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## LibraryIndiana Adds Several New Vendor Agreements

LibraryIndiana recently announced  the addition of several new vendors agreements to its site, including The Library Store, Inc., Brodart and Demco, which are now housing their **complete DISCOUNTED** catalogs on LibraryIndiana. Discounts range from **5% to 20%**, and with free shipping on orders over \$50. Check out their catalogs in the Library Supplies category of your "My Catalogs" page or start searching for library supplies using our search bar.

Additionally, for savings on paint and paint accessories, LibraryIndiana also added a new PPG Porter Paints catalog, found in the MRO category of your "My Catalogs" page. This agreement includes select items that have been negotiated to the lowest possible price with the Indiana Department of Administration and includes free shipping on all orders.

If you would like more information on ordering from the above listed vendors or wish to set up your corporation on LibraryIndiana, contact [info@libraryindiana.com](mailto:info@libraryindiana.com).

### About LibraryIndiana

*LibraryIndiana is a valuable procurement tool offering more options and greater savings will be available for Indiana libraries. LibraryIndiana, a public/ private partnership between the Indiana Department of Administration, the Indiana State Library and Indianapolis-based Business Purchasing Solutions, gives every library in the state the purchasing advantage of statewide-negotiated contracts, organized into convenient online catalogs, all on one easy-to-use website.*

*While LibraryIndiana is easy, intuitive, and ready to use, several brief online training sessions are also being scheduled throughout October and November for anyone interested in learning more about how to:*

- Shop prices and make purchases using LibraryIndiana
- Participate in coordinated sourcing events on the site
- Maintain your account settings and user information
- Use built-in purchasing reporting tools and more

## LSTA Webinar Provides Grant Preparation Tips

### Library Services & Technology Act

Need some help completing your LSTA application or budget? Check out this **2013 Application Assistance Webinar** hosted by LSTA Grant Consultant Jennifer Clifton. The 15-minute recorded webinar (sorry, too short for LEUs) will help you prepare the strongest application possible, and covers the following topics:

- An introduction to LSTA grants and their purpose
- How to complete and submit the application
- Outcomes-Based Planning and Evaluation
- Budgets, cost sharing, and allowable costs

If you have questions about your eligibility, a grant application requirement, or anything else concerning current LSTA grant opportunities, please don't hesitate to contact the Library Development Office at [jdclifton@library.in.gov](mailto:jdclifton@library.in.gov) or (317) 234-6550, or visit the [LSTA homepage](#). The deadline to apply for LSTA Technology Grants and Digitization Grants is March 15, 2013.

## Weekly News, Notes & Opportunities

## Summer Reading Workshops Scheduled in Feb., March

Throughout February and March, join Suzanne Walker, Indiana State Library Children's Services Consultant, for one of several Collaborative Summer Reading Program training sessions offered throughout the state. These three-hour workshops worth three LEUs will discuss different ways to structure your Summer Reading Programs, event ideas for all ages, and do 2-3 hands-on activities you can use this summer.

- 2/22: Plymouth PL (10:00 AM)
- 2/25: Hussey-Mayfield Memorial PL - Zionsville (9:30 PM)
- 2/26: Noblesville PL (9:30 AM)
- 2/27: Rushville PL (9:00 AM)
- 2/28: Kendallville PL (10:00 AM)
- 3/1: Ohio Township PL - Newburgh (10:00 AM-CST)
- 3/4: Franklin PL - Brookville (9:30 AM)
- 3/14: Muncie PL - Kennedy Branch (1:00 PM)
- 3/18: Brazil PL (10:00 AM)

Space may be limited at many of the locations. Registration is required via the [WebJunction Indiana Events Calendar](#).

## Upcoming Workshops, Events & Important Dates

### Readers Advisory Training for Youth Librarians

When: February 21 @ 10:00 AM

Where: New Albany-Floyd County Public Library

### Every Child Ready to Read Workshop

When: March 5 @ 9:00 AM (CST)

Where: Jasper County Public Library - DeMotte Branch

### Discovery to Delivery IV: Connecting the Community

When: March 8 @ 9:00 AM

Where: Ball State University

### IBLN Spring Conference

When: March 23

**Your Library Making News?**  
Email your news for inclusion in *The Wednesday Word*

 [ISL Reference Hotline](#)

 [Indiana Authors Award](#)

**Nominate your favorite Hoosier authors through March 23, 2012**  
[Libraries Can Win Too!](#)

**IU-SLIS SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO NEW, CURRENT STUDENTS**

Any new or continuing full-time or part-time student in the MLS or MIS degree program of the Indiana University School of Library and Information Science (SLIS) at either Indiana University or IUPUI is eligible to apply for the \$1000 Julieann V. Nilson scholarship. This includes students who have been admitted to SLIS, but who will commence their studies after the scholarship awardee(s) have been announced.

**Guidelines** and the **application** are available on the [Nilson Scholarship webpage](#). Two \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded this year. The deadline to apply is March 1, 2013.

**GRANDFATHERED LICENSE RENEWALS TACKLED ON WJ-IN**

Answers to 10 of the most [frequently asked questions about grandfathered license renewals](#) for public librarian certification are now available via WebJunction Indiana. Please do not hesitate to present any additional questions, as well as LEUs and ISL's certification policy in general, to Emily Schaber, Certification Program Director, at 317-234-6217 or [emschaber@library.in.gov](mailto:emschaber@library.in.gov).

**DAVE GRAY TO LEAD HANCOCK COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

Please join the State Library in congratulating Dave Gray on his upcoming promotion to Director of the Hancock County Public Library. He has been with HCPL for over a decade and currently serves as Associate Director and previously served as IT Manager. Mr. Gray will replace Diane Osborne who will retire on April 30, 2013.

Where: Ivy Tech, Lafayette Campus

**Readers Advisory Training for Youth Librarians**

When: April 10 @ 2:00 PM


Where: New Castle Public Library

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