

### 1) June Library Displays

Does your library have displays or offer programs related to Pride Month and/or Diary Month? If so, please let Marla Sepnafski know as DPI would like to highlight these opportunities in upcoming communications. Marla may be reached at <a href="mailto:director@wvls.org">director@wvls.org</a>.

### 2) United for Libraries Webinar on Tuesday

Marketing and Public Relations Skills for Friends of the Library, Part 1 Tuesday, June 13, 1:00 p.m.

Register here (must have an account)

The United for Libraries Statewide Access program is made available to library staff, trustees, friends, foundations, schools, etc., through statewide subscription from DPI. As this program is not free, an account must be created for each person accessing the trainings. Once registered, it's just one click to register for and access any of the events and recordings included in the Statewide Access program.

There are two ways to register for an account. The quickest way is to follow this link and fill in the form on the page. Once you do that, all registrations will be one click away. Alternatively, you can have someone set up the account for you by emailing united@ala.org with your full name, city and state, the name of the library you work with, and your primary role on behalf of the library (director, staff, trustee, foundation, friends, etc.).

# 3) Web Training This Week

Website Office Hours: Speed Questions

Tuesday, June 13; 10 - 11 a.m.

Attendees should bring their quick website questions; ones that can be answered in five minutes or less. Also bring a tip, trick or work-around.

Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 883 4171 8199 Passcode: evZT8SUz

#### 4) CSLP 'Read with Jenna'

The <u>Collaborative Summer Library Program</u> has teamed up with NBC's Today show *Read with Jenna* to promote summer reading and public libraries!

- Read with Jenna announcement here
- Check out the new <u>Read with Jenna Summer Reading List</u> to print and provide to patrons looking for it at their local library

• Watch Today's live announcement

CSLP's newsletter with the announcement is also available.

### 5) Registration Open for Play Make Learn

Registration for the <u>Play Make Learn 2023 Conference</u>, hosted in Madison on July 20-21 (with pre-conference sessions taking place on July 19th) is open! Play Make Learn is positioning itself as one of the most innovative playful learning and creative pedagogy conferences in the Midwest.

Hear from Play Make Learn 2023 keynote speakers, Dr. Margaret Huettl and Dr. Kishonna Gray, brilliant researchers and game-changers in multiple sectors of study.

Register for Play Make Learn 2023 today!

## 6) Upcoming Webinars

- <u>Transforming Library Staff Learning Through Technology Skills Assessments</u>: 10 a.m. on Tuesday, June 14
- Developmentally Appropriate Collection Development: 12 p.m. on Wednesday, June 14
- The Best Nature & Climate Books for the Children and Families in Your Program: 1 p.m. on Wednesday, June 14
- The Fight Against Book Bans: How Do We Move Forward?: 1 p.m. on Wednesday, June 14
- <u>Fundraising 101: Encouraging Active Board Participation and Leadership</u>: 12 p.m. on Thursday, July 13

### 7) Next Ryan Dowd Training

Q & A with Ryan Dowd

Thursday, June 15; 1 p.m.

Ask questions of Ryan, such as:getting customers to stop arguing, consequences for people who break small rules, advice on misbehaving children, and more.

Contact Jamie at WVLS (<u>imatczak@wvls.org</u>) for the registration link. The recording of the live training will be available for four weeks.

#### 8) Reminders

WVLS is excited to announce that libraries can now submit computer/monitor/receipt printer/barcode scanner purchase requests through an online form.
Libraries can complete purchase requests at any time. WVLS staff will review, follow up, and begin the purchasing and staging process. Submit an email to help@librarieswin.org with questions about the equipment, budgeting or billing.

Full details about technology lifecycle support for 2023 is now available.

 Libby is now available to <u>download from the Amazon Appstore</u>. Going forward, users with Amazon Fire tablets should download Libby directly from the Amazon Appstore instead of manually sideloading the app. <u>Read more</u>.