author of more than 30 books, ranging from picture books to young adult novels. The new editions of "Stealing Thunder" and "When Eagles Fall," are available now.

"Stealing Thunder" is a tale of a young girl's desperate attempt to save the horse she loves.

The main character, Libby, wants a horse more than anything in the world, the release said. Since she is unable to have one of her own, she's been doing stable chores for her neighbors in exchange for riding lessons.



a plan to steal Thunder.

"When Eagles Fall" is an adventure story set in a nature setting of the north woods of Minnesota.

According to a release, Alex, a 13-year-old California girl, is sent away by her mother to spend the summer with her father, an esteemed eagle researcher, on Rainy Lake. The bugs, the outhouse, the isolation — it's a whole new world for Alex.

The hardest part of

Alex's exile is dealing with her father, who is sure he knows it all. When he chooses not to save a pair of baby eagles whose nest is in peril, Alex sneaks off to help them anyway.

Her rescue effort goes wrong and one of the eaglets falls out of the nest, breaking a wing. Alex is alone with the helpless eagle facing fear, hunger and a bear. She quickly discovers it will take resources she never knew she had to keep herself and the bird alive.

# Active Streets returns Aug. 13

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City streets will again be the scene of healthy outdoor activities when Active Streets returns to International Falls Aug. 13.

Healthy outdoor activities will include exercise instruction, street hockey, bicycle demonstrations, chalk art, puppet making and more, according to a release.

"This is the third and last of the Active Streets events planned for this summer," said Nancy Lee, public health supervisor at Koochiching County's Public Health and Human Services Department and chair of the organizing committee. "International Falls has joined a number of Minnesota communities that are encouraging healthy outdoor activity for all ages by closing thoroughfares and hosting fun activities."

The intersection of Fourth Street and Ninth Avenue and one block in each direction will be closed to vehicles from 5 to 7 p.m., Lee said.

The event will again coincide with the Backus Community Market which

runs from 4 to 6:30 p.m. and the Concerts in the Park series at the Pete Peterson Bandshell in Smokey Bear Park beginning at 7.

A free dinner will be offered at Backus Community Center in the dining room at 5.

All activities will move inside the Backus Community Center in the event of rain.

"We have had great participation from families with small children," Lee said about the first two events," adding, "At the same time, we want to encourage people of all ages and abilities to join us on Aug. 13."

Active Streets, a project of the Koochiching County Public Health and Human Services Department and Healthy Northland, is made possible through support from the Statewide Health Improvement Program of the Minnesota Department of Health. Additional funding has been provided by the Center for Prevention at Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota.

Anyone interested in presenting an activity Aug. 13 should contact Lee at 283-7070.

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