

The Circulation Desk

Information on THE LIBRARY PROJECT: Shepherdstown Public Library

September 2013

Support Your Public Library!

Mission: To provide a variety of information sources, educational and cultural programs and services to fulfill and inspire a civically and culturally engaged community.

Upcoming Events

September 16, 2013

Children's Story Time Programs begin.
Click [here](#) to sign up.

October 2013

Modern Pop Art Experience, After School Programs, Halloween Costume Parade, and more! To learn more, click [here](#).

October 9, 2013

Library Board Meeting: At 7 pm at the Shepherdstown Public Library.

From Brownfield to Green Space!

The final load of contaminated dirt, trash, scrap, and other miscellaneous junk was hauled from the new library site earlier this month. Triad surveyors will now begin preparing grids for the post-cleanup soil sampling. Once the positive results are in, the site will be graded, grass seed will be planted, and the former brownfield site will officially become green space! Time for another celebration? Not only will this project be done on time, but we also anticipate it will be completed significantly under budget - definitely something to celebrate!



BE LIBRARY STRONG!

Sign up at the library today!



September is Library Card Sign Up Month!

Library cards are free! If you are at least five years old, stop by, and we will provide you with a new library card in minutes!



BANNED!

Banned Books Week is September 22 – 28.

Celebrate your right to read and borrow a banned book from our display all week. The children's department will have a display of the top banned or challenged books from the past 20 years. Also, find out why books are banned and who tries to ban them. To learn more about banned and challenged books, visit [ala.org](#).

We would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the extraordinary and essential efforts of our Friends of the Shepherdstown Library (FOSL). **Thank you all for everything you do!** With FOSL support, we are able to provide our many programs for children and adults, add to our expanding collection of audio books and so much more. Click on the link below - be a FOSL!

What's next on the FOSL calendar? *Old FOSL's Rock*, an event to honor the original founders and key members of this important organization, will be held on Friday, November 8, 2013 from 7-9 pm at the Community Club. This fabulous event will feature Jay Hurley as Master of Ceremonies plus food and drink, local entertainment and a silent auction. Look for more information in our next edition.



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For more information about our library project or if you would like to make a donation, visit our new and improved website at www.lib.shepherdstown.wv.us, or contact Hali Taylor, Director, at 304-876-2783.