Library Advocacy Day

Director Steve Campbell, Assistant Director Dan Brower, Business & Human Resources Manager Brenda Allee-Bates, and Scenic Regional Library Board members Kathi Hamm and Susan Richardson attended the Missouri Library Association’s Library Advocacy Day in Jefferson City on February 9. The group met with most of the library’s ten state legislators to discuss state library funding. Over 100 librarians and library board members from around the state attended the annual event.

State Senator Mike Kehoe reading at his desk in the Missouri State Capitol on Library Advocacy Day.

Frick’s Market to Donate Sales to Scenic Regional Library

Frick’s Market, located in Union and Sullivan, will be celebrating Dr. Seuss’ birthday by donating a portion of their sales to their local libraries. The store will donate 5% of their sales on Wednesday, March 2 to the Union and Sullivan branches of Scenic Regional Library, not to exceed $500 per location.

SUPPORT SCENIC REGIONAL LIBRARY!
Shop at Frick’s Market on Wednesday, March 2!
Celebrate Women’s History Month at Scenic Regional Library

March is Women’s History Month. Scenic Regional Library will be celebrating the month with programming, displays, and contests. Most of the library’s storytimes in March will feature great women in history.

**PACIFIC:**
- The Queens of Swing
  Monday, March 14 at 6:00 pm
  A show combining WWII era music, history, and fun! Held at Tri-County Senior Center.
- World Champion Concertinist
  Brianna Brown
  Tuesday, March 24 at 6:00 pm
  Enjoy a performance by Brianna Brown, a Union native that took first place at the All-Ireland World Music Championships.
- Women in Baseball Tea Party
  Saturday, March 12 at 1:00 pm
  Learn about the women who played in the Women’s All-American Girls Professional Baseball League.

**ST. CLAIR:**
- Daughters of the American Revolution
  Thursday, March 10 at 6:30 pm
  A discussion on the society and the women behind it.
- Famous Women in History
  Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 pm
  Take a look into the fascinating lives of women that made history.

**SULLIVAN:**
- Famous Women in History
  Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 pm

**UNION:**
- Maggie’s Story
  Thursday, March 24 at 6:30 pm
  Maggie’s Story
  Tuesday, March 22 from 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
  A story of an Irish indentured servant in the mid 1700’s, told in first person.
- Janet Moreland: Adventurer
  Saturday, March 19 at 3:00 pm
  A presentation by the first woman to complete the river journey, Source to Sea, by kayak.
- Maggie’s Story
  Wednesday, March 23 at 6:30 pm
- The History of Milkmaids
  Saturday, March 19 at 1:00 pm
  Learn about milkmaids, see a cow, and enjoy ice cream!

**HERMANN:**
- Book Discussion Group
  3rd Wednesday each month from 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
  We will discuss “The Marriage of Opposites” by Alice Hoffman.
- Maggie’s Story
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**NEW HAVEN:**
- Maggie’s Story at Old New Haven School
  Thursday, March 24 at 6:30 pm

**OWENSVILLE:**
- Through an Astronomer’s Eyes
  Thursday, March 10 at 6:30 pm
  Learn about stars, planets, women astronomers, & more!
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**WARREN COUNTY:**
- The Long March to Women’s Suffrage
  Tuesday, March 15 at 6:00 pm
  Learn about the dramatic 80-year fight for the women’s right to vote.
- Suffragette
  Tuesday, March 29 at 5:30 pm
  Enjoy the British drama “Suffragette” starring Meryl Streep.

**Women’s History Month TRIVIA CONTEST!**
Participants who complete all the questions correctly will be entered into a prize drawing to win two free tickets to East Central College’s spring production of Into the Woods. (There will be a separate prize drawing at each branch.) Pick up a copy of the questions at your local branch or on the library’s website.

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Scenic Regional Library Signs Borrowing Agreements with Jefferson County and Washington County Libraries

The library has entered into reciprocal borrowing agreements with Jefferson County Library and Washington County Library. Scenic Regional Library will agree to issue the other two counties' residents free library cards in exchange for those counties' libraries agreeing to issue Scenic Regional residents free library cards. In the past, residents of these counties had to pay an annual non-resident fee for a Scenic Regional Library card.

The Washington County Library agreement will impact the Sullivan branch the most. The Washington County line is six miles from the Sullivan city limits and one-third of the Sullivan school district is in Washington County. In addition to the issue of registering students, the Sullivan branch has about five to six Washington County residents requesting a library card each month.

The Jefferson County Library agreement will impact Pacific. A portion of the Pacific school district is in Jefferson County, which makes registering students in groups at school difficult. The branch also has Jefferson County residents visit who want to register for a library card.

Currently, the library has similar agreements with Ozark Regional Library (Iron, Crawford, Madison, and Ste. Genevieve counties) and Missouri River Regional (Osage and Cole counties). The agreements are automatically renewed each year unless either library wishes to terminate. The agreements were both effective February 23.

Library Adds NovelistSelect to Online Catalog

The library has added NovelistSelect, a popular readers' advisory database, to its online catalog beginning March 1. When patrons look up a title in the library's online catalog, they can view the item's record and see links to read-a-likes (similar books), other books in the same series, book reviews provided by Goodreads and other sources, reading level, and other information about the item.

Awards, Reviews, & Suggested Reads

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**Books in This Series**

**Harry Potter series (Mary GrandPre ill.)**

1. *Harry Potter and the sorcerer’s stone*
2. *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets*
3. *Harry Potter and the prisoner of Azkaban*
4. *Harry Potter and the goblet of fire*

**You Might Also Like These...**

- Circle of magic (Tamora Pierce) by Pierce, Tamora: Why this match? [Show Titles]
- Spiderwick chronicles by DiTerlizzi, Tony: Why this match? [Show Titles]
- Young wizards by Ouna, Diane: Why this match? [Show Titles]
- Chronicles of Narnia by Lewis, C. S. (Clive Staples): Why this match? [Show Titles]
Library Foundation Awards
Lifetime Friends Memberships

On February 9, the Scenic Regional Library Foundation awarded diamond-level lifetime Friends of the Library memberships to the Missourian and Union Garden Club.

The Missourian received the membership due to its ongoing support of reading and libraries. The newspaper has provided extensive coverage to the library for years. In addition, The Missourian supported the library’s successful effort for a tax increase in 2014 and provided the library with permission to digitize the newspaper from 1939-1965. Bill Miller, Sr., editor and owner of the Missourian, accepted the recognition on behalf of the newspaper.

The Union Garden Club received their membership for landscaping the property around the library’s administrative offices. The group logged many hours toward the project in 2015 and plan to continue their efforts in 2016. Marsha Hobbs Smith, president of the Union Garden Club, accepted the recognition on behalf of the group.

Both organizations will have their names engraved on a plaque at the Union branch which will list all the founding members (2014-2016) of the Friends of the Library – Union. Representatives from each organization will also receive a discount at library book sales and be able to attend special Friends-only events at the library.

National Hobby Month Bookmark Coloring Contest Winners

The winners of the National Hobby Month Bookmark Coloring Contest are (drumroll please!):

Adult: Gerrie Brinker – St. Clair
Grades 9-12: Crystal Aufder Heide – Owensville
Grades 5-8: Sheny Delgado – New Haven
Grades 3-4: Calliope Leach – Owensville
Grades K-2: Katie Miller – Sullivan

A big Thank You to our guest judges:
Adam Watkins from ECC, Jim Kapusciak from Union High School, and our own graphic designer – Amanda Feldmann.
HERMANN BRANCH

Please register for adult programs.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Book Discussion Group—New Time!
3rd Wednesday each month from 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Knit Too!
Every Tuesday at 2:00 pm

One Simple Change: Salad in a Jar
Thursday, March 3 at 6:00 pm
Salad greens will be provided by presenters Tonia Englert and Julie Kopp – you add extra’s!

Maggie’s Story
Tuesday, March 22 from 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
The story of an Irish indentured servant in the mid 1700’s, told in first person.

NEW HAVEN BRANCH

FAMILY PROGRAMS

Shamrock Shindig at Old New Haven School
Saturday, March 5, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm
Join us for Irish dance, crafts, and more.

Please register for adult programs.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Yarn and Yak at the Branch
Thursday, March 3, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

La Leche League of Franklin County
Wednesday, March 9 at 10:00 am
Nursing support for moms at the branch. (Registration is not required for this program.)

Maggie’s Story at Old New Haven School
Thursday, March 24 at 6:30 pm
This poignant narrative dramatizes the life of indentured women in the 1770’s.

BOOK CLUB AT THE BRANCH

Book Club at the Branch
Wednesday, March 23 at 5:00 pm
We will discuss “A Mercy” by Toni Morrison.

Essential Oils 101 at Old New Haven School
Tuesday, March 29 at 6:00 pm
A registered nurse will present the health benefits of using natural oils.

KID & TEEN PROGRAMS

Pre-School Storytime
Every Thursday at 10:00 am
Read, sing, play, and make friends!

Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime
Thursday, March 3 at 10:00 am
Meet the famous cat and hear his story.

TILT (Teens in the Library Team)
Tuesday, March 8 at 3:30 pm
Join us for a painting project.

Janet Moreland: Adventurer
Saturday, March 19 at 3:00 pm
A presentation by the first woman to complete the river journey, Source to Sea, by kayak.

Surprise Guest Reader
Thursday, March 24 at 10:00 am
We will have a guest reader to celebrate Women’s History Month.

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HELP WITH THE LIBRARY’S SPRING BOOK SALE

The library is seeking volunteers to work at its Spring Book Sale on April 20 (set up*) and April 21-23 (sale). Volunteers receive a free voucher worth $5 of free book sale books for each hour that they volunteer. Volunteers unpack and organize sale books and collect money. Contact your local branch for more information and to sign up today. *The New Haven branch will set up April 21.

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Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime
Tuesday, March 1 at 10:00 am

Read, Build & Play (Ages 4-12)
Saturday, March 19 at 11:00 am
Hear a story and build with Legos.

These ladies show off the hand-made cards and crafts they created during the “Valentine Scrapbooking” program held at the Owensville branch.

Two individuals use teamwork to learn some basic stitch patterns at the “Beginning Crochet” class held at the Sullivan branch.

A couple of friends proudly exhibit the Valentine boxes they made at the Hermann branch. Snacks and a movie were also part of the “Old Fashioned Valentine Party!”
March 2016 Upcoming Events

**Owensville Branch**

Please register for adult programs.

**Adult Programs**

**Movie Night at the Library**  
Friday, March 4 at 7:00 pm  
We will be showing Bridge of Spies starring Tom Hanks!

**Knifty Knitters & Crafty Crocheters**  
Wednesday, March 9 & 30 at 6:30 pm

**Through an Astronomer’s Eyes**  
Thursday, March 10 at 6:30 pm  
Learn about stars, planets, women astronomers, & more!

**Using Hoopla**  
Monday, March 14 at 2:00 pm  
Learn to download movies, music, & audio books through Hoopla.

**Tea Time Travelers’ Book Club**  
Wednesday, March 16 at 6:30 pm  
“Me Before You” by Jojo Moyes. Join us to find out which flavor tea goes with this story!

**Maggie’s Story**  
Wednesday, March 23 at 6:30 pm  
A story of an Irish indentured servant in the mid 1700’s, told in first person.

**Kid & Teen Programs**

**Lil’ OWLs Storytime**  
Every Thursday at 4:30 pm

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**  
Thursday, March 3 at 4:30 pm  
Meet the famous cat and hear his story.

**Read, Build, & Play**  
Saturday, March 12 at 11:00 am  
Listen to a story and build with Lincoln Logs!

**The History of Milkmaids**  
Saturday, March 19 at 1:00 pm  
Learn about milkmaids, see a cow, and enjoy ice cream!

Families work together at the Read, Build & Play program held at the St. Clair branch every Saturday, Lincoln Logs were the toy of choice at the latest meeting.

**Pacific Branch**

Please register for adult programs.

**Adult Programs**

**Mahjong Club**  
Wednesday, March 2, 16, 30 at 10:00 am

**Learn How to Play Hand & Foot**  
Wednesday, March 23 at 10:00 am

**The Queens of Swing**  
Monday, March 14 at 6:00 pm  
Held at Tri-County Senior Center.

**Sit-n-Stitch Club**  
Tuesday, March 15 at 6:00 pm

**Intro to Microsoft Word**  
Monday, March 21 from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

**Book Club**  
Tuesday, March 22 at 6:00 pm

**World Champion Concertinist**  
Brianna Brown  
Tuesday, March 24 at 6:00 pm

**Intro to Microsoft Excel**  
Tuesday, March 29 from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

**Vintage Card Making**  
Tuesday, March 31 at 6:00 pm

**Kid & Teen Programs**

**Storytime (Toddlers-Kindergarten)**  
Every Thursday at 10:00 am

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**  
Thursday, March 3 at 11:00 am  
Meet the famous cat and hear his story.

**Read, Build & Play**  
Every Saturday at 11:00 am  
Listen to a story and build with Lincoln Logs!

**Kid’s Club (Grades 1-5)**  
Every Saturday at 1:00 pm

**Read Across America Party**  
Saturday, March 5 at 1:00 pm

**Women in Baseball Tea Party**  
Saturday, March 12 at 1:00 pm

**Young Builders Club**  
(Toddlers-Kindergarten)  
Saturday, March 19 at 11:00 am

**Shoenique (for Teens)**  
Saturday, March 19 at 3:00 pm  
Bring a pair of plain tennis shoes to decorate.

**Easter Crafts**  
Saturday, March 26 at 1:00 pm

**St. Clair Branch**

Please register for adult programs.

**Adult Programs**

**DIY: No-Sew Fleece Throws**  
Saturday, March 5 at 1:00 pm

**Daughters of the American Revolution**  
Thursday, March 10 at 6:30 pm

**Julia Rueckert Jewelry Making**  
Saturday, March 19 at 1:00 pm

**Famous Women in History**  
Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 pm

**Kid & Teen Programs**

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**  
Thursday, March 3 at 11:00 am  
Meet the famous cat and hear his story.

**Read, Build & Play**  
Every Saturday at 11:00 am  
Listen to a story and build with Lincoln Logs!

**Storytime**  
Every Thursday at 11:00 am  
For preschool-age children.

**Homeschool Program at the Branch**  
Every 1st & 3rd Thursday at 10:00 am  
Call to find out what activities are planned.
March 2016 Upcoming Events

**Sullivan Branch**

- Join the Sullivan branch’s Friends of the Library. Membership dues and contributions are tax deductible and designated solely for use by your branch’s Friends group. For more information about the Friends and an application visit scenicregional.org/friends

Please register for adult programs.

**ADULT PROGRAMS**

**Famous Women in History**
Tuesday, March 8 at 6:30 pm

**Beginning Crochet**
Tuesday, March 15 from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Bring a size J or larger crochet hook and one skein of worsted weight yarn. Held at Sullivan Elementary School.

**Looking Back on Missouri Dance Halls**
Tuesday, March 22 at 6:30 pm
Author, Ken Johnson, will present his book “Moonlight Serenade to City Lights”. Program will meet at the Harney Mansion.

**KID & TEEN PROGRAMS**

**Storytime**
Every Tuesday at 10:00 am
For preschool-age children.

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**
Tuesday, March 1 at 10:00 am
Meet the famous cat and hear his story.

**Pacific branch guests display the snowman artwork they created at the “Snowman On Canvas” event. Everyone had a great time personalizing their paintings.**

**Union Branch**

Please register for adult programs.

**ADULT PROGRAMS**

**Reach Your Financial Goals: Long-Term Investing**
Tuesday, March 8 at 6:00 pm

**Maggie’s Story**
Monday, March 21 at 6:00 pm

**Famous Women in History**
Thursday, March 24 at 11:00 am

Please register for computer programs.

**COMPUTER PROGRAMS**

**Using Freegal Movies**
Thursday, March 10 at 10:00 am

**Using Your Library Account Online**
Tuesday, March 15 at 10:00 am

**Introduction to Microsoft Excel**
Wednesday, March 16 at 6:30 pm

**Introduction to Microsoft PowerPoint**
Wednesday, March 23 at 1:00 pm

**KID & TEEN PROGRAMS**

**Preschool Storytime**
Wednesdays & Saturdays at 10:00 am

**Read, Build, & Play**
Saturday, March 5 at 11:00 am
We will build with straws! Ages 4-12.

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**
Tuesday, March 1 at 10:00 am

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**
Monday, February 29 at 6:30 pm
Tuesday, March 1 at 10:00 am

**Storytime (Preschool-Kindergarten)**
Mondays at 6:30 pm, Tuesdays at 10:00 am

**Robotics Class (5th-12th grade)**
Monday, March 14 from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

**Easter Family Fun Fest**
Monday, March 21 at 6:00 pm
Easter-themed treats, crafts, and a movie!

**Warren County Branch**

Please register for adult programs.

**ADULT PROGRAMS**

**An Evening in Ireland**
Tuesday, March 8 at 5:30 pm
Enjoy the Irish-themed movie “Leap Year” along with refreshments.

**The Long March to Women’s Suffrage**
Tuesday, March 15 at 6:00 pm
Learn about the dramatic 80-year fight for the women’s right to vote.

**Book Club**
Wednesday, March 16 at 2:00 pm
We will discuss “Sugar Queen” by Sarah Addison Allen.

**Music from the Celtic Lands**
Tuesday, March 22 at 6:00 pm
Local band Blueberry Jam will perform Irish music.

**Take-A-Ticket Technology Training**
Tuesday, March 22 from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Register for 30-minute sessions.

**Suffragette, Starring Meryl Streep**
Tuesday, March 29 at 5:30 pm
Enjoy the British drama “Suffragette”.

**KID & TEEN PROGRAMS**

**Meet the Cat in the Hat Storytime**
Monday, February 29 at 6:30 pm
Tuesday, March 1 at 10:00 am

**Storytime with a Fireman**
Saturday, March 19 at 10:00 am
Fireman Andy will read to our preschool storytime children.

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This young Sullivan branch patron was one of the grand prize winners of the “Bookmark Coloring Contest” held during National Hobby Month. She won in the category: Grades K-2.
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