

KRLL Script for 6/15/2018Hi!

This is Connie Gerling from the Moniteau County Library

PBS's THE GREAT AMERICAN READ is searching for the country's best-loved novel. This eight-part series explores and celebrates the power of reading, told through the prism of America's 100 best-loved novels (as chosen in a national survey). Libraries are encouraged to participate by providing not only the books, but resources to make it easy to participate and vote for your favorite books. Is your favorite on the list?

Our library has most of the titles on display and a list of all 100 books for you to take with you. The list contains a broad range of fictional titles, authors, time-periods, countries, genres and subject matter. The list includes books from as far back as the 1600s and as recent as 2016. From beloved world literature to contemporary best sellers, many categories are represented: 20th century American classics, thrillers, young adult novels, sci-fi/fantasy, adventure, historical fiction, romantic stories, and books that represent the human experience told from a diverse range of perspectives.

If you're looking for a rewarding way to spend some leisurely hours this summer, stop by the library and see what the Great American Read is all about. To learn more, go online at [PBS.org/The Great American Read](http://PBS.org/TheGreatAmericanRead).

Don't forget the library is open from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays through August 3rd. The library will maintain regular hours, which are 9:00-5:00, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The library will remain closed Saturdays and Sundays for the remainder of 2018, while operating on donations.

This is Connie Gerling from the Moniteau County Library. Join me every Friday at 3:45 and Saturday mornings right here on KRLL 1420 AM, where you can learn about programs, activities and services provided by the Moniteau County Library!