



## MEMBER LIBRARY WEEKLY BULLETIN

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### From the Director:

Summer reading has started and is in full swing throughout libraries in all five of our counties. This week I was lucky to attend two great and unique summer reading programs. On Tuesday, I visited the Groton Public Library to see their GrotonCon Kick-off Party. There was face painting, Lego building, balloon sculptures, representatives from Cornell Cooperative Extension, and most of all so many excited children and their families, most in costume. Whether it was a princess or Harry Potter, or even Darth Vader, I saw kids using their imagination for the GrotonCon and excited to be in their library. That day alone, over 100 people signed up for summer reading, which is a fantastic start.

On Thursday I stopped by the Kitty Café with the Tompkins County SPCA at the Tompkins County Public Library. There were seven beautiful kittens looking for their forever homes and children and their families got a chance to visit with the kittens and play with them. A variety of cat crafts, coloring activities and great book displays about cats and taking care of pets complimented the program. It was so nice to see a community collaboration work so well with such a unique program.

Summer is often the busiest time in our libraries and from what I'm already seeing in person and on your library Facebook pages, summer reading programs are off to a great start. Keep up the fantastic work and have a great holiday weekend!

Sarah



## **Reminders:**

### **Reminder: Buk Computer Purchase Order Forms Due Next Week**

Order forms for the 2016 bulk computer order are due next Friday, July 8, 2016. You can view all of the order details and download the order form from our website (<http://www.flls.org/computer-network-services/bulkcomputerpurchase/>). If you are not ordering Dell computers this year, you do not need to fill out the form. If you have plans to order Chromebox devices, please email Eric ([efranks@flls.org](mailto:efranks@flls.org)). Orders for the Chrome devices will begin after the bulk computer order has closed.

### **Construction Grant Portal Now Open**

The Construction Grant Portal is now open! All applications are due by August 31<sup>st</sup>. If you are planning on applying you must have a site visit conducted by Kristi Downham. Appointments are being booked the week of July 11. Email [kdownham@flls.org](mailto:kdownham@flls.org) or 607-273-4074 ext. 228 to make an appointment.

### **2013-2016 Family Literacy Grant Survey Open**

Just a reminder Amanda needs your data for your 3DS and all the other activities from the 2013-2016 Family Literacy Grant! The link to the survey is here: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LKK859M>. She needs this filled out by EVERY LIBRARY no later than the end of the day on **Tuesday, July 12<sup>th</sup>**. Please email Amanda at [aschiavulli@flls.org](mailto:aschiavulli@flls.org) with any questions.

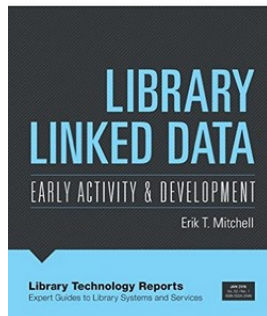
## **System Updates**

### **New to the Professional Collection:**

A.L.AmericanLibraryAssociation

***Library linked data : early activity and development by Erik T. Mitchell***

**Barcode:** A20519091493



You've heard about the promise of Linked Data. But what's happening now? In the past few years, the library, archive, and museum (LAM) communities have developed new tools and standards, published new vocabularies, and explored new use cases and applications all with an eye toward sharing more data and increasing the visibility of their data across the web. As some early projects enter production, some institutions are shedding old systems and historic metadata practices. More fully formed models are emerging, and with them, standards, use cases, and conversion tools that will help your library experiment without starting from scratch. This issue of Library Technology Reports looks at large-scale projects such as BIBFRAME, DPLA, and WorldCat. Describing a trajectory of adoption, Mitchell examines the policies and practices influencing the community.

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# eContent and Databases



Special information session in the Borg Warner Room of the Tompkins County Public Library: Wednesday, July 6, 2016 from 9am-9:30am.

New @ Hoopla



- The Hoopla website: [www.hoopladigital.com](http://www.hoopladigital.com)
- Advertising Materials: <http://library.hoopladigital.com/helpful-links>
- Training: [www.youtube.com/user/hoopladigital](http://www.youtube.com/user/hoopladigital)

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Database Trainings:

[www.flls.org/reference/](http://www.flls.org/reference/)

Hoopla, Zinio and Overdrive Resources:

[www.flls.org/econtent/](http://www.flls.org/econtent/)

[lynda.com](http://lynda.com) is available to **all member library staff in the FLLS area** for free. View [all the courses](#) and to reserve your 'seat' – contact Jessica Brooks at ([jphilippe@scrhc.org](mailto:jphilippe@scrhc.org)). Please include your phone number and library's name. You can take as many courses as you like during your two-week access.

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## Member News



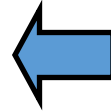
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ovidlibrary Our new library #minecraft display!



Edith B. Ford Memorial  
Library (OVID)'s neat  
Minecraft display!



**The Merry-Go-Round Youth Theater**  
presents

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vs.  
THE HARE:  
REMATCH!**



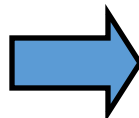
**Saturday July 16th @ 11:00AM**

At Myers Park in Lansing  
(at the toddler play structure)  
**FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

Performers paid for in part  
with a generous grant from



Lansing Community Library  
27 Auburn Road • Lansing • NY  
607-533-4939 • [lansinglibrary.org](http://lansinglibrary.org)



The Lansing Community Library  
has a free event on Saturday,  
July 16th! Check it out:



# Webinars Workshops and Events

## FLLS Events

Sign up here for all FLLS Workshops unless otherwise noted: [www.flls.org/calendar-2/](http://www.flls.org/calendar-2/)

### Whistle While You Work and They'll Poke Your Eyes Out: Conflict Among Coworkers and How to Deal With It

Thursday, July 21, 2016  
9:30am-Noon

### ★ WordPress and Blogging

Thursday, August 4, 2016  
9am-Noon

### ★ FLLS Online Databases: Learning Express, Mango Languages, Heritage Quest, & Tumblebooks

Thursday, August 18, 2016  
9:30am-11:30am

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## Conferences and Socials

### ASLS 2016 Conference

July 14 -15, 2016  
Syracuse, NY  
Registration Now Open

### Volunteers Wanted at the NYS Fair

August 25-September 5  
Information and Sign-up:

### SCLRC Online Book Discussion

Wednesday, July 20  
Noon-1pm  
*La-Rose: A Novel* by Louise Erdrich

### ALSC National Institute Virtual Conference 2016

September 15-17, 2016

### 2016 Library of Congress National Book Festival

Sept. 24  
Walter E. Washington Convention Center in Washington, D.C.,  
**10 a.m. to 10 p.m.** All programs will be free of charge.

## Webinars, Conferences and Other Trainings

Click on the titles for the links to the training pages.

### Libraries and Overtime

Wednesday, July 6  
Fee: \$10

### Trustee Webinars Archived

The State Library is pleased to announce that the recording and slides for the June 2 and June 14 trustee webinars are now available on the State Library's.

### Before Bilingual Storytime: The Outreach Bridge to Engaging Latino and Spanish-speaking Families

Thursday, July 7, 2016 ♦ 3 pm Eastern / 12 pm Pacific ♦ 1 hour

### Coding for Everyone

Tuesday, July 19, 2016 ♦ 3 pm Eastern / 12 pm Pacific ♦ 1 hour

### eLibrary Elementary and Proquest

Webinars being offered July 20-August 17

### Gannet News and NOVELNY

Webinars being offered July 20-August 17

### Improving Communication in Libraries Through Better Visual Design Webinar

Friday, July 22  
10am-11am  
Fee: \$10

### Outcome-Based Evaluation (OBE) training workshop

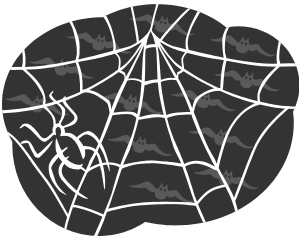
September 22-23

Mid York Library System in Utica, New York  
Register via [email](#) and include "OBE workshop" in the subject line

### What I Wish I Learned in Library School

Friday, October 14, 2016  
9am-4pm  
Pioneer Library System





## **Around the Interwebs**

- **New NLS Documents for the Blind and Physically Handicapped**
  - On the NLS website ([www.loc.gov/nls](http://www.loc.gov/nls)):
  - [\*Accessible Mobile Reading Apps\*](#), 2016
  - [\*Assistive Technology Products for Information Access\*](#), 2016
- **Incarcerated Prisoners to Receive Funds to Attend College**
  - <https://nonprofitquarterly.org/2016/06/29/12000-prisoners-receive-30m-financial-aid-college-classes/>
- **Are You Still a Reader When You Listen to Audiobooks?**
  - <http://www.noshelfrequired.com/are-you-a-reader-when-listening-to-an-audiobook-yes-of-course/>
- **ALA and Libraries Win the Day on Net Neutrality**
  - <https://americanlibrariesmagazine.org/blogs/the-scoop/ala-libraries-win-day-net-neutrality/>
- **Cornell University Pops Cork on Wine Library**
  - <http://lj.libraryjournal.com/2016/06/academic-libraries/cornell-university-pops-cork-on-wine-library/>
- **Is It Harder to Be Transported By a Book As You Get Older?**
  - <http://nyti.ms/1tddwTG>
- **5 Things You Didn't Know Your Library Card Could Do**
  - <http://www.realsimple.com/work-life/entertainment/free-downloads-library-books-music-movies>
- **Google Maps: Keeping Earth up to date and looking great:**
  - <https://maps.googleblog.com/2016/06/keeping-earth-up-to-date-and-looking.html>
- **Mars Explorers Wanted Posters:**
  - <http://mars.nasa.gov/multimedia/resources/mars-posters-explorers-wanted>
- **Lego Simple Drawing Machine:**
  - <http://jkbrickworks.com/simple-drawing-machine/>
- **Court Backs Rules Treating Internet as Utility, Not Luxury:**
  - <http://www.nytimes.com/2016/06/15/technology/net-neutrality-fcc-appeals-court-ruling.html>
- **Human Books**
  - <http://money.cnn.com/2016/07/01/technology/human-libraries/index.html>



# Youth Corner

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## **Storytime Rhyme of the Week**

### **Designs in the Sky**

(Tune: Frere Jacques)

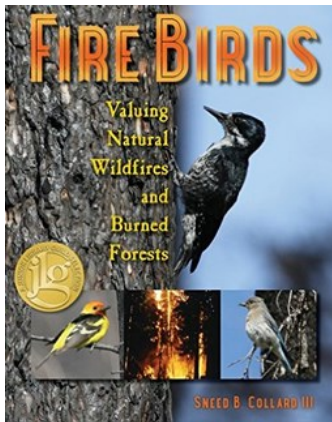
Fourth of July, Fourth of July,  
It is fun, it is fun.  
A picnic in the park,  
And then after dark,  
Designs in the sky, Fourth of July.

Don't forget to visit: <http://daybydayny.org/> for your daily storytime rhyme and activity!

## **Crafts and Fun Stuff:**

- [Last minute 4th of July Fun](#)
- [Supercharged Storytimes](#)
- [Flannel Idea: In the Garden](#)
- [Printable 4th of July Bookmarks](#)

## **YA Book of the Week:**



### ***Fire Birds: Valuing Natural Wildfires and Burned Forests by Sneed Collard***

From School Library Journal

Gr 4–8—Blame it on Smokey the Bear and his "Only you can prevent forest fires!" campaign. We know today that the long-held U.S. Forest Service fire suppression policy led to a build-up of large amounts of dead wood and leaves, which, coupled with warmer temperatures and drier forests, has been responsible for some of the extreme fires witnessed in recent years. Adding to that information are the discoveries made by scientists studying these devastated areas, who have learned that various species flock to them and, in some cases, prefer them. In particular, Collard follows the work of Richard Hutto, a Montana ornithologist, who has been monitoring birds in charred landscapes since 1988. The book is both a look at the benefits of

these potentially dangerous events of nature and an exploration of ecosystems that thrive in their wake. Wood-boring beetles that detect the infrared radiation emitted by fires arrive to lay eggs, and woodpeckers come to feast on the beetle larvae and nest. With a steady supply of food and fewer predators, avian young survive in greater numbers, and so it goes. The author also discusses private vs. public policy in response to forest fires and the questions surrounding the efficacy of salvage logging. Large print, glossy pages, and numerous full-page, up-close color photos of bird species add up to a handsome volume. VERDICT A book that will leave readers asking questions and challenging assumptions—and with a keener appreciation of our environment. A first purchase for most libraries.—Daryl Grabarek, School Library Journal

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## Polaris Tip of the Week

### Series Searching with Browse Search

Open the Find Tool, go to **Cataloging à Bibliographic Records** or press **F12** on the keyboard.

In the **Object** field, select **Bibliographic Records**.

In the **Search by** field, select **Series**.

In the **Type** field, select **Browse**.

Type the series name into the **For** field (Ex. *Harry Potter*) and click on **Search**.

In the results, the series number will be displayed next to the title. Double clicking on a specific Heading (Ex. *Harry Potter ; 5*) will display all of the Series Headings.

Heading	Count
Harry Houdini mysteries ; 2	1
Harry Houndini mysteries ; 1	1
Harry Potter	5
Harry Potter ; 1	20
Harry Potter ; 2	22
Harry Potter ; 3	19
Harry Potter ; 4	13
Harry Potter ; 5	14
Harry Potter ; 6	10
Harry Potter ; 7	15
Harry series.	7
Harry Tate thriller ; 2	1
Harry Tate thriller ; 3.	1
Harry Tate thrillers ; 5	1

Double clicking on a Series Heading (Ex. *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix - Large Type*) will bring you to the BIB record. You can also right click on a Series Heading and go to **Links à All Item Records** to view specific item records.

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Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	Rowling, J. K.	Large ...	3	0	2003		1...
Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	Rowling, J. K.	Book	1	0	2003	j843/.914	1...
Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	Rowling, J. K.	Audio...	16	2	2003		1...
Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	Rowling, J. K.	Book	58	0	2003	Rowling	3...
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Don't forget about the training videos: [www.fils.org/computer-network-services/](http://www.fils.org/computer-network-services/)

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# Awards and Grants

Click on the titles for the links to the grant pages.



## Program Supports Alternative Education for Youth

**Deadline: July 6, 2016**

## Grants Encourage Family Literacy: Wish You Well Foundation

Requests may be submitted at any time and are reviewed four times per year. Visit the Foundation's website to submit an online Donation Request Form.

## Joseph Shubert Library Excellence Award

**Deadline: August 1, 2016**

The Award will recognize a New York State library or library consortium that has taken significant steps to improve the quality of library service to its users. An award of \$1,000 will be given to the winner along with a plaque at the annual NYLA conference in the Fall.

## Funding Opportunity for Small, Rural and Tribal Libraries

**Through Aug. 1st**, small, rural and tribal library staff can apply to be a part of a cohort of learners and doers who will create college and career readiness (CCR) services for the middle schoolers in their community.

## American Honda Foundation

The Foundation's primary funding priority is youth education, specifically in the areas of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics; the environment; job training; and literacy. Grants range from \$20,000 to \$75,000.

**Deadline: August 1, 2016.**

Visit: <http://www.flis.org/grants/> for more grant resources.

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## Question of the Week

### **LAST WEEK'S QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

**"Love Conquers Hate" is the motto of what civil rights organization?**

Human Rights Campaign

<http://www.hrc.org/>

There is not a database article on HRC, but here is an article on Human Rights:  
Pascoe, Elaine. "Human Rights." *The New Book of Knowledge*. Grolier Online <http://nbk.grolier.com/ncpage?tn=/encyc/article.html&id=a2014030-h&type=0ta> (accessed July 1, 2016).

### **THIS WEEK'S QUESTION OF THE WEEK:**

**Is there a 4th of July in England?**

To answer a Question of the Week, please email Amanda ([aschiavulli@flis.org](mailto:aschiavulli@flis.org)) with "Question of the Week" in the **Subject**. Please include your source.

**\*\*Prizes are available for correct answers using one of our databases\*\***