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Digital Reading Q&A

We want to help you master digital reading! Digital reading is a great option for book lovers; it's impossible to incur a fine and materials are available 24/7. Our new Digital Reading Q & A session will be offered on the first Friday of each month (you can find us upstairs in Room 219). Drop by between 3:00 to 4:00 pm and we will help you use your library card to access free digital books, audiobooks, magazines, and kids' books.

If you've had problems in the past using Overdrive, Freading, Flipster or Tumblebooks, bring your device and let us help you troubleshoot.

LibraryCon 2017

Calling all comic-lovers! It's time for our 2nd annual LibraryCon. On Saturday September 23,

drop by the Library anytime between 10:00 am and 3:00 pm and you can expect to see many of the things you would see at larger conventions like ComicCon. You will find visiting authors, artists & vendors; comic based games, crafts & cosplay; author panels & presentations. All ages are welcome to attend!

Library Card Sign-Up Month

Since 1987, Library Card Sign-up Month has been held in September to mark the beginning of the school year. It is when the American Library Association and libraries nationwide join together to remind parents, caregivers and students that signing up for a library card is the first step towards academic achievement and lifelong learning.

The value of today's libraries goes beyond books. Librarians are leaders in their communities – helping people of any age to find what they need to help improve their quality of life, in addition to offering a variety of programs to stimulate an interest in reading and learning. This September, let's make sure that every student has the most important school supply of all – a free library card.

New Fiction in September

- *A Column of Fire* by Ken Follett
- *Secrets in Death* by J. D. Robb

- *Don't Let Go* by Harlan Coben
- *Enigma* by Catherine Coulter
- *The Cuban Affair* by Nelson DeMille
- *Proof of Life* by J.A. Jance
- *Enemy of the State* (a Mitch Rapp novel) by Kyle Mills
- *Sleeping Beauties* by Owen King & Stephen King
- *The Summer That Made Us* by Robyn Carr
- *Life of Lies* by Sharon Sala
- *The Western Star* by Craig Johnson
- *Hidden Heart* by Nora Roberts
- *Sleep Like a Baby* by Charlaine Harris
- *The Romanov Ransom* by Robin Burcell and Clive Cussler
- *The Scarred Woman* by Jussi Adler-Olsen
- *The Proving* by Beverly Lewis
- *A Legacy of Spies* by John Le Carre
- *The Girl Who Takes an Eye for an Eye* (a Lisbeth Salander novel) by David Lagercrantz
- *One Dark Throne* by Kendare Blake