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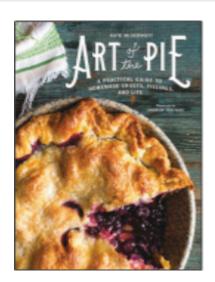
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OverDrive: Big Library Read

Another Big Library Read is March 16-30th! Big Library Read is an OverDrive-facilitated reading program that connects millions of readers around the world with the same eBook at the same time without any wait lists or holds. This round's book is Art of the Pie by Kate McDermott. Read more about the program, the book, and its author

here.





Join the PLSR Survey Panel Make sure your voice is heard!

The next phase of the <u>PLSR project</u> is underway, and getting feedback from libraries will be critical. If you join the panel, you'll receive surveys from the workgroups, topic teams, and project managers. Respond to all of them or only respond to some. It'll be up to you, unsubscribe from the panel at any time! <u>Sign up</u>

PLSR Steering Committee Webinar Meeting Monday March 13 @ 11am

The PLSR Steering Committee will meet on Monday to discuss the WAPL PLSR evening event and regular business. The meeting is open to the public. Join the meeting on your computer. You can also dial in using your phone. United States: +1 (646) 749-3112 Access Code: 376-424-557

Dates KnowTo

Webinars are made possible through a WVLS/NLFS Partnership.

Play to your Strengths

Webinar, March 16 @ 1pm Do you have the opportunity to focus on what you are good at each day? Or is most of your time spent on improving things you are not good at? Registration information.

Powerup! Teen Leadership in your Library and Beyond

Webinar, March 23 @ 1pm Inspire teens to become involved in your library community. Hear how one library engaged teens in public art projects, citywide leadership conferences, and brought late-night laser tag to their community. Registration information.

RESCHEDULED WVLS Listening

Session: Greenwood

Meeting, March 30 @10-12noon. No registration required. Send RSVPs to Anne Hamland

comm.coordinator@wvls.org



Programs In WVLS Libraries





Visitors at the <u>Minocqua Public Library</u> were invited to make their own <u>Number 2</u> <u>Pencil</u> and add on to the <u>Community Crochet</u> passive programming project.

Resources You Should Know About



Webinar: Innovative Customer Support Update Webinar March 21, 2017

Innovative's Services and Customer Support and Support Services teams will review recent and planned upgrades to Customer Support tools. In this session Innovative will provide you with helpful tips on getting the most from your customer support experience and will review the range of materials and services that are available to help ensure you and your teams are trained on the latest features and fully equipped to get the most from your Innovative products. Registration and description.



Design and Infographic Resources

WVLS generated an infographic created in Microsoft Publisher for <u>each WVLS</u> <u>member library</u> using 2016 Annual Report numbers. Please feel free to use the files (with or without edits) or use the infographic as inspiration to create your library's own infographic. You know your community best.

Design Basics and Infographic Resources.

Upcoming Conferences

WAPL: Sky's the Limit April 26-28, Stevens Point
WI Association of Public Libraries
SSCS One-Day Conference May 25, Fort Atkinson
Support Staff and Circulation Services
ALA Annual Conference June 22-27, Chicago, IL
American Library Association Conference will be in our backyard!







We'd love to hear from you!

Comments or questions? Is there something awesome happening at your library? Email Anne Hamland at comm.coordinator@wvls.org.







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