

MEMBER LIBRARY WEEKLY BULLETIN

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From the Director:

The New York State Library requires us to complete a new five-year Plan of Service by October

1st. This is the perfect opportunity to hear from you what we are doing right, and where we need improvement. It is also a chance to hear from our member libraries about new services you would like to see FLLS provide.

Over the next two months, FLLS will be conducting five focus groups for each of the five counties we serve. Our first focus group takes place next Tuesday, July 12th in Ovid for the Seneca County libraries. During the course of the focus groups, we will be asking questions such as: How do you feel most engaged to FLLS? How can FLLS enhance collaboration? What would member libraries see and experience in a transformed FLLS? In addition to in-person focus groups, I will also be sending out a survey in the next few weeks for library staff and trustees who would like to share their opinions. I look forward to hearing from you and planning for our future.

Sarah





Beware of Copyright This Summer!

Remember, the word Olympics is under copyright! Before you advertise your summer programs, double check <u>http://www.teamusa.org/Brand-Usage-Guidelines</u> to make sure you are not violating their copyright! As Amanda mentioned earlier this summer, there was an error in this year's Summer Reading Manual. More information is here: : <u>http://shopcslp.com/cslp/pages/webinars</u>.

Construction Grant Portal Now Open

The Construction Grant Portal is now open! All applications are due by August 31st. 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 <u>kdownham@flls.org</u> 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: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LKK859M</u> She needs this filled out by EVERY LIBRARY no later than the end of the day on **Tuesday**, **July 12**th. Please email Amanda at <u>aschiavulli@fils.org</u> with any questions.

System Updates

New to the Professional Collection:



Copyright : interpreting the law for libraries, archives and information services by Graham Cornish

Barcode: A20519091338

Cornish's Copyright is the standard work in its field and is indispensable for all librarians and information professionals and who are looking for solutions to their copyright problems. The book explains the provisions of the UK Copyright Act and supporting legislation in quick and easy question-and-answer form. This latest edition is revised and expanded in the light of new legislation which came into force in 2014/5 and some decisions by the courts which have changed our understanding of what the law means. Areas such as moral rights, originality, databases, and the use of broadcast material in education all receive detailed attention, along with Wikipedia, Creative Commons and Open Archives. Copyright is also considered in the context of social media. All types of material that may attract copyright are considered, including: * literary, dramatic and musical works * artistic works * sound recordings * films and video * broadcast * databases * computer programs and websites. The text is amplified by the use of practical examples to illustrate complex points and complemented by a detailed

index that enables the enquirer to pinpoint topics and proposed action quickly and accurately. The appendices provide helpful lists of addresses and selected further sources of information. Readership: This book will be invaluable for all librarians, information professionals and students who are looking for solutions to their copyright problems.

eContent and Databases





New @ Hoopla Browse some great Disney Comics! <u>https://www.hoopladigital.com/</u> <u>collections/1593</u>



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

Tech Talk with Zinio Magazines



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



Member Library Spotlight!

News, Posts, Programs and More! Have something special to share? Submit your news weekly by 4pm on Thursdays to Amanda at <u>aschiavulli@flls.org.</u>



AT THE WAVERLY FREE LIBRARY!

2016 SUMMER READING EVENTS

July 13 – Magician David Black, 6 pm, Village Hall

July 26 – Bubblemania!, 6:30 pm, Village Hall

July 27 – Story Hour with Maureen Wright, 10 am, Library

Aug. 3 – GameTruck @ the Library, 6 pm

Aug. 10 – Dan the Snake Man, 6:30 pm, Muldoon Park

All events are open to the public. GameTruck will be open to library cardholders only from 5-6 pm on Aug. 3.

For more information, contact the library at 607-565-9341 or visit waverlyfreelibrary.org



Funded in part by a grant from the BOOKS program.

Construction is underway at the new site of the Lodi Whittier Library! Check out the progress on their <u>Facebook Page!</u>



Waverly Free Library's Summer Lineup! Checkout more on Facebook!

<u>Webinars Workshops and Events</u>



FLLS Events

Sign up here for all FLLS Workshops unless otherwise noted: 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

Conferences and Socials

ASLS 2016 Conference

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

SLUSH (Savvy Librarians Unite for Social Hour)

Thursday, July 21 5pm Bar Argos is located within the Argos Inn in downtown Ithaca at 408 E. Martin Luther King, Jr. Street Ithaca, NY 14850

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.

Webjunction's July Catalog is Up https://www.webiunction.org/find-training/freeevents.html

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

New York Arts and Cultural Organizations Training

-Finger Lakes October 20 & 21, 2016 Tompkins County Public Library, Ithaca, NY





Around the Interwebs

- Capital Region Public Libraries Support Alternatives for Driving
 - <u>https://clrc.org/this-weeks-sustainability-spotlight-5/</u>
- Google Computer Science First Kids Club @ Queens Library
 - <u>http://www.slj.com/2016/06/technology/queens-library-steps-forward-with-google-computer-science-first-kid-club/#_</u>
- Little Free Library Problems
 - http://www.alternet.org/culture/free-library-made-me-hate-books-and-neighbors
- NASA's Juno Spacecraft Is Now Orbiting Jupiter:
 - <u>http://news.nationalgeographic.com/2016/07/nasa-juno-mission-jupiter-arrives-orbit-planets-space/</u>
- California Drought Causing Trees to Die by the 'Million's,' Scientist Says:
 - <u>http://abcnews.go.com/US/california-drought-causing-trees-die-millions-scientist/</u> story?id=40317017
- NPR Summer Reading List
 - <u>http://www.wbur.org/hereandnow/2016/07/06/summer-reading-lists</u>
- Feeling Helpless? Go to the Library!
 - <u>https://medium.com/@colinwhitehurst/feeling-helpless-go-to-the-library-48d20677b032#.bmiyrcbyv</u>
- Spotify will Make a Playlist When You're out of the office
 - https://www.engadget.com/2016/07/07/spotify-out-of-office-playlist-message/
- Educational Websites for the Summer
 - <u>http://www.freetech4teachers.com/2016/07/must-read-educational-sites-for-summer.html#.V3_BkKLYEQs</u>
- Boston Public Library's 78Mil Renovations
 - http://www.wbur.org/artery/2016/07/08/boston-public-library-renovations
- Paramount is Making a Clifford Movie
 - <u>https://www.yahoo.com/movies/clifford-big-red-dog-movie-moves-paramount-</u> 204932894.html
- ALA report provides practical advice about adopting 3D printers in libraries:
 - <u>http://www.ala.org/news/press-releases/2016/05/ala-report-provides-practical-advice-about-adopting-3d-printers-libraries</u>

Youth Corner

Storytime Rhyme of the Week

My Big Blue Boat

I love to row in my big blue boat, My big blue boat, my big blue boat I love to row in my big blue boat Out on the deep blue sea My big blue boat has two red sails (wave arms over head like sails) Two red sails, two red sails My big blue boat has two red sails Out on the deep blue sea So come for a row in my big blue boat My big blue boat, my big blue boat So come for a row in a big blue boat Out on the deep blue sea

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

Crafts and Fun Stuff:

- Summer Mad Libs
- Popsicle Stick Frog
- <u>Busy Pages Activity</u>
 <u>Sheets</u>
- <u>Cardboard Tube</u>
 <u>Jellyfish</u>
- Sidewalk Chalk Fun
- Ladybug Rocks



YA Book of the Week:



Samurai rising: The Epic Life of Minamoto Yoshitsune by Pamela Turner

From School Library Journal

Gr 7 Up—Minamoto no Yoshitsune, the 12th-century Heian hero who defeated the rival Taira clan only to be undone by another member of the Minamoto group, is a samurai legend. His rise from obscurity, reckless brilliance in battle, and gruesome end (which helped establish seppuku as part of the warrior code) are irresistible features of a life that ended at age 30. A near-contemporary chronicle, Heike monogatari, and a nemesis's history, Azuma kagami, reporting Yoshitsune's deeds were too thin for the popular imagination, which immediately began embroidering on the sources. Turner unpicks some of the yarn but brightens the colors of what remains so that Yoshitsune, physically a small man, leaps from the pages, larger than life and twice as active. Everyone dies—violently—but the famous ends of Atsumori, Antoku, Kiyomori, and others are moving rather than grim. The text rips along, skillfully engaging teens in many swift turns of events. Historical and cultural references are impressively accurate, and Hinds's fluid brush-and-ink drawings and battle maps add useful detail. Although Turner often

uses the word probably, the compelling narrative never strains credulity, and expert tricks help readers navigate Japanese names and sort out relationships. Students will find the 60 pages of endnotes equally fascinating and lively; a seven-page bibliography attests to the serious research behind the vivid (but never simplistic) writing. VERDICT Japanophiles, action lovers, and future historians will all find this book gripping. —Patricia D. Lothrop, St. George's School, Newport, RI

Polaris Tip of the Week



Paying a Fine from Check Out

If the patron wants to pay the fine at checkout, click on the patron **Account** button while you are in the check out screen. You will notice that these options are greyed out until a patron is selected.



The Patron Status screen will display, opened to the patron Account.

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To pay a specific fine, click on the fine and then the **PAY** icon. To pay all fines, click on the **PAY ALL** icon. You may also choose to waive fines, depending on your library's policies.



Select the method of payment, add a note if needed, and click **OK**.



NEW! Polaris documentation is now online! Click <u>here</u> to login and view! Contact Jenny or Eric if you need the login information. Check out the training videos <u>here</u>!



Awards and Grants

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

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.**

Kids Run The Nation Fund

In 2016, a total of \$30,000 will be awarded as small grants ranging from \$500 to \$1,000. Running clubs, events, or other organizations with the IRS 501(c)(3) designation are eligible to apply. The application period will open **August 1, 2016 and close October 1, 2016.**

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

Question of the Week

LAST WEEK'S QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

Is there a 4th of July in England?

Yes, there's a 4th of July in every country. Of course they don't treat it as a holiday as citizens of the United States do, but that's not what was asked.

From: https://riddlesbrainteasers.com/fourth-july-england/

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

This finance oriented daily newspaper was founded on July 8, 1889 and published by Dow Jones and Company and is still running today. What is the name of the newspaper?

To answer a Question of the Week, please email Amanda (aschiavulli@flls.org) with "Question of the Week" in the Subject. Please include your source.

Prizes are available for correct answers using one of our databases