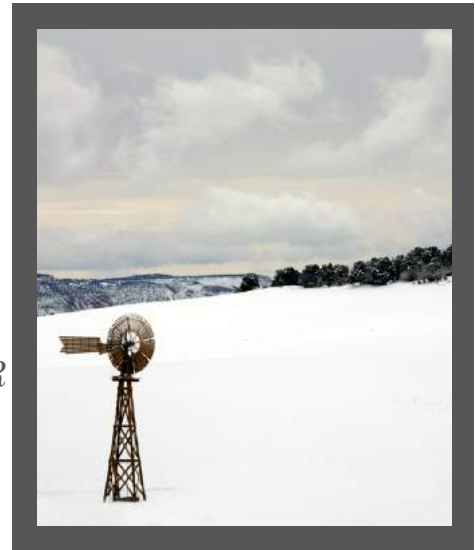


PLAIN SPEAKING

CENTRAL PLAINS LIBRARY SYSTEM NEWSLETTER

Educate | Connect | Inspire



Last Call!

The Central Plains Library System had a terrific year in 2021. One of the best projects we supported was the Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead initiative. Over the last twelve months we offered over 40 different STEAM projects for people of all ages. We distributed nearly 10,000 individual kits. Thirty-seven libraries of all types participated by requesting STEAM kits from the System Office. We have completed our year-long program, but we still have a variety of materials in our office. In order to make the best use of the left-overs, we have split them up into bundles of 12-15 kits of each project.

Our selection is very limited and requests will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. You may see the project instructions on the [System's website](#). If you are interested in supplies for any of the following projects, please let us know as soon as possible.

- Rubber Band-Powered Helicopter
- String and Bead Puzzle
- CD Spinning Tops
- Straw Pan Flutes
- Pinwheels and Twirligigs
- Harry Potter Wand
- Nerf Gun Math
- Bow and Arrow
- Bristlebot Robot
- Paper Circuits
- Pneumatic Machines
- Olympic Rings Graph (Winter Games start soon!)
- DIY Smart Phone Projector
- Rubber Band-Powered CD Car
- Tie Dye Coffee Filter Art

Our preschool story time workshop “Stepping Stones to S.T.E.A.M.” is in Cozad on February 10. Registration information is on the next page.

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Stepping Stones to **S.T.E.A.M.**

The library is the perfect place for naturally curious children to explore the world around them.

Preschoolers can lay the foundation for science learning in the K–12 setting and beyond by learning to focus, increasing their vocabulary, and collaborating with others.

Preschool S.T.E.A.M. story times and activities can be simple to prepare and host. Attend this workshop to share what you are already doing with other librarians and learn new strategies to offer S.T.E.A.M. activities to your youngest patrons.

Thursday, February 10th, 2022

1pm – 4pm

Wilson Public Library

910 Meridian Ave.

Cozad, NE 69130

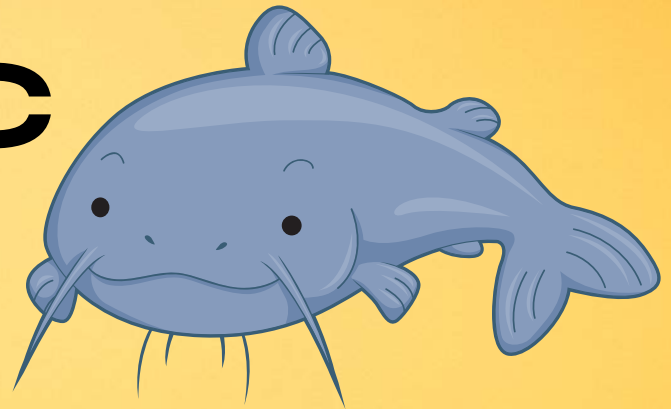
3 CE's earned for each participant

Register: <https://forms.gle/iHBaUiHqY6vgj9ms7>

This activity is supported in part with funding from the State of Nebraska and from the Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provision of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Nebraska Library Commission.

Central Plains Library System Proudly Presents:

Aquatic WILD



Building off the Summer Reading Workshop, Grace Gaard of Nebraska Game and Parks will be conducting a workshop called Aquatic WILD on March 8th. The Aquatic WILD workshop is designed to provide further resources for those ages K-12. Aquatic WILD is an award-winning curriculum guide that focuses on aquatic habitats including rivers, lakes, oceans and wetlands. Lessons are interdisciplinary and promote critical thinking in areas such as life cycles, habitats, wildlife populations, biodiversity, land management and human-wildlife interactions.

While we will record the workshop and make it available to all registrants, Nebraska Game and Parks has specified that **ONLY THOSE ATTENDING ON THE DAY OF THE PROGRAM** will receive the curriculum guide.

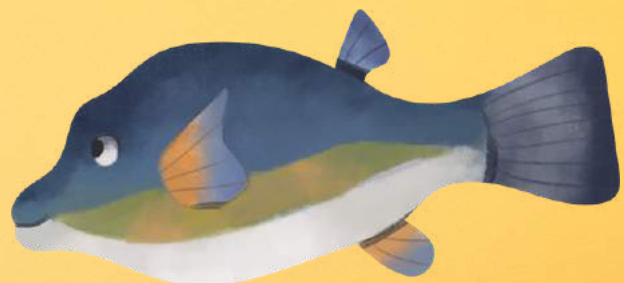


TUESDAY, MARCH 8TH

10am - 12:30pm via Zoom

2.5 CE Hours

[REGISTER HERE](#)



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OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES Summer Reading 2022



Join us for A WHALE OF A GOOD TIME at the 2022 Summer Reading Program, "Oceans of Possibilities!" Come hear all about the underwater adventures kids can read about from Sally Snyder, hear how Nebraska Game & Parks can help you with your program this summer, and explore all the crafts Jody Crocker has dreamed up for your aquatic quests!

To be able to be socially distant and accomodate everyone, we are offering attendees their choice of attending either virtually or at one of our two in-person locations. Each location will be limited in size so be sure to get registered as soon as possible.



Thursday, March 10th (McCook)

***limit of 40 people*

- Registration begins at 9:30am with workshop running from 10am - 3:30pm.
- Cost is \$10 per person (mailed to the System office or paid at the door).
- Lunch will be provided for in-person attendees.
- 5 CE's will be given to each attendee.

Register Here: <https://forms.gle/NDiGgDNACkx7gFAC8>

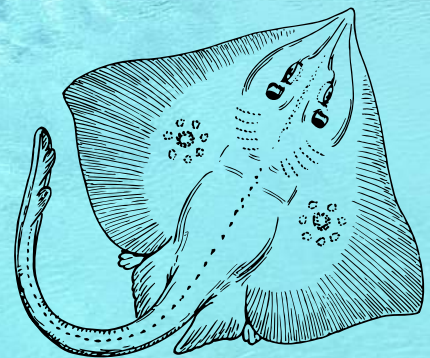
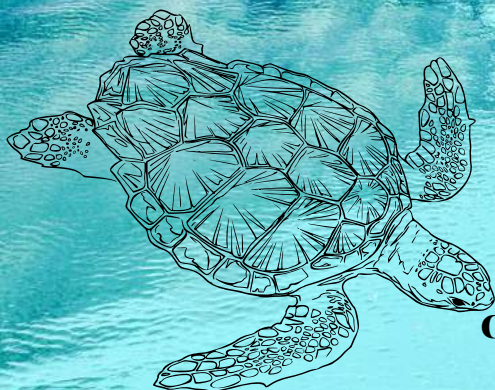


Nebraska 4-H STEM Reading Connections Workshop

The team at the UNL Extension Office will help you develop children and youth's love for STEM through imagination guides. This workshop will provide you with books, guided questions, and expanded learning resources to support literacy development, enhance relationships, and make a connection with your library. Resources provide engaging learning opportunities to spark an interest in STEM concepts and 4-H.

Following this year's Summer Reading theme "Oceans of Possibilities", the imagination guides will include the following:

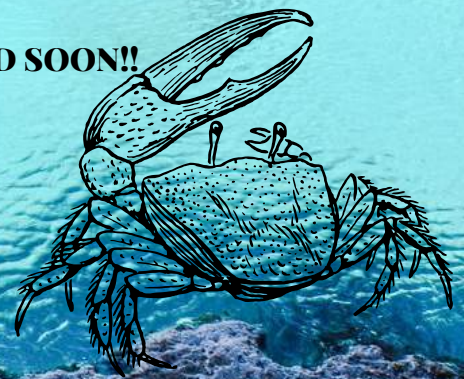
Conversation Starters
STEM Connections
Related Readings
Story Extensions
Sensory
Music & Movement
Creative Arts
Complimentary Family Fun Guide



WATCH FOR THE DATE TO BE RELEASED SOON!!

2 CE HOURS EARNED

[REGISTER HERE](#)



N Nebraska Extension
THE LEARNING CHILD

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Big Talk From Small Libraries 2022

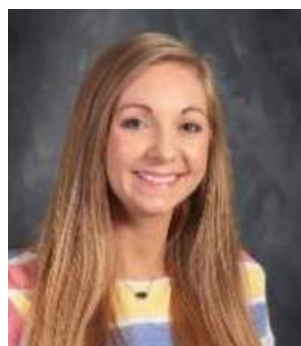
This free one-day online conference is aimed at librarians from small libraries; the smaller the better! **Big Talk From Small Libraries 2022** will be held on **Friday, February 25, 2022** between **8:45 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. (CT)** via the GoToWebinar online meeting service. More details about the conference can be found at <http://nlcblogs.nebraska.gov/bigtalk/>

SPEAKER HIGHLIGHTS

Leah Fitzgerald, Instruction and Outreach Librarian, Southworth Library, SUNY Canton, Canton, NY (FTE: 3,205)

“We are Left Out!”: An Example on How to Engage Virtual and On Campus Students Equally

Leah Fitzgerald is the Instruction and Outreach Librarian from SUNY Canton. After earning her MLS in 2019 from Texas Woman’s University, Ms. Fitzgerald held positions at Mohawk Valley Community College and SUNY Morrisville as a Reference Librarian. Her interests include accessibility for remote learning and gamification in information literacy.



Sarah Jefferson, Library Media Specialist, Flippin High School Library, Flippin, AR (FTE: 350)

Genrefying the Small School Library

Sarah Jefferson is a lifelong bibliophile and has known even from a young age that she wanted to be a librarian. She spent her first seven years in education teaching second grade, where her greatest joy was fostering a love of reading in her students. Since receiving her graduate degree from the University of Central Arkansas in 2016, she has been living the dream as the Library Media Specialist at Flippin High School.

Emily Morrison, Library Associate, Blair Public Library and Technology Center, Blair, NE (Population served: 10,000)

Finding the Gold in the Garbage: Adventures in re-organizing a genealogy room

Emily Morrison serves as a part-time Library Associate at the Blair Public Library and Technology Center located in Blair, Nebraska. She began pursuing a career in librarianship in college, working as a page at the Omaha Public Library’s Millard Branch and a student worker at Wayne State College’s Conn Library. After earning a B.S. in History, she started working towards her Master of Library and Information Science degree from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and is set to graduate in May 2022. Along with her interest in special collections, she has a passion for public libraries, access, and intellectual freedom.

Allie Stevens, Director, Calhoun County Library, Hampton, AR (Population served: 5,000)

Crystal Queer: Creating Clearly Supportive and Inclusive Libraries for Communities of All Sizes

Allie Stevens is the Director of the Calhoun County Library, a very small, rural library in southern Arkansas. Allie founded a Facebook group called Tiny Library Think Tank to connect librarians in other very rural areas, was a member of the 2018 ALA Emerging Leaders class, and is currently one of 22 librarians participating in the inaugural Rural Library Fellowship program. Allie is on Twitter (@alphabeticallie), and can also be reached at allie@calcolibrary.com.



CPLS SYSTEM NEWS WE CAN ALL USE:

North Platte Director Retiring

27 Years
of service

Endless Hours of Scheduling
Countless Books Shelved
Lots of Inquiries Answered
Numerous Hours of Research
Budgets and Statistical Reports Prepared
EVERLASTING FRIENDSHIPS
So Many Readers' Lives Changed Forever
A Reader, A Mentor, A Friend

Ready to enjoy her next chapter



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Please join us for a retirement celebration
in honor of

Cecelia Lawrence

Thursday, February 3, 2022
4:00 to 6:00 pm
North Platte Public Library

Share in the joy of the culmination of 27 years
of hard work and dedication with an afternoon
of music, refreshments, and conversation.

Shelton Township Library Receives Bronze Accreditation!

Congratulations to the Shelton Township Library for becoming accredited for the very first time! Accreditation requires lots of hard work since it: establishes minimum standards for library service, ensures that libraries adhere to certain standards, offers libraries benchmarks, as well as offers libraries evidence that certain expenditures, services, and practices are needed and expected. Excellent job, Director Tony Crouse!

LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT GRANT - 2022



YOUTH SERVICES GRANT - 2022

The Nebraska Library Commission awarded Library Improvement Grants to legally-established public libraries, tribal libraries, and institutional libraries in Nebraska, through a competitive grant process. The purpose of the Library Improvement Grants is to facilitate growth and development of library programs and services in Nebraska public and institutional libraries, by supplementing local funding with federal funds designated for these purposes. The 2022 funding was provided from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), the federal stimulus bill passed by Congress, as administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS).

Library Improvement Grants Awarded to CPLS Libraries:

- Ainsworth Public Library
- Arapahoe Public Library
- Atkinson Public Library
- Auld Doudna Public Library (Guide Rock)
- Auld Public Library (Red Cloud)
- Blue Hill Public Library
- Broken Bow Public Library
- Butler Memorial Library (Cambridge)
- CB Preston Memorial Library (Orleans)
- Franklin Public Library
- Grand Island Public Library
- Hastings Public Library
- Hoesch Memorial Library (Alma)
- Indianola Public Library
- Klyte Burt Memorial Library (Curtis)
- Lexington Public Library
- Logan County Library (Stapleton)
- Loup City Public Library
- North Platte Public Library
- Ord Public Library
- Ravenna Public Library
- Rock County Public Library (Bassett)
- Sargent Township Library
- Scotia Public Library & Heritage Center
- Shelton Public Library
- Sutherland Public Library
- Valentine Public Library
- Wilson Public Library (Cozad)

The Nebraska Library Commission awarded Youth Grants for Excellence for innovative projects for children and young adults in legally established public libraries, tribal libraries, and institutional libraries in Nebraska, through a competitive grant process. The program is designed to encourage creative thinking, risk-taking, and new approaches to address problems and needs of children and young adults in your community. The 2022 funding was provided from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), the federal stimulus bill passed by Congress, as administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS).

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- Elm Creek Public Library
- Franklin Public Library
- Grand Island Public Library
- Hastings Public Library
- Hildreth Public Library
- Hoesch Memorial Public Library (Alma)
- Holdrege Area Public Library
- Indianola Public Library
- Jensen Memorial Library (Minden)
- Klyte Burt Memorial Library (Curtis)
- Loup City Public Library
- McCook City Library
- Ravenna Public Library
- Sargent Township Library
- Scotia Public Library & Heritage Center
- Shelton Public Library
- Sutherland Public Library



\$34,040 in Internship Grants Awarded to Nebraska Public Libraries

The Nebraska Library Commission recently awarded Nebraska Library Internship Grants totaling \$34,040 to thirty Nebraska public libraries. These internship grants will support public library interns who will contribute to the scope and value of the diverse programs in Nebraska's public libraries.

“The internships are a great opportunity for students to get involved in library work. Beyond earning money and gaining valuable work experience, the student is exposed to the broad range of library services and programming. Internships provide an opportunity for the student to view the library as a viable and satisfying career choice. In addition, interns bring a fresh perspective and their own unique talents to the library,” said Nebraska Library Commission Director Rod Wagner.

Student interns will learn about library work as they shadow staff, assist with day-to-day library operations, and implement special projects.

The following Central Plains Library System members were awarded 2022 internship grant funding:

**Atkinson Public Library
Axtell Public Library
Rock County Public Library, Bassett
Franklin Public Library
Loup City Library
Jensen Memorial Library, Minden
Cordelia B Preston Memorial Library, Orleans
Shelton Public Library**

Funding for the project is supported and administered by the Nebraska Library Commission, in partnership with the Nebraska Library Systems.



FOUR STAR LIBRARIES SELECTED

THIS IS THE 14TH YEAR IN WHICH THE LIBRARY JOURNAL HAS SCORED U.S. PUBLIC LIBRARIES ON THE LJ INDEX OF PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICE AND AWARDED STAR LIBRARY RATINGS. WE ARE HONORED TO HAVE FOUR LIBRARIES IN OUR SYSTEM THAT WERE LISTED AS AMERICA'S STAR LIBRARIES:

**ATKINSON PUBLIC LIBRARY
MCCOOK CITY LIBRARY
RAVENNA PUBLIC LIBRARY
ST. PAUL PUBLIC LIBRARY**

SUMMER READING FUN!



BOGGS BALLOONS

Meet Your Balloon Twistologist!



Ethan Boggs is an eighth grade student from Seward, Nebraska. When he was ten years old he found a [balloon twisting book](#) at the public library and taught himself how to make balloon animals using the instructions in the book! Each year he has added more designs to his repertoire and he can now make a wide variety of creations. Ethan's laid back style and fun personality put his audience at ease and keep them entertained while he is twisting. Ethan has experience twisting balloons for libraries, churches, birthday parties and other events.

<http://www.boggsballoons.com/>

Central Plains Library System has made arrangements to have Ethan share his balloon twisting creations with our smaller libraries all around the System! Our goal is to have Ethan visit libraries who rarely, if ever, have a live performer come to their summer reading programs! Ethan will be visiting libraries during the week of **JUNE 13th - 18th**.

If you do not have a live presenter scheduled already for this summer, please fill in the following information and return to Autumn either in person or at autumnc.pls@gmail.com.

Yes, I would love to have Ethan come to my library!

NAME OF MY LIBRARY:

DAYS MY LIBRARY IS OPEN

HOURS MY LIBRARY IS OPEN

MONDAY: _____

TUESDAY: _____

WEDNESDAY: _____

THURSDAY: _____

FRIDAY: _____

SATURDAY: _____

Puppet Orders Due



We will be doing a group purchase of Folkmanis puppets again this year. If you are interested in getting any of these amazing puppets to include in your story time or virtual programming related to this summer's theme, Oceans of Possibilities, now is the time to order them so you get the best discount. Puppets will be ½ of the price listed on the website. The company does require 15% of the final cost as a handling fee on all orders.

Central Plains Library System will cover the shipping.



Orders are due APRIL 15, 2022.

Please email your orders to: cplsasst@gmail.com

Summer Reading Supplies

If you love all the dies we have that coordinate with our Summer Reading theme and want to incorporate them in your displays, crafts, and programs, be sure to get your order in by **MAY 13, 2022**. Remember, CPLS will supply the die cuts for you in either colored paper, card stock, or craft foam.

One of the featured projects is the Craft Stick Angel Fish. The System will send you all the necessary supplies to include this craft during your Summer Reading Program. Just let us know how many you want.



**Central Plains Library System
Virtual Board Meeting
January 14, 2022
11:00 a.m.**

Present: Board Members: Tony Anderson, Doris Brandon, Jody Crocker, Jamie Dennis, Terri Eberly, Terri Johnson, Lori Long, Linda Nickel, Matthew Williams

Absent: Sherri Dux-Ideus, Janene Hill, Shelley Ruterbories

Other Attendees: Denise Harders, Autumn Carlson, Christa Porter

Call to order/Roll Call: President, Terri Johnson called the meeting to order at 11:03 a.m. Roll call was taken.

Approval of Minutes: Linda Nickels made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 8, 2021, meeting. Tony Anderson seconded the motion. The minutes were approved as circulated in the meeting packet.

Financial Reports: Denise Harders reviewed the financial report. Denise gave an explanation of the entry and correcting entry on payment to accountant. Matt Williams made a motion to approve the financial report. Doris Brandon seconded the motion. The financial reports were approved as circulated in the meeting packet.

Correspondence: Denise Harders read correspondence received

- Keri Anderson-thank you for scholarship to attend ARSL Conference in Reno
- Debby Moninger, Arnold Public Schools-thank you for STEAM projects
- Robbie Snyder, GI Northwest affiliate at St. Libory-thank you for STEAM activities
- Tammi Thiem, Three Rivers Library System-Merry Christmas and thank-you for help and support in her position
- Maggie Berndt-Thank you for partnership with Nebraska Public Media
- North Platte Library/Atkinson Library-Merry Christmas

Director's Report: Denise gave a recap of the report found in the board meeting packets. Highlights: MakerSpace equipment was circulated, STEAM kits (2291) were mailed out during the quarter. CPLS also hosted a variety of ZOOM workshops. In addition, Denise assisted several libraries with the ARPA grants. Winner of the Kawaii Doodle Cuties book-Ravenna Public Library. Four libraries in the CPLS were listed on Library Journal's Star Libraries list: Atkinson Public Library, McCook City Library, Ravenna Public Library and St. Paul Public Library. Shelton Township Library also received bronze accreditation. The system vehicle was damaged in the December 2021 hailstorm and will be going in for repairs in February.

Old Business:

- ARPA Formula Grants Report: 84% of libraries eligible for the grant have completed applications. Deadline for applications is January 14, 2022.
- Social Media for Board Information: Jamie Dennis gave an informative presentation on FaceBook Group. It would be a platform for sharing information and discussions regarding board business. At this time, the idea was tabled.

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New Business:

- **Full STEAM Ahead 2021 Final Report:** The program was a success with 37 libraries using the program. 41 activities were provided with about 10,000 kits distributed. Denise is looking for a new project that will be centered around MakerSpaces.
- **ARPA Funds:** Ethan Boggs from Seward is a balloon artist and interested in being Summer Reading Performer to travel around the system. Denise is open to other ideas.

Upcoming System Programs:

- SRP in person and virtual, January 26 at Broken Bow Library
- Stepping Stones in STEAM, February 10 at Cozad Library earn 3 CEs. STEAM activity books will be given away in a drawing.
- Bison Days, February 15 at McCook, Denise will be presenting Cricut based hobbies/entrepreneurial ideas
- SRP in person, March 10 at McCook Library
- ZOOM session with the Nebraska Extension Office TBA

Other Business:

Christa Porter presented her report and gave a recap of the material included in the board packet. The NLC is open for in-person business following CDC protocols.

Highlights

- **ARPA money** 78 libraries were awarded Youth in Excellence grants totaling \$115,466 and 79 libraries were awarded Library Improvement grants totaling \$299,972. Grant paperwork was mailed out to all libraries the week of December 20. The NLC is also funding multiple state-wide initiatives: Nebraska OverDrive Libraries Group, Lender Compensation, Niche Academy, Reader Zone, NLC Book Club kits and professional collections, as well as support to the Regional Library Systems. Christa indicated that due to supply and demand Cornhusker State Institute is behind on furniture orders. It is possible that the deadline to use the funds will be extended.
- **NLC Grant for 2022** Internship Grants were approved for all 35 applicants totaling \$34,030. CE and Training Grants applications are due January 14, 2022.
- **Library Innovation Studios Project:** 2021 Nebraska Makerspace Conference (final networking event) was held on November 2 and 3 at the UNL Innovation Campus and included 150 participants. LIS project team is in the process of picking up the equipment and distributing the items to the 35 host libraries.
- **Big Talk from Small Libraries 2022:** The deadline for speakers for the conference has been extended to January 21, 2022. Big Talk from Small Libraries conference will be held Friday, February 25.
- **Basic Skills 2022 and NCompass Live Schedules:** See the NLC website for information.

The next board meeting will be Friday, April 8, 2022, with location TBA. Locations for the annual meeting were discussed and Denise will gather information on St. Paul location.

Adjourn: Jamie Dennis moved to adjourn the board meeting. Meeting adjourned at 12:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Terri Eberly, Secretary

AUDIOBOOK COLLECTION

CPLS owns over 1,200 circulating audiobook titles. System member libraries may borrow audiobooks (CD, MP3, and Playaway formats) for a loan period of 90 days. Here are some new additions:

- The Dressmakers of Auschwitz* by Adlington, Lucy
A Gambling Man by Baldacci, David
The Only Woman in the Room by Benedict, Marie (MP3)
Dark Sky by Box, C.J.
Better Off Dead by Child, Lee
And Then There Were None by Christie, Agatha
Locked On by Clancy, Tom
State of Terror by Clinton, Hillary Rodham
When No One is Watching by Cole, Alyssa
The Eye of Heaven by Cussler, Clive
The Last Thing Told Me by Dave, Laura
Cloud Cuckoo Land by Doerr, Anthony
Legends of the North Cascades by Evison, Jonathan
The Wonder Boy of Whistle Stop by Flagg, Fannie
Heard It In A Love Song by Graves, Tracey Garvis
The Collective by Gaylin, Alison
The Judges List by Grisham, John
The Southern Book Club's Guide to Slaying Vampires by Hendrix, Grady (MP3)
Cupcakes for Christmas by Hewitt, Kate (MP3)
Shipped by Hockman, Angie
Hell is Empty by Johnson, Craig
Wait for Signs by Johnson, Craig
Billy Summers by King, Stephen
Riviera House by Lester, Natasha
The Cipher by Maldonado, Isabella (MP3)
To The Land of Long Lost Friends by McCall Smith, Alexander
Apples Never Fall by Moriarty, Lianne
Annie and the Wolves by Romano-Lax, Andromeda (MP3)
2 Sisters Detective Agency by Patterson, James
Golden Prey by Sandford, John
The Wish by Sparks, Nicholas
The Lincoln Highway by Towels, Amor
We Begin at the End by Whitaker, Chris

Cover One Book Repair Service

The System has a binding repair machine that fixes a variety of types and sizes of books. This machine easily binds up to a 2½" thick book and it has a sliding wall to hold smaller books in place. It will also work with legal size as well as regular 8½ x 11" size items. Repaired books will be ready to use in just 20 minutes! Go to <http://www.coverone.net> and click on the link for Book Repair Demo on the left-hand side of the page to see it in action.

This machine is perfect to repair books with glued bindings that have "popped" and split into several big chunks, paperbacks that have come out of their covers, and books where individual pages are coming loose.



Mail or bring your books to the System Office.
We will repair them for \$1 per book plus return postage cost.



Disc Cleaning and Repair

The System Office has the ECO AUTO-SMART Fully Automatic Disc Repair System.

It is not just a buffer, but a full-service machine, to both clean and repair your valuable discs. Save those discs that won't play! As long as they are not cracked, we can fix them.

From **July 1, 2021 thru June 30, 2022**, each CPLS member library has 10 free disc cleanings available to them. If you have not taken advantage of this service yet this year, be sure to get your discs turned in before June 30th!



If you have more than 10 discs that need fixing, you may send them to us and we will repair them and send them back with an invoice for .50 cents per disc plus return postage. If you come to the CPLS Office in Hastings and pick up the repaired discs, the charge is .50 cents per disc. A similar service at a retail video outlet costs more than \$5.00 per disc!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- Feb 10 - Stepping Stones to S.T.E.A.M. - Wilson Public Library (Cozad) 1pm - 4pm
Feb 25 - Big Talk From Small Libraries
- March 8 - Aquatic Wild - NE Game & Parks Virtual Workshop 10am - 12:30pm (ZOOM)
March 10 - Summer Reading Program "Oceans of Possibilities" - McCook, 10am - 3:30pm
- April 8 - CPLS Board Meeting - Jensen Memorial Library (Minden) - 10am

NCompass LIVE PRESENTATIONS

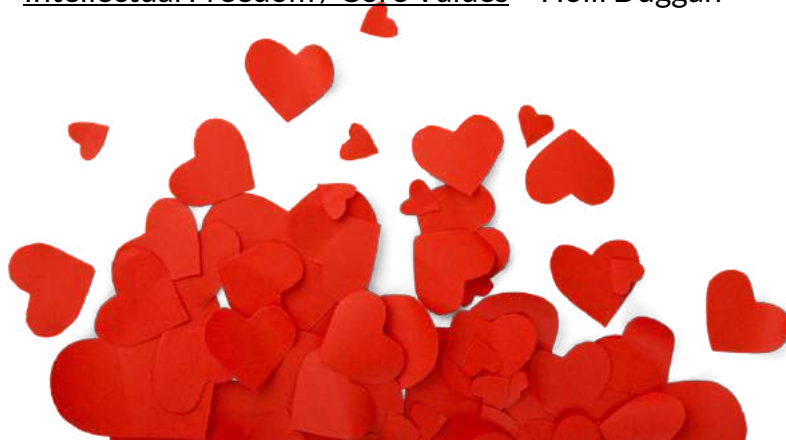
Intentional Design: Crafting a Mutually Beneficial Internship Program in a University Archives
Feb 2 10am-11am (Central) [Register](#)

NCompass Live: United for Libraries - Moving to a Bigger, Better Platform
Feb 9 10am-11am (Central) [Register](#)

NCompass Live: Pretty Sweet Tech
Feb 23 10am-11am (Central) [Register](#)

UPCOMING BASIC SKILLS CLASSES

<u>Class Date</u>	<u>Class Title</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	<u>Registration Date</u>
2/7 - 2/18	<u>Customer Service*</u>	Christa Porter	1/3 - 1/28
3/7 - 3/18	<u>Library Governance</u>	Denise Harders	1/31 - 2/28
3/21 - 4/1	<u>Library Technology</u>	Amanda Sweet	2/14 - 3/11
4/1 - 4/30	<u>Introduction to Cataloging (Organization of Materials)*</u>	Self-paced	2/21 - 3/18
4/18 - 4/29	<u>Library Finance</u>	Holli Duggan	3/14 - 4/8
5/9 - 5/20	<u>Intellectual Freedom / Core Values*</u>	Holli Duggan	4/4 - 5/2



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