



School Libraries @ the Core

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NCSLMA 2012 Annual Conference

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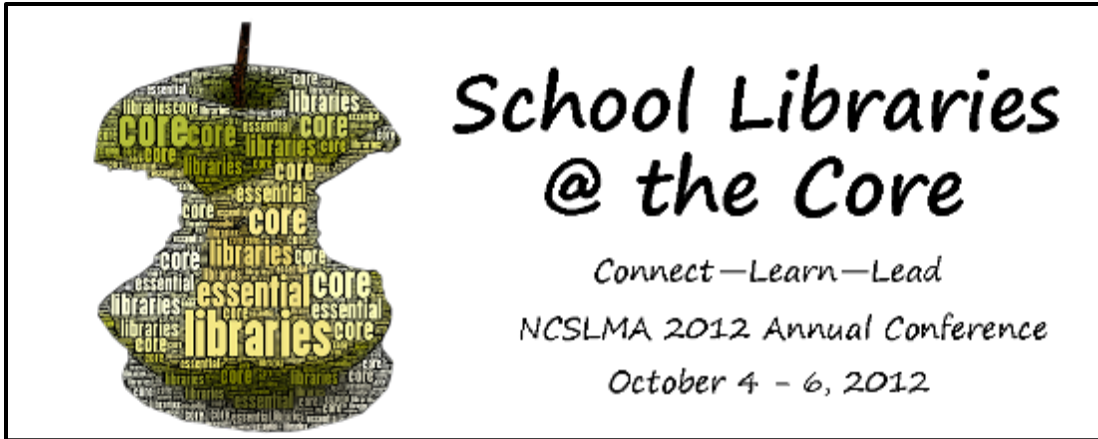
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Dear NCSLMA Members and Friends,

It has been a pleasure to plan this year's conference. We have such a diversity of talent in North Carolina and also in our neighboring states of Virginia and South Carolina. We welcome our friends from VASL and SCASL who have come to present several sessions at our conference.

The past few years have been a time of great change for many of us as our programs have been greatly impacted by economic change as well as new standards. I felt it was appropriate that we choose as our theme "*School Libraries @ the Core*" to recognize North Carolina's adoption of the Common Core and Essential Standards. We, as school library media specialists, have always known that school libraries are one of the key ingredients in a successful academic program. Now is the time to show our school stakeholders that the school library program staffed by a certified full-time school library media specialist is the essential tool to make teachers, students, and schools successful in meeting the new standards.

So, take this opportunity to learn more about how your school library can become the core of your school. And have a wonderful school year!

April M. Dawkins
NCSLMA President-Elect
Porter Ridge High School



Earning CEUs for this Conference

In order to earn continuing education credit for this conference, please fill out the final page of this program indicating the sessions/events you attended, and then total your hours. Please bring the completed page to the CEU tables at the times indicated in the conference schedule. You will receive a CEU certificate to submit to your local education agency.

NCSLMA Pre-Conference Schedule

Thursday, October 4, 2011

7:45 am – 1:00 pm	Registration for Pre-Conference - Gaines Ballroom Foyer
9:00 am – 3:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session A School Tours – Departs from Embassy Lobby
9 am – 4:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session B SMART Content Creation Seminar <i>Gaines Ballroom 1</i>
9 am – 4:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session E Leading from the Library: Maximizing Your Potential to Impact Student Achievement <i>- Atkins 1</i>
9 am – 12:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session C Connecting Comics to Curriculum <i>- Gaines Ballroom 2</i>
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Pre-Paid Lunch – The Garden Terrace in Embassy Suites
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session D Web 2.Uh!Oh! Making the leap from technoPHOBE to technoFAB! - <i>Gaines Ballroom 2</i>
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Supervisor's Meeting - <i>Ardmore 1</i>
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Registration for Conference - North Main Hall, Benton Convention Center

Session A Thursday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM – Departs from Embassy Lobby School Tours

Visit three media centers in the Winston-Salem Forsyth County School System—one renovated large high school, one historic building middle school, and one new elementary school. Lunch stop at a local restaurant will be included (cost not included). Your tour guide will discuss opening day collections, media center designs, obstacles between “dreams” and “reality”, and answer assorted facility questions. Pickup at the front of the Convention Center.

Session B Thursday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM – Gaines 1 SMART Content Creation Seminar Laura Bowers, SMART Exemplary Educator, Media Coordinator, Westwood Elementary School

Participants in this seminar will learn to create professional and interactive SMART Notebook lessons. Various tips and tricks for using SMART Notebook software’s interactive tools and Lesson Activity Toolkit will be shared. Effective ways to use other SMART tools (SMART Response, SMART Document Camera, SMART Slate) will be shared. Each participant needs to bring a laptop (with SMART Notebook 10 already installed) and any curriculum materials or lessons that need enhancing. Time will be given to SMARTen up an existing lesson!

Session C Thursday 9:00 AM - 12 Noon – Gaines 2

Connecting Comics to Curriculum

Karen Gavigan, Assistant Professor, School of Library and Information Science, University of South Carolina

Mindy Tomasevich, Media Coordinator, Mills Park Middle School, Cary, NC

Over the past few years, graphic novels have made their way into school libraries; motivating reluctant readers, helping students improve their visual literacy skills, and creating die-hard fans. Today's many acclaimed graphic novels, along with the huge increase in curriculum-based nonfiction graphic novels, have made it possible to bring graphic novels into the classroom. This session's emphasis will be on the educational benefits of graphic novels and will introduce ways to use them with subjects commonly taught in middle and high school.

Participants will receive a copy of *Connecting Comics to Curriculum: Strategies for Grades 6-12* (receiving at discounted price that has been included in the pre-conference fee), and will leave the session with standards-based lesson plans, lists of recommended titles, and strategies for using the power of curriculum-based graphic novels with students in grades 6-12.

Session D Thursday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM – Gaines 2

Web 2.Uh!Oh! Making the leap from technoPHOBE to technoFAB!

Jennifer LaGarde, Educator on Loan, NCDPI

Jennifer Northrup, Media Specialist, Flat Rock Middle School

Are you ready to take your practice to the next level, but feel overwhelmed by all the web 2.0 tools and technology gadgets being thrown your way? Do you want to engage today's digital learners in meaningful, technology rich lessons, but still need help mastering these resources yourself? If so, this session is for you! Bring your laptop and a desire to learn! Hands-on experience using the latest cool, often free and ALWAYS impactful technology resources will not only make you the envy of your colleagues but will also ignite the curiosity and enthusiasm of your 21st century learners. Take the skills you learn back to your school to increase your impact and promote your value and the importance of the media center.

Session E Thursday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM – Atkins 1

Leading from the Library: Maximizing Your Potential to Impact Student Achievement

Deanna Harris, Media & Technology Coordinator, East Cary Middle School

James "Rusty" Taylor, Lead Media Coordinator, Wake County Public Schools

Teacher librarians are the experts on the information and technology essential standards. We have the opportunity to impact every member of our school communities: students, teachers, and parents. While we are not considered administrators and often we are not thought of as teachers by our colleagues, we are an integral part of the teaching and learning teams in our buildings. Therefore, we must lead from the middle. It's time for school librarians to clear our plates, to focus on instruction in both information and technology literacy, and to build influence in our school communities. This full day pre-conference taps the leadership potential of participants. The facilitators will present information about effective leadership, assess participants' leadership readiness, and guide them to set goals to immediately affect change.

District Supervisor's Meeting 4:00pm-6:00pm—Ardmore 1



NCSLMA Conference Schedule

Twin City Quarter
Benton Convention Center / Embassy Suites

Friday, October 5, 2012

7:00 am – 5:00 pm	Registration for Conference - North Main Hall Foyer, Benton
7:45 am - 8:30 pm	Continental Breakfast, North Exhibit Hall, Benton
8:00 am - 11:50 am	Exhibits Open - North Exhibit Hall, Benton
8:30 am - 9:45 am	Opening General Session - North Main Hall A, Benton Keynote Speaker Buffy Hamilton
10:00 am - 10:50 am	Concurrent Session #1
11:00 am - 11:50 am	Concurrent Session #2
12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	All-Conference Luncheon - South Main Hall, Benton Featuring author of <i>This Book is Overdue!</i> , Marilyn Johnson
1:30 pm – 7:00 pm	Exhibits Open, North Exhibit Hall
1:30 pm - 2:20 pm	Concurrent Session #3
2:30 pm - 3:20 pm	Concurrent Session #4
3:30 pm - 4:20 pm	Concurrent Session #5
4:30 pm - 5:20 pm	Concurrent Session #6
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	All-Conference Reception, Awards, and Author Autographing Session - North Exhibit Hall
5:30 pm – 7:00 pm	CEU Forms, North Exhibit Hall, Benton
7:00 pm -	Independent Librarian Networking Dinner - Meet in Embassy Lobby

Saturday, October 6, 2012

7:00 am – 9:00 am	Registration for Conference - North Main Hall Foyer, Benton
7:30 am - 8:45 am	Toast and Tales Storytelling Breakfast - Gaines Ballroom, Embassy (pre-paid event) Featuring John Claude Bemis
8:00 am – 12 pm	Exhibits Open
9:00 am - 9:45 am	General Session and Business Meeting - North Main Hall A, Benton
10:00 am - 10:50 am	Concurrent Session #7
11:00 am - 11:50 am	Concurrent Session #8
11:30 am – 1:00 pm	CEU Forms, North Main Hall Foyer, Benton
12:00 am - 12:50 am	Concurrent Session #9
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm	Author Luncheon - South Main Hall, Benton (pre-paid event) Featuring Sharon M. Draper

Opening General Session

Friday, October 5, 2012

8:30 – 9:45 am

North Main A, Benton Convention Center

Buffy Hamilton, The Unquiet Librarian

Presents

People, Partnerships, and Participatory Culture: The Core of School Librarianship

How can school librarians help cultivate learning experiences in their collaborative endeavors with students and teachers to create meaningful connections between home, school, community, and the world? How do we create libraries as spaces of enchanted learning that smash old stereotypes and give students, teachers, parents, and administrators a new model for the possibilities of "library" that values formal, standards based learning as well as passion centered learning? Hamilton will share how a model of participatory librarianship and learning can provide the context for inquiry, collaborative knowledge building, and shared ownership of the narrative of "library" to enhance and expand the school community's vision of 21st century pedagogy.



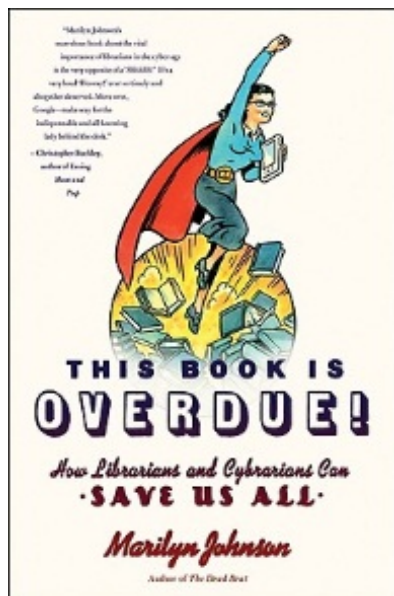
Buffy Hamilton is the founding librarian of "The Unquiet Library" at Creekview High School in Canton, Georgia. Hamilton, who earned her Ed.S. in Instructional Technology and School Library Media at the University of Georgia in 2005, taught high school English courses and served as an educational technology specialist for the Cherokee County School District before deciding she wanted to be a librarian when she grew up. She is passionate about creating library experiences for her students that will encourage them to be lifelong learners; she collaborates extensively with the teachers and students in her school to create learning experiences to foster students' information fluency and digital citizenship skills, the cultural capital students need to fully participate in today's society. She blogs at The Unquiet Librarian as well as ALA Learning. Hamilton also serves as Communications Coordinator/Chair for the Georgia Library Media Association, Social Media Chair for the AASL National Conference 2011 Committee and is a member of the Interdivisional Committee on Information Literacy AASL / ACRL.

All Conference Luncheon Featuring Marilyn Johnson

12:00 – 1:15 pm, South Main Hall – ticket included with pre-registration

Marilyn Johnson celebrates libraries and librarians as essential players in the information age in her book *This Book Is Overdue! How Librarians and Cybrarians Can Save Us All* (Harper). Johnson has become a sought after keynote speaker at library associations and conferences, libraries, and universities. The Philadelphia Free Library called her a “library sciences heroine.”

Although futurists predicted that libraries would be dead by now, and many dismiss librarians as irrelevant in the age of Google, Johnson argues with passion and humor that librarians are more important than ever. Her speeches and presentations demonstrate how savvy and wired librarians are not just necessary, but indispensable. She profiles a dazzling array of visionary librarians who fuse the tools of the digital age with love of the written word and the old-fashioned values of free speech, open access, and scout-like assistance to all who need it. She shows how this new breed of librarian is the missing link between proliferating technology and information and the ordinary person with an old PC and a library card. Johnson’s encounters with creative librarians continue and, along with her ability to illuminate the profession in surprising and perceptive ways, she has emerged as an outspoken advocate of library funding and an energetic leader in mobilizing authors for libraries.



Johnson was a staff writer for *Life* and an editor at *Esquire*, *Redbook*, and *Outside* magazines. Her first book, *The Dead Beat: Lost Souls, Lucky Stiffs, and the Perverse Pleasures of Obituaries* (HarperCollins), was a finalist for the B&N Discover Award and a selection of the *Border's* Original Voice program. She has written obituaries for Princess Diana, Jackie Onassis, Katharine Hepburn, and Marlon Brando.

Johnson lives with her family in Briarcliff, New York.

Please join her for further discussion of our All-Conference Read, *This Book is Overdue*, during the Concurrent Session immediately following the luncheon. Her session will take place in North Main D.

Arrangements for the appearance of Marilyn Johnson made through HarperCollins Speakers Bureau, NY, NY.

All Conference Reception, Awards, and Author Autographing Session

Friday, October 5, 2012, 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm, North Exhibit Hall

The All Conference Reception includes the presentation of awards for the North Carolina Children's Book Award, Read 2 Succeed Grants, and the Action Research Grant.

Special Entertainment provided by Melvil Dewey!



Melvil Dewey teaches children the importance of libraries in our communities, advocates reading and introduces basic library skills. His first single, The Dewey Decimal Rap, has over half a million hits on YouTube and is being distributed worldwide by McGraw-Hill in 2012. Meanwhile, two of his music videos have been deemed by The Huffington Post as two of the nine funniest library videos ever. Complete with book turntables, a rapping book drop and golden library cards, this high-energy hip hop artist empowers children to speak up for their library and encourages them to become lifelong readers.

Author Autographing Session will include:



John Claude Bemis
Clockwork Dark Trilogy
Toast and tales



Sharon Draper
The Jericho Trilogy
Author Luncheon Speaker



Marilyn Johnson
This Book is Overdue!
All Conference Luncheon Speaker



Mark Fearing
The Book That Eats People
NCCBA Picture Book Winner



John Perry
The Book That Eats People
NCCBA Picture Book Winner



Beth Revis
Across the Universe



Carrie Ryan

Forest of Hands and Teeth



Kelly Starling-Lyons

Tea Cakes for Tosh



David Macinnis Gill

Black Hole Sun



Monika Schroder

Saraswati's Way



Dawn Cusick

Cool Animal Names



A.J. Hartley

Darwen Arkwright and the Peregrine Pact



Sue Soltis

Nothing Like a Puffin

Independent Librarian Networking Dinner

Gather in the Embassy Suites Lobby at 7 pm following the Awards Reception to go out to eat together. Contact Mark Kmidowski with questions – mkmidowski@cannonschool.org.

ECU Reception

The East Carolina University Department of Library Science will be hosting a reception in the Corpening Room of the Marriott from 5:30 to 7:00. All are welcome. If you are interested in learning more about the ECU Master in Library Science degree program, please come by for light refreshments. Faculty of the degree program will be available to talk about the program. Students and graduates of the ECU program are encouraged to join us.



NCSLMA Grants and Awards

Media Coordinator of the Year, Administrator of the Year, and the Scholarships are presented at the All-Conference Luncheon on Friday. Grants are presented at the Awards Reception on Friday evening.

Media Coordinator of the Year (Award sponsored by Follett Library Resources) is presented to a media coordinator, or team of media coordinators at one school, in recognition of outstanding performance in a school library media center. This year, NCSLMA is recognizing four regional finalists. The state-wide winner will be announced at the All-Conference Luncheon on Friday.

This year's award is presented to

- Eastern Region — April Benton, Hertford Grammar School, Perquimans County.
- Piedmont East Region — Andrea Lyons, Sycamore Creek Elementary, Wake County
- Piedmont West Region – Natalie Strange, Piney Grove Elementary School, Winston-Salem / Forsyth County Schools
- Mountain Region – Jennifer Northrup, Flat Rock Middle School, Henderson County

Administrator of the Year (Award sponsored by Hart, Inc.) is presented annually to recognize an administrator who has made an outstanding contribution(s) to advancing the role of the school library media program in the state of North Carolina.

This year's award is presented to

- Robert Grimes, Assistant Superintendent and previously principal of North Brunswick High School, Brunswick County.

Scholarship Winners (\$1000.00 each)

Two scholarships will be presented annually to increase the number and quality of school library media personnel in North Carolina. The scholarship will be used to assist in the cost of having successfully completed one three-hour graduate course leading to a graduate degree in library science and a North Carolina 076 Media Coordinator certification.

This year's scholarships are presented to

- Pamela Jean Frick, MLS, East Carolina University. Media Coordinator, Sardis Elementary School, Union County
- Julie L. Sellers, MLS, East Carolina University. Media Coordinator, Nakina Middle School, Columbus County

AASL Scholarship for Fall Forum

This year's scholarship is presented to

- Natalie Sapkarov of Smith Middle School, Chapel Hill.

Read2Succeed Winners

NCSLMA Read2Succeed grants are available to K-12 NCSLMA member media coordinators (certified or provisional) in public or private schools, in partnership with classroom teachers, for innovative projects that foster the integration of media / information skills into the K-12 curriculum. The focus is on individual media coordinators and teachers rather than on districtwide projects.

This year's grants are awarded to

1. Author Mentors and Student Readers and Writers (\$1000.00)

Marvin Ridge Middle School, Waxhaw, NC

Project Manager: Brita Mann, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Dan Stone, 6th Grade Language Arts Teacher

2. The Elements of Mystery: A Digital Museum of the Unexplained (\$968.43)

Archer Lodge Middle School, Wendell, NC

Project Manager: Becky Palgi, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Jenna Taylor, Language Arts Teacher

Project Staff: Elena Shilova Guy, ESL Teacher

3. Kindles for Kiddies (\$989.48)

GR Whitfield School, Grimesland, NC

Project Manager: Kathy Toriello, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Stephanie Perry, 3rd Grade Teacher

4. Light a Reading Fire with Kindles! (\$995.00)

Westwood Elementary School, West Jefferson, NC

Project Manager: Laura Bowers, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Mandy Taylor, AIG Teacher

5. Literacy Lives: Connecting School and Community with Reading and Storytelling (\$1000.00)

Walkertown Middle/High School, Walkertown, NC

Project Manager: Gina Webster, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Kristina Allred, ELA Teacher

6. S.U.R.G.E (\$1000.00)

Newton Conover High School, Newton

Project Manager: Beverly Hall, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Keith Wilson, Language Arts Teacher

Project Staff: Laura Zinkhan, Theater Arts Teacher

7. World History Comes Alive with Overdrive eBooks (\$1000.00)

East McDowell Junior High, Marion

Project Manager: Vickie Blackenship, Media Coordinator

Project Staff: Alan Glover, World history Teacher

Action Research Grant

Susan Varner, Wayne Avenue School, Harnett County. Proposal Title: MEETING REAL REFERENCE NEEDS: *Reorganization of traditional nonfiction, fiction, and reference sections with common core standards.*

Toast and Tales Storytelling Breakfast Featuring John Claude Bemis

Saturday, October 6, 2012 7:30 – 8:45 am Gaines Ballroom

(Pre-Paid ticketed event)



An inspiring speaker and entertaining performer, John Claude Bemis brings his passions for music, Southern folklore, and spinning exciting tales to his novels and presentations. The first novel in his Clockwork Dark trilogy, *The Nine Pound Hammer*, was nominated for the North Carolina Children’s Book Award and was selected as a New York Public Library Best Children’s Book for Reading and Sharing. The trilogy continues with *The Wolf Tree* and *The White City* and has been described as “original and fresh” and “a unique way of creating fantasy.” His latest novel is *The Prince Who Fell from the Sky*. A musician and teacher, John lives with his wife and daughter in Hillsborough, NC.

Author Luncheon

Featuring Sharon M. Draper

Saturday, October 6, 2012, 1:00 – 2:30 pm, South Main Hall

(Pre-Paid ticketed event)

Sharon M. Draper is a professional educator as well as an accomplished writer. She has been honored as the National Teacher of the Year, is a five-time winner of the CSK Literary Award, and is a NYT bestselling author. She is a Milken Family Foundation National Educator Award winner, and is the recipient of the Dean’s Award from Howard University, the Pepperdine University Distinguished Alumnus Award, and the Marva Collins Education Excellence Award. In 2009 she received the Doctor of Laws Degree from Pepperdine University. She has been honored at the White House six times, and was chosen as one of only four authors in the country to speak at the National Book Festival in Washington, D.C. Her book *Copper Sun* was selected by the US State Department and the International Reading Association for the international project called Reading Across Continents. She has published 27 award-winning books for teens, tweens, and teachers. Her books are required reading in schools across the country.



Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Teaching with Nonfiction**

Common Core and Essential Standards emphasize teaching with nonfiction. Are you ready? In this workshop we will introduce nonfiction titles, and present teaching strategies that use nonfiction to enhance instruction. This session is appropriate for elementary and middle school media specialists. Handouts will be provided.

Margaret Gregor, Appalachian State University

Connie Green, Appalachian State University

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main B

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Finding Rhyme and Reason: Celebrating Poetry**

Common as an apple core,
The joy of poetry is more!
Come to this session of verse
And learn poetry's no curse!
New titles, technology, and ideas will be the handout at the door.

Sue C. Kimmel, Old Dominion University

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main C

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**SMARTBoards @ the core**

Do you have a SMARTBoard and don't quite know what to do with it? Come see how SMART tools are used to engage students during library lessons. SMART Notebook 11 will be showcased and the SMART slate, SMART document camera, and SMART Response System will be demonstrated.

Laura Bowers, Westwood Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Lesson Planning and Development

Room: North Main D

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Bring Your Glasses, We're Going to Read the Fine Print!**

With the rise of electronic devices in our schools we are responsible for reading the fine print. What are COPPA and CIPA, why do we care? Where can students get resources that they can use? Our session will outline best practices for Media Coordinators and others to follow when introducing and using online tools (checking Terms of Service and Privacy Policies). We will also share our lists of places to find creative commons media.

Casey Rimmer, Union County Public Schools

Lisa Thompson, Union County Public Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main E

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Collection Development for a Common Core School**

What should adoption of the Common Core Standards mean for school libraries? How do we find quality non-fiction materials? How will you get the word out about how you fit into the Common Core? Quality non-fiction resource lists will be shared along with traditional journal review sources and less traditional web review sources. Suggestions for how to make a difference for your library program, your students, and your school within the Common Core philosophy.

Karen Perry, Retired Media Coordinator

Audience: Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: North Main F

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Dilution effects in nature nonfiction books: Can real science be fun?**

The broad spectrum of substance and style in nature nonfiction children's books invites important questions for librarians and authors. From cotton-candy fluff to encyclopedic tomes, this session will review this spectrum with a focus on benefits and costs of specific approaches. Interactive demonstration; includes handouts.

Dawn Cusick, Author, Haywood Community College

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main G

Featured Author

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Retooling Research**

Does the thought of research make you, your teachers, or your students cringe? Join Fran, a veteran English teacher and school librarian, as she shares web tools that can simplify and enhance your next research project. Leave armed with a "research toolbox" designed to lessen the "cringe factor"! Handouts.

Fran Bullington, Boiling Springs High School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: Ayers

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Implementing Common Core and NC Essential Standards with Intel Teach Tools and Resources**

Come join us for a session on how Intel Teach tools and resources can help assist North Carolina teachers with implementing the Common Core and NC Essential Standards.

Deborah Goodman, NCDPI, Instructional Technology, Region 2 Consultant

Gail Holmes, NCDPI, Instructional Technology, Educator on Loan

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development, Technology

Room: Ardmore 1

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Freedom! Using Newspapers to Teach About the First Amendment

Come learn how to make better use of an under-utilized resource in your library! Our 10th grade Civics/Economics students found examples in newspapers of our Constitution at work in everyday life and created a portfolio of articles about the five freedoms guaranteed by the First Amendment. Handouts.

Trudy Moss, Watauga High School

Judy Brown, Watauga High School

Susan Lawrence, Watauga High School

Audience: High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

New Release Books Your Students Will Love (Elementary)

Thousands of children's books are released each year; which do you choose? This booktalk highlights some of my new favorites among this season's outstanding new or soon-to-be released titles (Fall and Winter '13). The talk will include discussion of possible classroom uses, target audience, and why these particular books are so appealing. Participants will have access to personally review the titles discussed and will leave the session with a detailed hand out.

Leslie Bermel, Junior Library Guild

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Gaines 1

Vendor Session

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

GLBT Literature in NC School Libraries: Is GLBT Lit Taboo in North Carolina

This presentation discusses GLBT literature for secondary school audiences, describes the results of a survey of NC secondary media specialists towards GLBT literature collections, and reports the results of a data gathering project on the prevalence of GLBT novels NC high school library collections, between rural and urban school libraries.

John B Harer, East Carolina University

Audience: Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Intellectual Freedom

Room: Gaines 2

Friday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Copyright & Digital Literacy

As 21st Century media/technology specialists ever wondered whether copyright rules have changed with evolving technology tools and digital media? Wonder who is responsible for promoting ethical use in NC Essential Standards for Information & Technology Skills & Common Core? Join us as we present, discuss real life examples & Q & A on copyright. Handouts & Chocolate.

Susan W. Jackson, Davis Dr Middle School

Sonja S. Beckham, Wake County Public Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development, Ethics, Digital Literacy

Room: Terrace 3

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am**Digging Deep with Minecraft**

Grab your mining pick! In this session, Lucas Gillispie and Beth West will show you how they've unearthed deep student engagement and creativity by taking students on an adventure in learning in the popular sandbox game, Minecraft. You'll receive practical advice and resources to launch your own Minecraft program.

Lucas Gillispie, Pender County Schools Instructional Technology Facilitator

Beth West, Topsail Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Game based learning

Room: North Main B

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am**Tracking It! Documenting School Library Media Instructional Impact**

Capitalize on the school library program's potential to positively affect student achievement. Faculty from the University of South Carolina will share strategies for gathering evidence to demonstrate how your instructional role as a school librarian positively impacts student learning. Learn about a wiki and other resources, and share your strategies.

Dr. Karen Gavigan, School of Library and Information Science, University of South Carolina

Gerry Solomon, School of Library and Information Science, University of South Carolina

Dr. Donna Shannon, University of South Carolina-School of Library and Information Science

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Library Promotion

Room: North Main C

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am**Just One of the Gang: Disabilities in Inclusive Picture Books**

High quality picture books allow readers to see accurate portrayals of themselves as well as others who may be different from them. This presentation describes the preferred representation of characters with disabilities in picture books and shares many individual titles.

Linda Gann, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

Carol Bland, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

Audience: Elementary, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Professional Development

Room: North Main D

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am**At the Core of National Board Renewal**

If you are thinking about renewing your National Board Certification then this session is for you! Come learn what's involved in the process and have the steps broken down for you. Brainstorm ideas that you can use as part of the process. A copy of the presentation will be available.

Deb Christensen, Central Academy of Technology & Arts

Jackie Simpson, Union County Public Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: North Main E

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Homework Help: Science Resources from the National Library of Medicine

"No Child Left Behind" puts an emphasis on science education. It is important for students to have access to impartial and current science information to complete homework. The National Library of Medicine produces free databases and resources that are used by students. This demonstration will cover these useful resources and provide handouts and ideas for lesson plans and incorporating these resources into the curriculum.

Terri Ottosen, National Network of Libraries of Medicine, Southeastern Atlantic Region

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development, Science resources

Room: North Main F

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Meet the Author: Jody Rawley

Join Jody Rawley, a new author, as she discusses the publication of her educational book for middle teen readers. The book is set in Richmond, Virginia but includes lessons in various subjects of general interest (physics, literature, music, and others). Postcards and posters of the book's cover will be available for free.

Jody Rawley, Capital Media Enterprise, Inc.

Audience: Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main G

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

One Book, One School

This session will outline the process of implementing a school wide novel reading. Presenters will share their experiences from the past four years, including novel selection, scheduling, extension activities, and classroom teacher feedback. Examples of student created work from the program for each of the three novels will be on display. Presenters are a school librarian, math teacher and English teacher.

Tracie Below, Hope Middle School

Beth Sanderson, Hope Middle School

Jessica Nicholson, Hope Middle School

Audience: Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Ayers

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Doing it like Douglas...Florian that is!

Excite your students about poetry, art and research by exploring the works and style of poet and illustrator Douglas Florian. Collaboratively study Florian using journal articles to see how he works. Teach the research process while gathering facts for poetry. Use a wiki, graphic organizer, and online publication tool to create a wonderful book of your students' Florian-style poetry and art for them to keep. Leave this session with everything you need for this fun filled learning unit!

Brenda Shore, Conn Active Learning and Technology Magnet ES

Maureen Gsell, Laurel Park ES

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Research

Room: Ardmore 1

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

CSI in the Media Center

Find out how students worked as CSI (Character Setting Investigators) agents to figure out what the evidence says about a book. Participants will receive handouts of how to implement CSI in their media center and they will get to become CSI agents themselves. The lesson was used with middle school students but could be adapted for all ages.

Tammy Poindexter, Forbush Middle

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

New Release Books Your Students Will Love (Secondary)

Thousands of children's books are released each year; which do you choose? This booktalk highlights some of my new favorites among this season's outstanding new or soon-to-be released titles (Fall and Winter '13). The talk will include discussion of possible classroom uses, target audience, and why these particular books are so appealing. Participants will have access to personally review the titles discussed and will leave the session with a detailed hand out.

Leslie Bermel

Junior Library Guild

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Gaines 1

Vendor Session

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

PebbleGo- The Best Database for the K-3 Researcher

PebbleGo, the award winning PreK-3 database for reading and research, now offers four specific databases for early readers. With hundreds of topics and content areas, PebbleGo Animals, PebbleGo Earth & Space, PebbleGo Biographies and NEW PebbleGo social studies will entice the youngest of readers to explore and learn independently.

Melissa Kirchoff, Capstone

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: Gaines 2

Vendor Session

Friday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Collaboration Can-do!

Research shows that students learn best when librarians collaborate with classroom teachers, but many of us are in situations where collaboration seems nearly impossible: Fixed schedules, unwilling faculty, unsupportive administration, no time, no idea how to start.... This workshop will address these issues, one step at a time, enabling you to begin (or continue) the collaboration process with confidence and success. You will see examples of collaborative lessons for grades 1-4 and leave with a wealth of ideas that you can apply right away.

Jackie Mills, Cannon School

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: Terrace 3

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Introducing the North Carolina Literary Map

Partnering with the NC Center for the Book, the University Libraries at The University of North Carolina at Greensboro have developed an innovative online literary map of NC to support public interests, encourage student research, and document the state's rich literary tradition. We will demonstrate the functions of the website and database. We will hand out bookmarks.

Jennifer Motszko, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Kathelene McCarty Smith, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main B

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

The Other Side of Dark: The World of YA Dystopian Literature

Presenters will discuss recent trends and common characteristics of young adult dystopian literature and will booktalk recent titles that will be given as door prizes.

Linda Gann, University of North Carolina, Greensboro

Karen Gavigan, University of South Carolina

Audience: Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Professional Development

Room: North Main C

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Meet the Author: Marilyn Johnson

Come meet our All-Conference Luncheon Speaker and discuss the future of libraries and her book *This Book is Overdue!*

Marilyn Johnson, author

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Professional Development

Room: North Main D

Featured Speaker

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Is your media program "common?"

What makes a great media program? What are Principals looking for in a media coordinator? How will the revised MCPAI help you develop a quality media program? Come share YOUR best practices and evidences for reflection and evaluation purposes.

Jackie Pierson, Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Library Promotion, Evaluation

Room: North Main E

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Best Websites for Teaching and Learning

The American Association of School Librarians Best Websites committee has been given the charge of producing a list of 25 winning websites in the area of teaching and learning. Bring your laptop or tablet and interact with this year's list.

Heather Moorefield-Lang, Virginia Tech

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main F

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

140 Character Professional Development: Using Twitter to Grow Your PLN

In this session, participants will learn how to harness the power of Twitter to connect with other librarians/educators, build a personal network and access daily, immediate and completely customized professional development.

Jennifer LaGarde, Educator on Loan, NCDPI

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: North Main G

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Getting to the Core with Primary Sources

Join two teacher-librarians who integrate children's literature with historical primary sources from the Library of Congress to extend learning throughout the curriculum. Share our experiences linking primary sources to literature, making books more relevant, and promoting inquiry-based learning to motivate and engage students.

Caryn Levy, Leicester Elementary School

Vicki Kolomechuk, Valley Springs Middle School

Anne Marie Walter, Mars Hill College

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Essential Standards

Room: Ayers

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Ebooks: on line or buy?

EBooks: Lots to think about and many ways to go. On line with tracking and writing such as www.biguniverse.com or buy/own or lease in pdf. Different options will be shown and pros and cons for each discussed.

Brett Eaker, Hart Inc.

Audience: Elementary, Middle
Presentation Strand: Technology
Room: Ardmore 1

Vendor Session

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Across the Curriculum ideas to use with the book: *The Year of the Perfect Christmas Tree*

Across The Curriculum unit for *The Year of the Perfect Christmas Tree* by Gloria Houston. Worksheets, Power Points, printable game board, Reader's Theatre, Jeopardy game, story starters, graphic organizers...are available for grades K-5. Common Core standards covered are Language Arts, Math, Science, Social Studies, Music/Drama and Art. Handouts are available and treat pokes.

Felicia Spurling, Greenlee Primary School

Michalle Lord, Gouge Primary

Audience: Elementary
Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion
Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

Building a Virtual Library with Capstone

Capstone Interactive Library has over 2000 eBooks for students in grades Prek-middle school to help gain confidence and increase reading success. Live voice interactive audio, word highlighting, unlimited usage, correlates to Common Core standards and more. Students have access anytime, anywhere there is Internet from home, library, or classroom year round! Plus, they are all device neutral including iPad compatible. Join me to learn more about our interactive eBooks and receive a free trial!

Melissa Kirchoff, Capstone

Audience: Elementary, Middle
Presentation Strand: Technology
Room: Gaines 1

Vendor Session

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm

How Multicultural is Your Media Center? A Practical Guide to the IFLA Guidelines

Ann Eddens suggests practical ways for North Carolina media specialists to follow the IFLA guidelines for a multicultural library. Includes a frank discussion of the issues facing librarians in this endeavor and a list of recommended multicultural books Ms. Eddens reviewed herself at the International Youth Library in Munich, Germany.

Ann Eddens, Fall Creek Elementary School, East Bend

Audience: Elementary
Presentation Strand: Professional Development
Room: Gaines 2

Friday, 1:30 - 2:20 pm**I Coach, You Coach, We Coach, eCoach**

ABSS eCoach employs a “train the trainer” approach empowering educators in support of technology infused learning. Learn strategies for creating a district-wide collaborative team of dynamic educators to facilitate teaching, learning, collaboration, and seamless infusion of the ITES into all K-12 content areas.

Allison Bryan, Career and Technical Education Center

Emily Dillard, Alamance-Burlington School System

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development

Room: Terrace 3

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**Getting Started With Social Media in the Library**

In this presentation, you will learn what social media means in an educational setting, discover the benefits of using social media in your library, and explore some of the most popular social media components, including social networking, twitter, blogs, wikis and more!

Jessica Lofton, Kaplan University

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main B

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**North Carolina Digital Collections Tour**

Finding quality online sources got you down? Join the presenters to learn about the photographs, letters, books, and more in the North Carolina Digital Collections. This free online resource holds thousands of digital items from the State Library and State Archives. You'll find everything from manuscripts like the Carolina Charter of 1663 to photographs of Cherokee sports to books on the Civil War. More items are added every week! Join the presenters for a tour highlighting resources of interest to educators.

Lisa Gregory, State Library of North Carolina

Tiffanie Mazanek, State Archives of North Carolina

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Library Promotion

Room: North Main C

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**One student - one vote - NCYA Book Award Preview and Promotion**

Learn more about the new titles on the 2012-2013 North Carolina Young Adult Book Award lists for middle and high school. Get your students involved in the voting process this year by promoting these books in your library and giving students the opportunity to have their voice heard in voting for their favorite book. We will have promotional items and door prizes to give away to session participants.

Brita Mann, Marvin Ridge Middle School

Sheila Allen, South Davidson

Blake Norby, Chapel Hill High School

Kim Smith, Charlotte Latin School

Robin Moeller, Appalachian State University

Robin Jordan, North Gaston High School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main D

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**The Power of Data: An Introduction to Using Data to Improve Library Programs**

Using data to improve schools has been a focus for the last 15 years. School libraries have access to local, state, and national data that can help in improving programs, facilities, and instruction. Learn how to advocate for change by benchmarking your program to other successful programs. This session will demonstrate where data can be found and how it can be used. Participants will have time to work with an actual data set.

Sandra Andrews, UNC-Greensboro

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: North Main E

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**Arts 2.0**

In this interactive session attendees will learn how the arts can be integrated into the library. From there they will see great websites and other mobile technologies that can be used to enhance those arts-based experiences. Music, art, theater, poetry, dance and more can all happen in the library. Participants are encouraged to bring their creativity and favorite form of technology because they will be writing, drawing, learning, and sharing.

Heather Moorefield-Lang, Virginia Tech

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main F

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**What's in the Box?**

In this interactive Jacques Cousteau and Cirque de Fromage inspired program, John Perry will explore the connections between bistro cooking, bonsai forests, MAD MEN, Django Reinhardt, Election Day, iced coffee, and dangerous books. He will also talk about writing, play some music, and reveal terrible secrets.

John Perry

NCCBA 2012 Picture Book Winning Author

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main G

Featured Author

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**Using Picture Books with Big Kids**

Think picture books are just for the lower grades? Think again! Join us for book talks of some of the best new titles and how they can be incorporated into upper elementary and middle school classrooms. Come see what publishers are creating to support our Common Core curriculums.

Betsy Crone, Southeast Guilford Middle

Cheryl Bullard, Lincoln Academy

Audience: Middle, Upper elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Ayers

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**Religious Diversity and Children's Literature**

Religious diversity is an important component of the cultural strand of the new Essential Standards for social studies. Participants in this session will learn about the best books to build understanding of different beliefs and practices throughout the world. Book lists for kindergarten to middle school will be provided.

Connie Green, Appalachian State University

Sandra Oldendorf, Appalachian State University

Audience: Elementary, Middle, Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: Ardmore 1

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm**Time to Teach**

Time To Teach is a discipline program that fosters optimum learning behaviors in diverse classrooms across the country. The past fifty years have brought about rapid changes in family structure, technology, the media, as well as political decision making, and pedagogy. Time To Teach supplies Generation Y with appropriate tools for building a classroom with clearly defined limits, mutual respect, and warm emotional support in an effort of facilitating learning for all.

Carmen Holley, Ridge Spring-Monetta High School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Professional Development

Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm

Free Online Resources from DPI

The implementation of the Common Core and NC Essential Standards has resulted in an increased emphasis on research and higher-level thinking skills. This session will focus on supporting the new standards by using online resources available through DPI's WiseOwl program.

Dan Sparlin, NC WiseOwl Webmaster

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Common Core

Room: Ardmore 3

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm

Children's Story Telling and Young Adult Storytelling

Join two local storytellers in an interactive workshop. J. Ruffin-Pittman's Storytelling workshop is a history lesson for young adult readers. She tells the story of The Middle Passage that was enhanced by reading Sharon Draper's book, *Copper Sun*. She also tells a story called "The Emancipation Proclamation" that is also based on history from the Pre-Civil War Era. Patti Lambe's Storytelling workshop is a history lesson and she has a plethora of lessons to choose. She uses magic tricks and has handouts for the participants.

Jacquelyn Ruffin-Pittman, Northwest Halifax High School

Patti Lambe, Patti Cake The Storyteller

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 1

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm

Glogster, it's as easy as 1-2-3!

Step by step instructions on how to implement Glogster in an elementary school setting - from staff development to PTA funding to collaboration with teachers. Student examples will be shared. Demonstration and practice with Glogster will be facilitated as time (and connectivity) allows. Will use an Edmodo for follow-up questions and sharing of ideas.

Lisa Rose, Moyock Elementary School

Teresa Burnett, Moyock Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development

Room: Gaines 2

Friday, 2:30 - 3:20 pm

Daily 5 and The Library Media Center

Daily 5 is being used in elementary schools across North Carolina. Learn about its components and how the library media center can help support classroom teachers in making Daily 5 successful in their classrooms.

Jennifer Jones, St. Stephens Elementary School

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Terrace 3

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Exploring Uses for Nooks: eBooks and Beyond**

Join two media specialists, school and district levels, present our combined experiences implementing Nooks. We will cover instructional ideas, programs that have worked, as well as managing and maintaining the Nooks and their associated ebooks, apps, and other content. We will emphasize extending Nook use into a reading response and sharing tool. Time for Q and A included, along with devices with sample books and apps. Handouts in electronic format.

Joanna Gerakios, Pitt County Schools

Kellie Williams, Northwest Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology

Room: North Main B

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**The Unwritten Research Paper**

Today's students have so many options for demonstrating mastery concept. Why limit them to just a research paper? Come learn new, engaging, and interesting ways to offer students alternate avenues for showing they are learning. Leaving paper & pencils behind, try some interesting assignments that will not only add to your teacher's tech toolbox, but will engage your students!

Cathy Jo Nelson, Dorman High School - Spartanburg District 6

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Library Promotion

Room: North Main C

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Keeping Lit at the Core**

How can we keep recreational reading a priority when Common Core focuses on nonfiction? Come learn how librarians can be champions for reading AND support the Common Core.

Monique German, Powdersville Middle School

Tamara Cox, Palmetto Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main D

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Common Core in the School Library**

The Common Core State Standards presents challenges for both teachers and school librarians as districts move toward implementation. The Common Core actually relates to many aspects of the AASL Learning Standards and can be an effective way to reach out for collaboration opportunities. Participants will explore how the Common Core relates to the school library curriculum and will create a collaborative lesson plan that utilizes both standards.

Sandra Andrews, UNC-Greensboro

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Professional Development

Room: North Main E

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm

Using EasyBib for Effective and Ethical Research

EasyBib is a powerful online research tool which helps students evaluate source credibility, avoid plagiarism with interactive citations, and organize research utilizing note taking and outlining components. A PowerPoint presentation with online demonstrations will highlight EasyBib features and student success with higher critical thinking. Handouts will be provided.

Katy Hill, Vance High School/Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools

Janet Jones, Harding University High School/Charlotte Mecklenburg-Schools

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Information Literacy

Room: North Main F

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm

The Three Amigas Present the 2013 NCCBA Nominees

Is your la biblioteca so boring that your students are ready for a siesta? Join the Three Amigas for the 2013 North Carolina Children's Book Award nominee presentation. Music, drama, prizes and hand-outs will be provided. What a fiesta of fun!

Debbie Archer, Ellis Middle School

Lisa England, Frank Morgan Elementary School

Vicki Stanfield, retired WSFCS

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: North Main G

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm

Comics and Graphic Novels: From Core and to Curriculum

This presentation highlights the ways that comic books can be used to support curriculum and strategies for encouraging use by classroom teachers. Examples of lesson plans that used with students and resources that would be helpful for generating ideas will be shared

Sarah Stanley, St. Timothy's School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion, Professional Development

Room: Ayers

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm

Creating Global Learning Communities Through Collaborative Partnerships with your School Library Media Center

Are your students global thinkers? Participants in our session will walk away with a toolkit of online resources to help embed global concepts into daily instruction, while promoting diversity and cultural awareness. Emerging technologies and media content, used to bring the world into North Carolina schools, will be presented.

Elizabeth Husketh, NBCT, Club Boulevard Humanities Magnet Elementary

Tracy Bell, NBCT, Southern High School

Sheila Matlock, Lowes Grove Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Global Connections

Room: Ardmore 1

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Covert Collaborators**

Modest country-girl, Tia Chur, moves to a rough neighborhood outside Charlotte, North Carolina. Her hopes for success seem unattainable. An unexpected encounter with the sassy, city-girl, Leah Brarian changes everything. Discovering they have more in common than anyone imagined, they work together to overcome their nemesis, Will Itterate. Interactive workshop/discussion presenting collaborative successes between SLMC and classroom teacher; handouts of lesson plans/ideas will be provided.

Angela Newton, Sadler Elementary School

Becky Perkins, Sadler Elementary School

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology

Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Online Resources in the Classroom**

Topics covered in this session include sources for online print and multimedia materials to support the Common Core and NC Essential Standards, and guidelines for using them ethically. Sharing of copyright issues and questions is encouraged.

Dan Sparlin, NC WiseOwl Webmaster

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Common Core

Room: Ardmore 3

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Teens in Translation: The Mildred L. Batchelder Award**

Come learn about a different resource for secondary reading: the Batchelder Award, given to publishers of books translated into English. Learn about the latest winners and honors, making connections to support the secondary curriculum and to encourage adults to make the global connection in their leisure reading.

Sue C. Kimmel, Old Dominion University

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Gaines 1

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm**Roman Adventure and the Common Core**

Historical fiction, well-written and researched, leads readers into the experience of an earlier time. The NCDPI-recommended curriculum for the novel, *Getorix: The Eagle and the Bull*, set in ancient Rome, will be used to illustrate the application of the focus of the Common Core Curriculum for sixth grade. CD Handouts.

Judith Geary, Appalachian State University

Audience: Middle

Presentation Strand: Common Core Curriculum support

Room: Gaines 2

Friday, 3:30 - 4:20 pm

Meet the Author: Kelly Starling Lyons

In a multimedia presentation, author Kelly Starling Lyons shares the history behind her books including *One Million Men and Me* and *Ellen's Broom*, and discusses her publication journey. She also gives a peek at *Tea Cakes for Tosh*, her forthcoming PB, and offers Classroom Guides and other hand-outs.

Kelly Starling Lyons, Children's Book Author

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading, Multicultural

Room: Terrace 3

Featured Author

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Get on Board - Using Games to Promote 21st Century Learning

Learn how a media coordinator and a seventh grade social studies teacher collaboratively planned a grant-funded unit on Ancient China integrating strategic board games. Join us to discover how board games can set the stage for 21st Century learning in your media center by developing learners' communication, collaboration, and critical thinking skills. Online handouts will be provided.

Becky Palgi, Archer Lodge Middle School

Joshua Hostetter, Archer Lodge Middle School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: 21st Century Learning

Room: North Main B

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Today a Reader, Tomorrow a Leader: Developing a District Approach to Reading

During the Summer of 2011, Brunswick County Schools launched its "Today a Reader, Tomorrow a Leader" Initiative to improve reading at all grade levels. Through a focus on collection development, self-selected reading, conferencing, and advocacy, circulation district-wide has increased more than 20%. Join us as we discuss how we prioritized reading, involved parents, and advocated for our libraries. Be willing to share your own best practices for getting the message out about reading.

Acacia Dixon, Brunswick County Schools

Robert Grimes, Brunswick County Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Library Promotion

Room: North Main C

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Learn to Love Nonfiction

Nonfiction: Books only a librarian would love. If this description fits your library come to this session to learn ideas to make your nonfiction more loveable. I will share how I ditched Dewey, improved my collection and increased circulation.

Tamara Cox, Palmetto Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Library Promotion

Room: North Main D

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Battle of the Books More than Just a Competition

You've ordered the books for 2012-13, so now what? Would you like to use the books on the B.o.B. list as a reading incentive program? Come to this session to learn how to adapt the program to meet the needs of all students at your school. We'll also share ideas for team selection, practice sessions, as well as rule changes and the timeline for this year's elementary and middle school competitions.

Jackie Simpson, Union County Public Schools

Leslie Black, Catawba County Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main E

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

History Gets Personal: Historical Fiction Mapped to the Curriculum

Come learn about a new resource created for use with the new Essential Standards Curriculum and SCOS Curriculum. Students, Librarians, and Social Studies/History Teachers in NC High Schools can benefit. This resource could also be useful for Middle Schools to a limited degree.

Keith Beisner, CHCCS / NCSSM

Audience: High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Professional Development, Resource for Librarians and Teachers

Room: North Main F

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Drawing Stories: In today's economy pictures are worth 3,500 words

This session will look at the ways in which drawings communicate narrative not only in books but across media.

Mark Fearing

NCCBA 2012 Picture Book Winning Illustrator

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main G

Featured Author

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Big 6 and Information Technology: Research Skills for the 21st Century Learner

Need help with teaching students research skills? The Big 6 research model incorporates research strategies via the use of technology, the development of an organized six steps research process, and ideas for culminating activities/projects. The Big 6 correlates with the Common Core and is part of the 21st Century Learner model. Handouts and web sites will be made available.

Kevin Clary, Poplar Springs Elementary/Stokes County Schools

Karen Barker, Mt. Olive Elementary/Stokes County Schools

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion, Research Skills

Room: Ayers

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

The Book You Read Today, Will Save You Tomorrow

Join native North Carolinian and writer, Sheila Moses, in an interactive session that will help teachers encourage their students to read and write their own books.

Shelia P. Moses, Writer

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Workshop for Writer

Room: Ardmore 1

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm

Lucy as the Media Specialist and AP US History Teacher: my year of dual roles, and what I learned.

Join Mary as she highlights her year serving as both the LMS (as the Lucy of the Library) and my bell of teaching AP US History during the 2011-2012, the lessons learned, and the technology used daily that proved most beneficial to as a classroom teacher, such as Edmodo, Dropbox, Hippocampus, Amazon mp3 Cloud, and other tech tools she could not live without while being in the classroom. Mary is going to focus not on the library, but how she walked the talk and used the tech she has preached about for years. Mary gained a new perspective on what we, as LMSs, ask our teachers to incorporate into their busy lives.

Mary B. Simmons, Currituck County High School

Audience: High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development

Room: Ardmore 2

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm**The School Library vs. Summer Brain Drain**

Why let your school media center sit empty all summer? You can help your students avoid the summer brain drain and they won't even know they are learning! This workshop will offer advice and ideas on how to turn your school media center into a place of action and excitement during the summer. Specific examples of activities will be given as well as handouts offered. Attendees will leave the session well-equipped to begin their own summer library programs.

Tracey Patterson, Murphey Traditional Academy - Guilford County Schools

Tammy Gruer, Guilford County Schools Library Media Services

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 1

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm**From Book Club to Storytelling Festival**

Learn how I grew our book club of one into a book and storytelling club of 32! We will discuss what worked for us and what can work for you. Participants will have access to our storytelling festival website which includes handouts and the results of our session's discussion.

Sara Levin, Falkland Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 2

Friday, 4:30 - 5:20 pm**Rev Up Readership with Speed Booking**

Promote new and interesting books and increase the visibility of the collection by introducing students to Speed Booking (aka Speed Book Dating) in this demonstration workshop. Learn the basic setup and how to add in Web 2.0 tools such as Voki and Pinterest. Time allowed for questions and shared ideas. Handouts.

Carla Shinn, Asheboro High School

Laura Holland, Asheboro High School

Audience: Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion

Room: Terrace 3

**Saturday, October 5, 2012, 9:00 – 9:45 am, North Main A
General Session & Business Meeting**

Please join us as we learn about the “State of the State” of NC school libraries from Jennifer LaGarde, NCDPI’s new Educator on Loan. Meet Kathy Parker, NC DPI’s new School Library Media Consultant. And learn about the “State of the Association” from the NCSLMA Executive Board.

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Game On! Using Game Based Learning To Ramp Up Your Instruction

In this session, participants will learn about a successful collaboration between a SLMS and MS math teacher that both incorporates console video game systems like the Nintendo Wii/xBox Kinect and Game Based Learning strategies to impact student learning.

Jennifer LaGarde, Educator on Loan, NCDPI

Ryan Redd, Myrtle Grove Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development, Instructional Collaboration

Room: North Main B

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Our Story

Our story is the history of African Americans. One story, "How the Hurricane Came to Be" is similar to Sharon Draper's Copper Sun. The story is shortened so that it can be told to an elementary audience. Also, "The Emancipation Proclamation" is the story of Negro freedom. Some of the Poetry such as, Bronze my body beautiful is about building young African American girls' self-esteem. The poem Africa is explaining the beauty of Africa.

Jackie Ruffin-Pittman, Halifax County Schools

Renee Andrews, Winston Salem Public Library

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: North Main C

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Meet the Author: David Macinnis Gill

Come and meet young adult author, David Macinnis Gill. He is the author of *Black Hole Sun*, *Invisible Sun*, and *Soul Enchilada* and a previous NC Young Adult Book Award Nominee.

David Macinnis Gill, Author

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main D

Featured Author

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

It's a bird! It's a plane! It's... a school media specialist!

With the transition to the new standards in full-swing, school librarians and media specialists are true super heroes in schools these days. During this session, we'll share how LEARN NC is helping all educators with this standards transition. We'll also share updates about our latest projects and partnerships.

Lesley Richardson, LEARN NC

Melissa Harden, LEARN NC

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology, Professional Development

Room: North Main E

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**Empowering Digital Classroom Curriculum**

This session will explore ways we're partnering with schools to integrate resources into classroom curriculum, enhancing learning. We'll show how digital tools help students assimilate information literacy skills, critical thinking and problem solving into everyday research assignments. Educators will learn to engage students in unique ways, preparing them for success.

Kelsey Hagan, Cengage Learning

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Professional Development

Room: North Main F

Vendor Session**Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am****Fresh Books! A Read 2 Succeed Grant**

Fresh Books is my way of adding the "freshest" books to our media center--and who better to pick the books than the students? It's amazing what goes in our shopping cart! Freshman English classes + Barnes and Noble + \$20 per student = tons of fun!

Sarah Justice, Rosman High School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: North Main G

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**The Parents' Book Club: A Tool for literacy, leisure reading, and advocacy**

A Parents' Book Club can be a powerful tool for your Media Center and your school. Learn the benefits of hosting a Parents' Book Club, as well as, the 'nuts and bolts' of organizing and conducting the meetings. You will leave this session with ideas to motivate parents to read 'tween' and teen literature and, in the process, help them promote reading in their homes, while gaining an appreciation of your impact on students and the school.

Cynthia Curtis, Hanes Magnet School

Audience: Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Ayers

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am**We took 22 Kindergarteners to SeaWorld and Were Back in Time for Lunch!: Project-based Learning and 21st Century Skills in the Elementary Classroom**

Can a "Research Day" be as much fun as a pizza party or pajama day for a bunch of 5-year olds? You bet, especially when they choose the topic! See how one phone call changed teaching and learning at our school and broadened SeaWorld's educational outreach.

Nancy Torborg, Root Elementary

Jane Hemingway, Root Elementary

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, 21st Century Skills

Room: Ardmore 1

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Everyone Reads: Building a Culture of Reading

Our panel discussion will present Piney Grove's efforts to build a community of readers through a one-book school culture. Students took a pre and post survey to evaluate the effectiveness of the program. We will share our results, the survey questions, discussion questions and events related to *Trumpet of the Swan*.

Natalie Strange, Piney Grove Elementary

Susie Routh, Piney Grove Elementary

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Ardmore 2

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

QR Codes in The Library Revisited

What started out as collaboration between a high school and an elementary librarian has developed into more uses for QR codes. Presenting ideas on how to use QR codes in the media center to promote reading and to collaborate with classroom teachers. Also if you haven't used them before we will explain how to create them.

Joann Absi, Ashley High School

Celesta Woodard, Carolina Beach Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: Gaines 1

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

Collaboration to the Core

How do our media centers meet the needs of our teachers and students through the implementation of Common Core and NC Essential Standards? Come see how two media centers are working to provide nonfiction resources to help teachers combine Social Studies, Science and Health with the new ELA standards. This will be a panel discussion and a website with resources will be provided.

Stephanie Bode, Dobson Elementary

Kristi Calton, Rockford Elementary

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion, Common Core and Essential Standards

Room: Gaines 2

Saturday, 10:00 - 10:50 am

It's the Hook in the Book!

Looking for a way to encourage circulation of those great books that often get overlooked? Book talk those books by "hooking" your patrons and watch their interest be peaked for reading. Presentation will include book talk demonstrations and discussion of various types of book talks. Handouts and Example Book talks will be included.

Brene Duggins, Pilot Elementary School

Sheila Allen, South Davidson Middle/High

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Terrace 3

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

SARASWATI'S WAY - Inspiration and Challenges of Writing a Novel set in India

Monika Schröder, author of the middle grade novel, SARASWATI'S WAY (Farrar 2010), who lived and worked for eight years in India, will tell how she came up with the idea of writing about an Indian street child and share her research and writing process as well as challenges she encountered while working on the story. The presentation includes teaching ideas around the novel.

Monika Schröder, author

Audience: Elementary, Middle, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main C

Featured Author

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Meet the Author: Beth Revis

Come and meet young adult author, Beth Revis. She is the author of *Across the Universe* and *A Million Suns*. She is also a previous NC Young Adult Book Award Nominee.

Beth Revis, author

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

North Main D

Featured Author

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Leveraging NCWiseOwl as a resource for Common Core

NCWiseOwl is an excellent resource provided by DPI for schools to use which includes free online subscription databases. NCWiseOwl engages students in critical thinking related to research projects, homework assignments, and digital reading. The rigor emphasized within Common Core for "high-level cognitive demand includes reasoning, justification, synthesis, analysis, and problem-solving" can be successfully integrated into student learning with NCWiseOwl. This workshop will focus primarily on the Common Core ELA standards for middle schools but can be adapted for all grade levels. Participants will receive a resource guide for NCWiseOwl and the relevant crosswalk to the Common Core ELA standards.

Kevin Washburn, Alexander Graham Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Library Promotion, Common Core

Room: North Main E

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Dream Big: Read

Discover an amazing reading assembly designed to help students celebrate reading and live their dreams. Here is your chance to preview our newest motivational reading program. See firsthand how students are captivated by stories, magic tricks, puppets, music and more! This show is a perfect way to celebrate Read Across America, Reading month, Black History month or any reading incentive you might need.

Steve Somers, Amazing Teacher

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: North Main F

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

APPilicious

Are you overwhelmed with all of the amazing apps available for your iPad? Join us for a smackdown type session where we briefly share some amazing apps for you to use. Be prepared to not only use apps to increase productivity but to enhance student learning.

Jennifer Northrup, Flat Rock Middle School

Jennifer Abel, North Henderson High School

Audience: Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main G

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Weeding with Students: Exciting, Authentic learning for real world information literacy

Demonstrating weeding with middle school students. Students love weeding, and they develop a more profound understanding of sources, librarianship, and collection development. This unit teaches real-world information literacy as students learn about developing collections alongside the curriculum and the budget. I would include the forms the students and I use.

Heather Siekkinen, Our Lady of Lourdes School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Collection Development

Room: Ayers

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Journaling and the Media Center

Journaling is a great way to effectively manage artifacts! Find out how year-long K-5 journals for large numbers of students can provide artifacts, effective student strategies for research, reflection and supporting data for individual education plans. Preparation strategies, cost and time lines will be provided.

Janice Corbett Williams, North Ridge Elementary School

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading, Research/Artifacts

Room: Ardmore 1

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Truth at the Core of Fiction

Gloria Houston, Internationally celebrated educator and author, Judith Geary, NCDPI-recommended author, Julia Ebel, “keeper of stories,” and Terry Roberts, Director of the National Paideia Center, discuss the truth at the core of their fiction -- the role of research and the social sciences in bringing historical fiction to life. Handouts.

Judith Geary, Appalachian State University

Gloria Houston, author

Julia Ebel, author

Terry Roberts, The National Paideia Center

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Ardmore 2

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Great Ideas for Every Educator

Get new ideas from Britannica Digital Learning for interactive whiteboards, differentiated instruction, eBooks, and more. Elementary educators are encouraged to attend – hear the new Read Aloud feature! New features support standards for reading, math, geography, history, and science, including thousands of student activities and teacher resources. Chance to win!

Jack Deyton, Britannica Digital Learning

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 1

Vendor Session

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Be an Intellectual Freedom Fighter: Responding to Challenges @ Your School Library

Learn how to prepare for and respond to a challenge to library materials. Explore tools for justifying the inclusion of materials in your collection and the legal issues involved. Leave this lecture with a toolkit for ensuring your students have access to a relevant, balanced, and diverse school library collection.

Kimberly Hirsh, LEARN NC

William Cross, North Carolina State University

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Professional Development, Intellectual Freedom

Room: Gaines 2

Saturday, 11:00 - 11:50 am

Collaborative Planning Through a TPACK Lens

Why not sharpen your skills of collaboration? There is a gap between media specialists' potential as curriculum consultants and actual practice (Berkowitz and Eisenberg 1989). At the juncture of three types of professional knowledge (Technological, Pedagogical and Content), is the professional "sweet spot." Let's examine collaboration through the TPACK lens.

Julian Wilson, Region 4 NCDPI Instructional Technology Consultant

Ouida Myers, Region 5 NCDPI Instructional Technology Consultant

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Collaboration, Professional Development

Room: Terrace 3

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm

eBook and Digital Content Solutions for the Library and Classroom Support

The goal of this presentation is to showcase new and exciting digital resources that will support your library program, implement school reading initiatives, and assist with the librarian's effort to support classroom objectives. Sharing ideas of how to promote your library's relevance to improve your schools test scores as well as preparing for the common core curriculum will be included in this demo / discussion.

Karei Swift, Follett Library Resources

Chris Healy, Follett Library Resources

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion, Professional Development

Room: North Main B

Vendor Session

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm

Keeping the Tradition: Sharing Storytelling with Students

Learn practical ways to bring local and national storytellers to your school, as well as other ways to share the art of storytelling with your students. Presentation will feature an exciting presentation by a local storyteller.

Lori Warner, The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion, Storytelling

Room: North Main C

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm

Meet the Author: Carrie Ryan

Come and meet young adult author, Carrie Ryan. She is the author of the *Forest of Hands and Teeth* trilogy. She is also a previous NC Young Adult Book Award Nominee.

Carrie Ryan, author

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: North Main D

Featured Author

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm

NCpedia: An Interactive Reference Tool

Learn about NCpedia, an online encyclopedia about North Carolina managed by the State Library of North Carolina, and how your school can use it to enhance learning. Struggling to find innovative resources to engage students in your media center? Find out how NCpedia interests students by offering video research tutorials, incorporating primary and secondary sources, and is an interactive technology where students can comment, rate articles, chat with librarians, and contribute images to entries. Become involved in shaping the future of NCpedia by engaging in discussion about what educators would like to see in an Educator's Section.

Emily Horton, State Library of North Carolina

Mike Childs, State Library of North Carolina

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Technology

Room: North Main E

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm

Activities & Readings that Drug-Proof Students

Be ready to have fun. Local award-winning author/youth-leadership-trainer, Patty Jo Sawvel, along with two teens, unveils the secrets of positive peer leadership. Take home 10 ready-to-use activities, scalable from pre-school to adult. Program is based on Sawvel's new book, *Under the Influence: The Town That Listened to its Kids*. Handouts.

Patty Jo Sawvel, Classic Writing & Public Relations

Carter Maffett, age 15, East Forsyth High School

Brandon Winbush, age 17, East Forsyth High School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Presentation Strand: Student leadership development, community connectedness, game based learning, library promotion, professional development.

Room: North Main F

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Get to the Core**

Go beyond teaching skills in isolation to being an active partner in the instructional process. Learn ideas that can be used to encourage teachers to collaborate with you as they delve deeper into the Common Core and Essential Standards. Be prepared for a whole new world of library services!

Jennifer Northrup, Flat Rock Middle School

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Library Promotion

Room: North Main G

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Museum Curator Artifact Project: A collaborative technology, art, and information literacy project**

Students chose a cultural artifact and designed a museum exhibit to explore its past, present, and future. Two teachers and SLMS collaborated; included research, art, technology, information literacy, and student self-assessment. Used ThingLink to tag our museum exhibit photos with videos, photos, sound files, websites, and bibliographies. Presentation includes hand-outs.

Heather Siekkinen, Our Lady of Lourdes School

Tara Girolimon, St. Michael School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Technology, Information Literacy

Room: Ayers

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**One School--One Book: Crossing Curriculum at the Core**

A discussion exploring ideas to build school-wide lessons and projects around one book, creating shared cross-curricular experiences that support Core Curriculum. Julia Taylor Ebel will use her book *The Picture Man* for a model but will offer an interactive look at other possibilities.

Julia Taylor Ebel, Author

Audience: Elementary

Presentation Strand: Reading

Room: Ardmore 1

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Read2Me: Involving the Village in Literacy and Family Heritage**

In its initial year, Read2Me used Gloria Houston's novel, *LITTLEJIM*, as a catalyst for bringing readers of all ages together to read and share each family's heritage through oral and written storytelling. Involving schools, libraries, civic clubs, businesses, parents and children, this collaborative effort resulted in a successful year-long community project.

Gloria Houston, Ph. D., author/consultant/retired professor

Diane Cotton, Literacy Specialist, Macon County Schools

Audience: school-community cooperative project

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion, Professional Development, community literacy

Room: Ardmore 2

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Going Global in the Library**

Explore Denmark, Hans Christian Anderson, Recycling, and Energy Conservation. How international travel changed our teaching and how you can promote global awareness throughout the school. The presenters traveled to Denmark with the Center of International Understanding. Door Prizes available.

Karen Waller, Timber Drive Elementary School

Nancy Carr, Martin Middle School

Stephanie McMullen, Efland-Cheeks Elementary School

Audience: Elementary, Middle

Presentation Strand: Reading, Technology, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 1

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Cutting to the Core with the NC Young Adult Book Award nominees across the curriculum**

This presentation will examine the many ways that the NC YA Book Award nominees can be used across the curriculum with Common Core. Ideas will be presented to assist teachers with reading comprehension instruction (particularly in the high school) and co-teaching opportunities. Participants should also plan to bring their "thinking caps" to add creative ideas for promotion and collaborative opportunities.

Robin E. Jordan, North Gaston High School

Audience: Middle, High

Presentation Strand: Reading, Library Promotion

Room: Gaines 2

Saturday, 12:00 - 12:50 pm**Crowd-sourcing PD with Social Media**

With limited time and budget, school library media staff can build their own personal learning community using social media. Connecting across the state, across the country across the globe provides just in time solutions that each professional can tailor to their own needs. This workshop will share resources and ideas for building a personal learning network and provide opportunities for participants to share their experiences.

Ouida Myers, Region 5 NC DPI Instructional Technology Consultant

Kathy Parker, NC DPI School Library Media Consultant

Audience: Elementary, Middle, High, Professional

Strand: Professional Development

Room: Terrace 3

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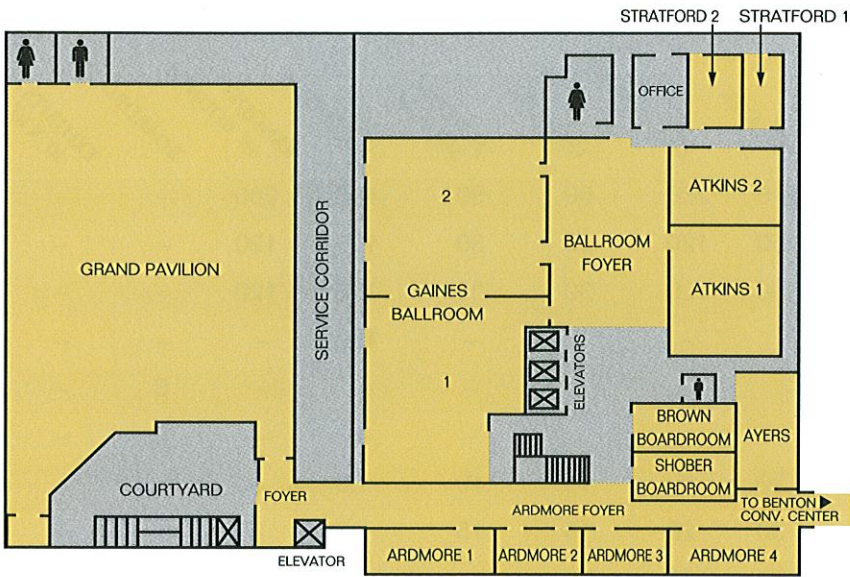
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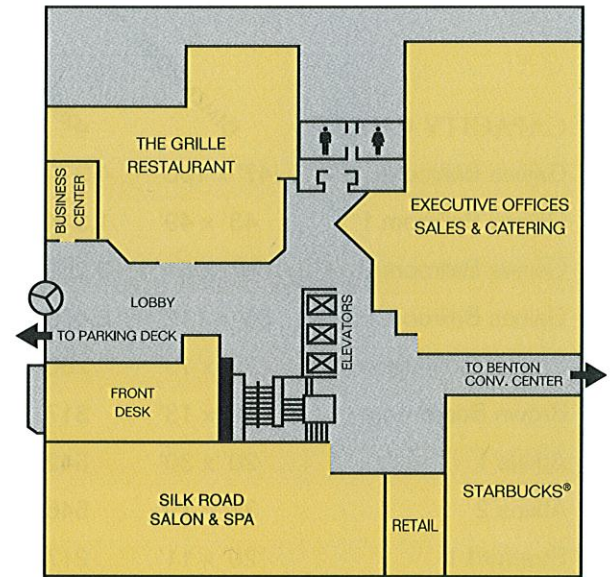
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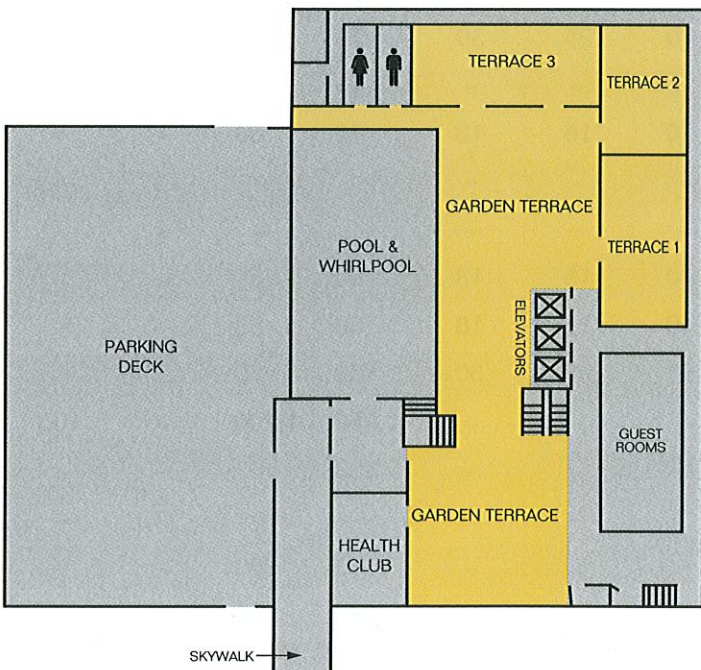
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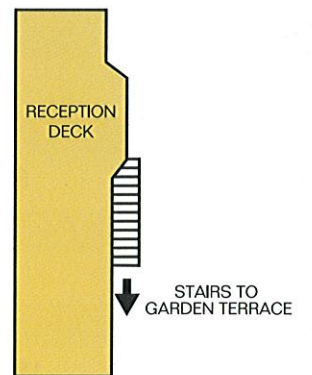
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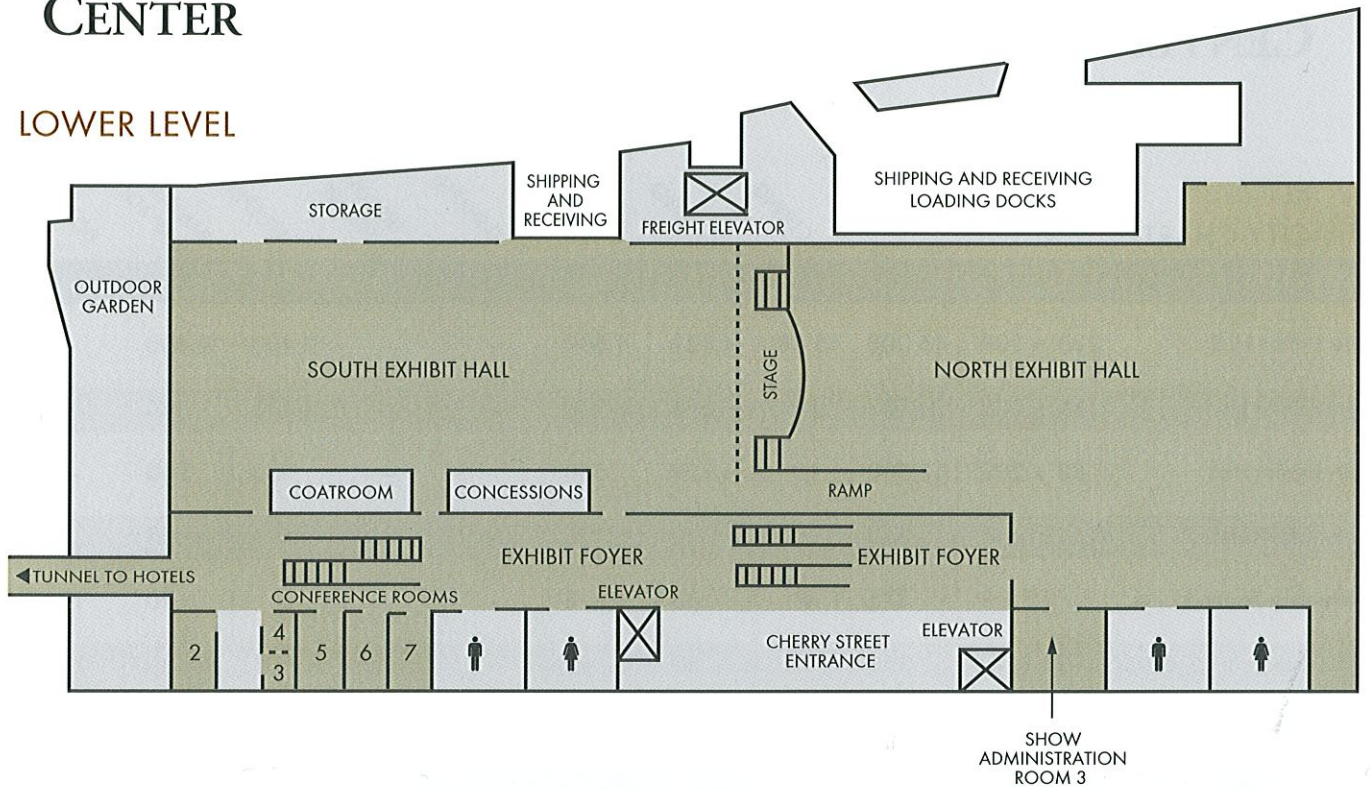
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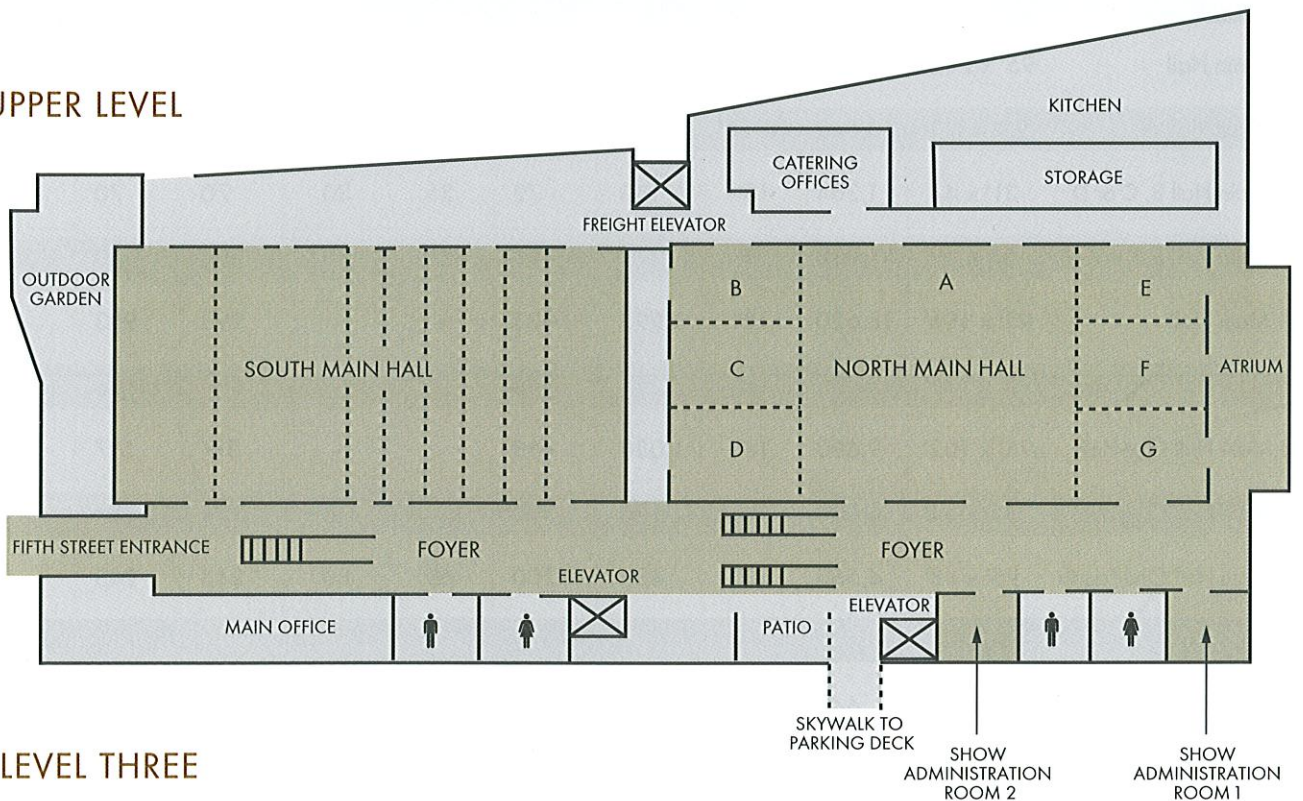
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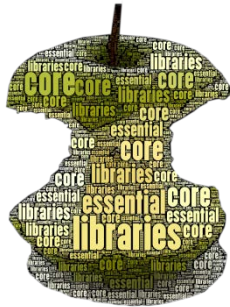


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	Concurrent Session #9	1 credit hour
	Author Luncheon with Sharon M. Draper	1 credit hour
	** The Following Event You May Attend Either Day But Count Only Once	
	Vendor Exhibits	1 credit hour

_____ Total Credit Hours

TOTAL CONTACT HOURS MUST EQUAL AT LEAST 10 [1.0 CEU]

MAX. HRS ACCEPTED ARE 15 [1.5 CEUs]