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Indiana Library Jobs

Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Fall Workshop & IPL Book Giveaway

Starting at 1 pm on Monday, November 21, 2016, the State Library presents its semi-annual, free Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Workshop. This workshop is open to ILL staff from all Indiana Libraries and is specially tailored to all IN-SHARE participants, including Special and Institutional Libraries.

Topics will cover InfoExpress, the new IN-SHARE policies, SRCS, Book Clubs and a review of the best practices for ILL and IN-SHARE processing.

The Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Workshop will be held in the History Reference Room on the 2nd floor of the Indiana State Library (315 West Ohio Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202). The workshop begins at 1 PM. Registered attendees will be

Refurbished desktop computers available!



The Library Development Office is pleased to announce that we still have some refurbished desktop computers available for interested libraries.

These computers are all Dell Optiplex 780s, running Windows 7 Professional and have a minimum of 2GB ram, 40GB or larger hard drives, a DVD Drive, antivirus software, an Ethernet card, and are internet ready. These computers come with all of



[Administrative Specialist \(Part-Time\)](#)

Butler University

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Garrett Public Library

[Temporary Assistant Professor of Library Services](#)

Valparaiso University

[Public Information Coordinator](#)

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[Library Assistant \(Part-Time\)](#)

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Waterloo Grant Township Public Library

In The News



[Unique genealogy opportunities offered during upcoming Allen County Public Library Family History Month events](#)

Allen County Public Library

[Elkhart main library upgrades nearly complete - hammers silent, dust settling](#)

Elkhart Public Library

eligible to earn LEUs, ACA Standard #4-4507 or Professional Growth Points.

Registrants will need to arrange for their own parking. Please use the downtown Indy [maps](#) page to plan where you will park.

There is no charge to attend this event; however registration is recommended. To register for the ILL Workshop please click [here](#).

You must register separately for the Indianapolis Public Library Free Book Giveaway and for Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Workshop.

For the IPL Free Book Giveaway for Non-Profits: There is no charge to attend this event; however registration is recommended. To register for the Book Giveaway please visit click [here](#).

For the Interlibrary Loan (ILL) Workshop: There is no charge to attend this event; however registration is recommended. To register for the ILL Workshop please click [here](#).

Questions? Contact: Mike Hicks at dhicks@library.in.gov or (877) 835-0014

NEA Big Read 2017 is now accepting applications



NEA Big Read is accepting applications from non-profit organizations to develop community-wide reading programs between September 2017 and June 2018. NEA

the required cables and mice. Flat screen monitors are also available.

These computers are provided at no cost to interested libraries through a partnership between Net Literacy, a central Indiana based volunteer organization and the Indiana State Library. Since 2011, this partnership has made over 1,200 free, rebuilt computers and monitors available to public and institutional libraries in Indiana.

Quantities are limited and priority will be given to recipients that can arrange to pick up the computers at the Indiana State Library. Electronics cannot be shipped via InfoExpress.

Please visit Net Literacy's website <http://www.netliteracy.org> to learn more about the organization and their efforts to improve Digital Literacy nationwide. The Indiana State Library, in partnership with Net Literacy, is once again making free, rebuilt public access computers available to libraries. These computers are available to any public or institutional library in Indiana (sorry, but schools are not eligible for this service).

If you would like to request computer(s) for your library, please complete this short online questionnaire by clicking [here](#). **Requests will be accepted until November 30, 2016.**

Contact Steven Schmidt from the Library Development Office at steschmidt@library.in.gov if you have any questions.

Upcoming Workshops & Important Dates

['Love Between the Covers' uncovers world of romance literature](#)

Elkhart Public Library

[Huntington residents upset over the firing of longtime librarians](#)

Huntington City-Township Public Library

[Genealogy & Local History Fair: Indiana State Library](#)

Indiana State Library

[Plugged in to history: Library's return to yester-year brings history to life](#)

Jackson County Public Library

[Friends of the Arts dedicates \\$100,000 to library/arts endeavor to create Cultural Center](#)

Jasper Public Library

[An absolute blessing to our community](#)

Knox County Public Library

[Friends of the Knox County Public Library Gingerbread House Contest](#)

Knox County Public Library

[Coding in style: students make costumes for programmable robots](#)

Kokomo-Howard County Public Library

[Monroe County Public Library offers autism-friendly programs](#)

Monroe County Public Library

[Rotary auction to support library project](#)

Shelby County Public Library

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Free training on lynda.com

Big Read is a national program that broadens our understanding of our world, our communities, and ourselves through the joy of sharing a good book.

A Big Read is a month-long series of programs centered around one NEA Big Read book. Programs should include a kickoff, a keynote, book discussions, and other artistic events to foster engagement with the selected title and encourage reading.

Organizations selected to participate in the program receive a grant, educational and promotional materials, and access to online training resources and opportunities. Approximately 75 organizations from across the country will be selected.

Funding ranges from \$5,000 to \$20,000

We are proud to announce the addition of 13 new titles to the Big Read list this year!

The application deadline is January 26, 2017. To submit an application or to find out more about the application process please click [here](#).

If you have any question call Arts Midwest at 612.238.8010 or email neabigread@artsmidwest.org.

Geek culture in libraries



Interested in hearing about the latest trends in geek culture and how they pertain to your library? If so, join Alex Sarkissian (Morrison-Reeves Public Library) and Jocelyn Lewis (Indiana State Library) at the Indiana Library Federation's annual conference. They will be presenting

[Human Resource Training](#)

When: October 27, 2016, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana Regional Roundtable - Southwest Indiana](#)

When: Friday, October 28, 2016, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Spencer County Public Library

[Society of Indiana Archivists 2016 Fall Workshop](#)

When: October 28, 2016, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Where: Hodge Hall at Indiana University (Bloomington, Indiana)

[Bookkeeping Annual Report Workshop](#)

When: Wednesday, November 2, 2016, 10:30 am - 4:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library, or Webinar

[ILF Annual Conference](#)

When: November 9-10

Where: Indianapolis Marriott East

[Bookkeeping Annual Report Workshop](#)

When: Wednesday, November 15, 2016, 10:30 am - 4:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library, or Webinar

[Spreading the Word: Taking Early Literacy messages to the Street](#)

When: November 17, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Tools/Tips/Trends: eReader Round Up](#)

When: November 22, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Webinar

[Maker Space Petting Zoo](#)

When: November 30, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where Johnson County Public Library - Franklin Branch



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“Geekspotting 1.0” on Wednesday, November 9 at 3pm. Topics will include Pokemon Go, trends in tabletop gaming and a discussion of the new Star Wars canon. They will also check-in on popular superhero film franchises and make graphic novel recommendations.

To register for ILF16 click [here](#).

If you can't make it to the conference but want to know more about how libraries can promote and nurture geek culture, visit Cosplay, Comics and Geek Culture in Libraries at cgclibraries.com.

[Evergreen Indiana Basic Circulation](#)

When: December 6, 2016, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana Holds Training](#)

When: December 6, 2016, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana - Basic Cataloging](#)

When: December 8, 2016, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[Evergreen Indiana - Local Administration](#)

When: December 8, 2016, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Where: Indiana State Library

[INSPIRE Train the Trainer](#)

When: December 8, 2016, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Where: Huntington City-Township Public Library

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