

KRLL Script for 2/9/2018

Hi! This is Connie Gerling from the Moniteau County Library

The library received another wonderful donation from the couple that recently donated 18 computers for the library. This donation is 2 new Early Literacy Computers, which will replace the two oldest units. These computers are for children from 2-8 yrs.; are bilingual and use touch screen technology. The computers are loaded with over 4,000 multi-curricular activities through seven sub-categories. No internet is required, so they provide a child-safe environment. Moniteau County children will enjoy many hours of learning & fun on these computers.

This past week I have met with School administrators and librarians at Jamestown, High Point, California, Clarksburg, and Latham to provide information about the TumbleBook Library so they may begin using this resource that the library has subscribed to for their use. This collection of over 1,100 eBooks will provide additional resources for reading using the students Chromebooks. During the summer, children may access this digital library by using a county library card. This resource provides an efficient way to deliver library services to many children and their teachers in the library district.

The Blind Date with a Book Program ended Friday, February 16th. Our patrons enjoyed this program where they selected a book that was wrapped to conceal the title/author, but had a short description of the story on the wrapper. Inside, was a survey for the reader to complete about their blind date, which entered them in a drawing for a \$25 amazon gift card. The winner of the drawing was Patricia Phillips. Thank you to everyone that participated in this new reading program!

If you have a smart phone, tablet, laptop or computer, you should, literally, check-out our new digital magazines. With 63 popular magazines; there's something for everyone! Just go to the library's website at www.moniteaucountylibrary.org and select the Digital Library link to see what's available. You will need a library, card, so if you don't have one, stop by soon and get your free card and begin enjoying this new resource and so much more!

While you're in the library you can purchase a California Subway Fundrasier card. The card has \$45 worth of coupons for only \$10. The library keeps all of the \$10. The cards are good through 2018. Thank you California Subway for your support of the library! These funds will be used to create a new MakerSpace program at the library. There will be more about this new service soon!

The library is selling its' refurbished desktop computers for \$75 until all units are sold. The computers feature Windows 10 OS; The units include a monitor, keyboard and mouse with the computer. Stop by soon, they are selling fast!

This is Connie Gerling wishing you a great day from the Moniteau County Library. Join me every Friday at 3:45 and also on Saturday mornings right here on KRLL 1420 AM, where you can find out about everything that's going on here, at your library!