WVLS will send an email on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9 a.m., featuring new developments for our member libraries related to COVID-19.

1) What’s New on the WVLS COVID-19 webpage

- Status and Resource Sharing Levels of WVLS Member Libraries
- Staying Together Recording, Chat Transcript and Discussion Notes (Under Staying Together)

2) Return Maker Spaces

Because WVLS staff are returning to the office on a limited basis, maker space kits can now be sent back. If your library has a kit, please return it to the WVLS office via courier.

3) The Library Community Moving Forward in the New Normal

On Thursday, June 4, 1:00 - 2:15 pm CST, a webinar will be presented called “The Library Community Moving Forward in the New Normal.” This free webinar will offer insight and discussion with leaders from state, public, academic, and school libraries on the continued efforts and strategies to reopen library facilities across the country. Attendees will benefit from hearing about preliminary results from the recent national “Libraries Respond: COVID-19 Survey,” and have the opportunity to ask questions and compare and contrast planning and guidance across the range of library types to inform your own robust planning and services responses.

Read more for more information and to register. This webinar is presented by the American Library Association.
4) Email vs. Social Media: Which is Better for #LibraryMarketing Right Now? (video)
Angela is back in her outdoor work tent and this week, she's sharing her opinion about the best way for your library to communicate with cardholders. Is it email? Is it social media? Can you guess? Listen and then join the conversation--let her know what works best for your community in the comments. Watch the short video.