



Maryland Library Association

Happenings

Programs

AUGUST 2019 MLA web site: mdlib.org

**MARYLAND LIBRARY ASSOCIATION
1401 HOLLINS STREET, BALTIMORE, MD 21223**

MLA and MD State Library Present

Everyone Leads

Tuesday September 10th 9:30am-5:00pm Allegany County-South Cumberland Branch
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Tuesday October 8th 9:30am-4:00pm Allegany County-South Cumberland Branch

Wednesday September 11th 9:30am-5:00pm Anne Arundel County-Odenton Branch

Waitlist only

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Wednesday October July 9th 9:30am-4:00pm Anne Arundel County-Odenton Branch

Waitlist only

No Fee: Libraries will register their selected people.

Everyone Leads, a two day program, will focus on how to be a leader and influence organizational change from any position you hold in your organization. Topic include: What is leadership today; influence without authority; confidence; basics of leading projects. Maureen Sullivan, Past President of ALA, and Facilitator and Curriculum Developer for the 2019 MD Library Leadership Institute will facilitate these programs.

This program has been approved for 12 contact hours of continuing education based on 2 days of attendance.

This project is supported in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services, through the Library Services and Technology Act, administered by the Maryland State Library.

For directions to Allegany Co: <https://www.alleganycountylibrary.info/south-cumberland-library/>

To register online: https://www.mdlib.org/ev_calendar_day.asp?date=9%2F10%2F19&eventid=77

For directions to Anne Arundel Co: <https://www.aacpl.net/location/odenton>

To register online : https://www.mdlib.org/ev_calendar_day.asp?date=9%2F11%2F19&eventid=78

Children's Services Division Presents

Black Eyed Susan Tapestry (BEST)

Tuesday September 17th 8:45am-4:00pm
Baltimore County Public Library-Owings Mills Branch*
Members: \$50.00 Non-members: \$75.00 Students: \$25.00

Love talking about books? You don't want to miss the Black-Eyed Susan Tapestry (BEST) workshop, a celebration of children and teen titles. Learn about the Black-Eyed Susan Award and participate in a full day of small group discussions of the 2019 nominees. Also included in the program will be a presentation from The Accidental Entrepreneurs. In this densely-illustrated, lighthearted, and candid presentation, Maryland-based author/illustrator, husband/wife duo Matthew Swanson and Robbi Behr talk about their unlikely journey from homely adolescents to communications professionals to indie publishers to Black-Eyed Susan Book Award nominees. A question and answer session will follow the presentation. We will also share exceptional new juvenile books from 2019. You will discover titles that you love, some you may loathe, and may even find a few that will surprise you! Check in begins at 8:45; the program will begin at 9:15.

Book Groups (Choose 3 Groups)

Picture Books: Ben-Barak, Idan - *Do Not Lick This Book: It's Full of Germs*; Doerrfeld - *The Rabbit Listened*; Fogliano, Julie - *A House that Once Was*; Le, Minh - *Drawn Together*; Montgomery, Sy - *Inky's Amazing Escape: How a Very Smart Octopus Found His Way Home*

Grades 4-6: Auxier, Jonathan - *Sweep: The Story of a Girl and Her Monster*; Creech, Sharon - *Saving Winslow*; Mass, Wendy - *Bob*; Swanson, Matthew - *The Real McCoys*; Yang, Kelly - *Front Desk*

Graphic Novels: Grades 4-6: Boothby, Ian - *Sparks!*; Breach, Jen - *Clem Hetherington and the Ironwood Race*; Scott, Mairghread - *The City on the Other Side*; Tatulli, Mark - *Short & Skinny*; Utkin, Alexander - *The King of Birds*

Grades 6-9: Alexander, Kwame - *Rebound*; Dee, Barbara - *Halfway Normal*; Greenwald, Tommy - *Game Changer*; Hood, Susan - *Lifeboat 12*; Saeed, Aisha - *Amal Unbound*

High School: Benway, Robin - *Far from the Tree*; Johnson, Maureen - *Truly Devious*; McGhee, Alison - *What I Leave Behind*; Ribay, Randy - *After the Shot Drops*; Zobo, Ibi Aanu - *Pride*

Graphic Novels: Grades 6-9: Castellucci, Cecil - *Soupy Leaves Home*; Colfer, Eoin & Andrew Donkin - *Illegal*; Osborne, Melissa - *The Wendy Project*; Walz, Jason - *Last Pick*; Wang, Jen - *The Prince and the Dressmaker*

*For directions: <https://www.bcpl.info/locations/owings-mills/index.html>

To register online: https://www.mdlib.org/ev_calendar_day.asp?date=9%2F17%2F19&eventid=82

Public Services Division Presents

Handling Branch Security Issues: Public Disruptive Behavior

Thursday September 26th 12:30pm-4:30pm
Baltimore County Public Library-Arbutus Branch*
Members: \$25.00 Non-members: \$37.50 Students: \$12.50

How confident are you when faced with behaviors that disrupt the operations of your library? Now, more than ever, library staff need effective tools for handling a variety of public disruptive behaviors. This presentation will encourage library staff to create a structure for handling public disruptive behavior incidents and to communicate effectively about how to deal with difficult customer interactions. By developing and implementing common guidelines, staff will be in a better position to handle these types

of situations, leading to improved consistency system-wide and enhanced safety and security for library staff and customers.

*For directions: <https://www.bcpl.info/locations/arbutus/index.html>

To register online: https://www.mdlib.org/ev_calendar_day.asp?date=9%2F26%2F19&eventid=80

Support Staff Division Presents

Getting to Know and Serving English Language Learners

Tuesday November 5th 1:00pm-4:30pm

Anne Arundel County Public Library-Linthicum*

Members: \$25.00 Non-members: \$37.50 Students: \$12.50

Want to learn more about the customers you serve, specifically English Language Learners? How about a few phrases in Spanish? Join SSD as we help you to connect even better with these customers with Vilma Sandoval-Sall, English Language Learner Program Coordinator of Prince George's County Memorial Library System. Vilma and her team will cover these topics along with resources you can utilize to break the language barrier. Light refreshments will be served. Registration begins at 12:45pm; the program begins promptly at 1:00pm. Participants are encouraged to bring their own laptops/devices to participate in activities at the program. Laptops will be available for groups to share. Program registration is limited to 30 attendees.

*For directions: <https://www.aacpl.net/location/linthicum>

To register online: https://www.mdlib.org/ev_calendar_day.asp?date=11%2F5%2F19&eventid=79

DIVISION, INTEREST GROUP, PANEL AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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| August | 1 | Support Staff Division Meeting , 1:30pm. Baltimore County, Arbutus Branch. Contact Lou Sica at lsica@bcpl.net . |
| | 5 | Future of Libraries Interest Group (FoLIG) Meeting , 10:00am-12:00pm. SMRLA-Charlotte Hall Branch. Online Via Google Hangouts. Contact Conni Strittmatter at cstrittmatter@bcpl.net . |
| | 7 | Intellectual Freedom Panel , 2:00pm. Anne Arundel County Public Library Headquarters. Available via Blackboard Ultra. Contact Sara Brown at sabrown@bcpl.net . |
| | 12 | Children's Services Division Meeting , 10:00am-12:30pm. Cecil County, Elkton Branch. Contact Kristen Bodvin at kbodvin@carr.org . Online via Blackboard Ultra. |
| | 14-17 | MACo . Ocean City MD. |
| | 16 | ACRL-MD Meeting , 11:00am-1:00pm. online via Blackboard Ultra. Contact Sean Hogan at shogan@ubalt.edu . |
| | 21 | Steering Committee , 10:00am-Noon. MLA Office. Contact Margaret Carty at mcarty@mdlib.org . |
| | 21 | Conference Committee , 1:00pm-3:00pm. MLA Office. Contact Nay Keppler at nkeppler@bcpl.net . |

- September 2 **Labor Day.** MLA office closed.
- 9 **Children's Services Division Meeting**, 10:00am-12:30pm. Frederick County, C.Burr Artz Branch. Contact Kristen Bodvin at kbodvin@carr.org. Online via Blackboard Ultra.
- 9 **Future of Libraries Interest Group (FoLIG) Meeting**, 10:00am-12:00pm. Carroll County, Mt. Airy Branch. Online Via Blackboard Ultra. Contact Conni Strittmatter at cstrittmatter@bcpl.net.
- 10 **Everyone Leads**, Allegany County. See article above.
- 11 **Everyone Leads**, Anne Arundel County. See article above.
- 12 **Leadership Development Division Meeting**, 12:30pm-4:00pm. Online via Blackboard Ultra. Contact Nay Keppler at nkeppler@bcpl.net.
- 14 **Enoch Pratt Free Library, Central Branch** Completes Renovations.
- 18 **Executive Board/Advisory Council Meeting**, 10:00am-Noon. MLA Office. Contact Margaret Carty at mcarty@mdlib.org.
- 18 **Conference Committee**, 1:00pm-3:00pm MLA office. Contact Nay Keppler at nkeppler@bcpl.net.
- 20 **ACRL-MD Meeting**, 11:00am-1:00pm. online via Blackboard Ultra. Contact Sean Hogan at shogan@ubalt.edu.
- 24 **State Staff Development Meeting**, 10:00am-3:00pm. Prince George's County Memorial Library System-Laurel Branch.

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Kids are Customers, Too! Is gearing up for early March 2020.

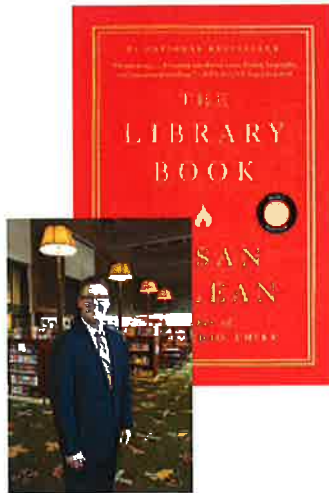
Cancellation Policy for Programs and Meetings

Educational programs and Division/Interest Group meetings will be cancelled/postponed in the event that schools are closed due to weather in the county/city where the event is scheduled to be held. A notice will be recorded on the office phone of the cancellation/postponement. In the event that a decision is made to proceed with the program/meeting, the individual responsible for the program/meeting should notify the office of that decision and notify participants individually, if practical. The individual responsible for the program/meeting must contact the office to have the notice recorded. For this purpose only, the cell phone number of the Executive Director will be made available to you. Rescheduling information should be supplied to the office as soon as possible to be posted on the phone and web site. It is the responsibility of the sponsoring unit to notify the MLA office.

MLA/DLA Conference –May 6-8, 2020

The Conference Committee tossed around a bunch of topics for the upcoming conference at the July meeting. Remember Dungeons and Dragons? It's back-and may surface as a pre-conference! Several divisions have expressed an interest in longer programming; it seems that the one hour programs just get rolling and it's time to wrap them up. Look for more 1 ½ and 2 hour programs this year. Some of the other topics tossed around were peer review training as well as how to teach resume writing. We are still looking for a keynote speaker-we have reached out to several people, and will hopefully have some candidates soon. There were also a few new faces this month at the meeting-thank you to those who are rising to the challenge of creating a wonderful 2020 conference. If you'd like to join, you can attend in person or on line; contact Nay Keppler at nkeppler@bcpl.net





CML/TRUSTEES ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CML is pleased to partner with Maryland State Library to present the 2019 annual conference for Friends, Trustees, and library supporters. Lunch is included.

The event will be held at Enoch Pratt Free Library Central, which is completing a multi-year, \$115 million renovation this fall that involved detailed attention to historic preservation, restoring the magnificent features of the iconic library built in 1933, while effectively addressing new service demands.

Maryland State Librarian, Irene Padilla, will begin the day with an update on MSL activities.

The morning program will focus on the Changing Roles of Libraries and the challenges and opportunities those roles present.

Keynote speakers will be:

- **Heidi Daniel**, CEO/President, EPFL
- **John Szabo**, City Librarian, Los Angeles (LA Public is the subject of Susan Orlean's bestselling, *THE LIBRARY BOOK*)
- **Siobhan Reardon**, CEO/President, Free Library of Philadelphia
- **Mary Baykan**, Director, Washington County, will moderate a panel discussion, bring rural library perspective, and handle Q&A.

Following a brief CML Annual Meeting and lunch, the afternoon will be devoted to a tour of the newly renovated space.

Registration is available for free at <https://www.citizensformarylandlibraries.org/event-3410840> and will end on October 18. We hope you can join us!

When: **Saturday, October 26 from 9:30 AM - 3:00 PM**

Location: **Enoch Pratt Free Library Central,
400 Cathedral Street, Baltimore, MD 21201**

Register at: <https://www.citizensformarylandlibraries.org/>

Greetings from ACRL-MD!



What is ACRL-MD?

ACRL-MD is the Maryland Library Association's (MLA) division for academic libraries. We are also the Maryland chapter of the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL).

What does ACRL-MD do?

ACRL-MD connects Maryland academic libraries and library personnel. Through meetings, programming, and social events, we strive to create a strong academic library network and a forum for sharing information relevant to academic and research libraries. As an MLA division, we are also interested in creating partnerships between Maryland academic, PK-12, public, and special libraries.

Recent programs include:

- *Breaking Down Barriers: Improving Inclusion for those with Disabilities*, program hosted at the Maryland State Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped
- ACRL-MD sponsored sessions at the MLA/DLA annual conference
- Duckpin bowling winter social
- Academic journal discussion club
- Guided tour of the National Gallery of Art and the National Gallery's library

How to get involved?

Membership

Select ACRL-MD as a division affiliation when you join MLA. An MLA membership qualifies you for member registration rates at paid programs. We hope you'll join as a member; however, ACRL-MD programs and events are open to both members and non-members. You may also receive messages from us if you are an ACRL national member who lives in Maryland.

Meetings

One of the easiest ways to get involved is to attend an ACRL-MD meeting. ACRL-MD virtual business meetings are the third Friday of every month at 11am via MLA's Blackboard Collaborate.

Learn More

To keep up with ACRL-MD and learn about new events...

- ...visit our blog at <https://acrlmd.wordpress.com/>
- ...like our Facebook page (<https://facebook.com/acrlmd>)
- ...follow us on Twitter (@acrlmd)
- ...subscribe to the MARYLIB email listserv

ACRL-MD 2019-2020 Officers

- **President:** Kimberly Miller (kimberlymiller@towson.edu)
- **Vice President/President-Elect:** Lois Entner (lentner@harford.edu)
- **Secretary:** Sean Hogan (shogan@ubalt.edu)
- **Past President:** Mike Kiel (skiel@ubalt.edu)

Please register me for the following:

Members in good standing with any of these organizations are eligible to attend MLA programs at the member fee. REFORMA DC, WMRL, CML, MASL, MAILL, MD/SLA, DCLA, LLAM, CMCLD, CALD and DC/SLA

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Name: _____

Library System: _____ Branch _____

Address: _____

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