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Special Free Film Showing of *Beyond the Call*

In coordination with Jackson County Reads 2010, the documentary film *Beyond the Call* will be shown on Wednesday, March 10 from 7:00-8:30 p.m., at the Ashland Branch Library, 410 Siskiyou Boulevard. This movie shows how one person – or perhaps three persons – can make a difference.

Described as a “part Indiana Jones part Mother Teresa” adventure, three middle-aged men, former soldiers and modern-day knights, travel the world delivering life-saving humanitarian aid directly into the hands of civilians and doctors in some of the most dangerous yet beautiful places on Earth, the front lines of war. Their specialty is going where death from land mines, bullets, or bombs is as frequent as death from hunger, disease, or the elements. Their personal convictions and courage drive them to places such as Afghanistan, Albania, Chechnya, Cambodia, Burma, Thailand, Rwanda, and the southern Philippines, often when few other humanitarian aid organizations are present.

The film is unrated and does have some brief, graphic depictions of life and death in war times. It is a movie that is inspiring, showing what people can do who want to help others, and do it.

For questions about this free film showing, please call the Ashland Branch Library at 541-774-6996.



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