

Creating a Thriving 21st Century Library

SESSION TWO

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Survive & Thrive











show them the possibilities







Keys to Success

Ongoing & often

Variety of users

Get out of the library!



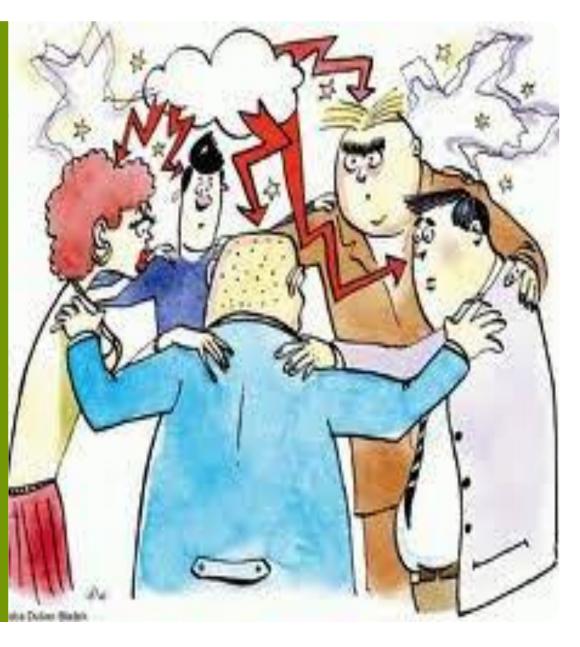
Talk with everyone!







Engage Non-users







Don't limit to one input method

Focus groups, social networking, online surveys, etc.



We Need Your Input!

Click here to complete the Central Library Visioning Survey

Teens! Click here to complete the Teen Space Survey for the Central Library

The Arlington Public Library announces the launch of a visioning process to determine what our community wants and needs from Central Library Services. We are also assessing the physical condition and future viability of the current Central Library building. An outcome of this project will be to determine how to ensure that our physical presence can provide the services and programs envisioned by our community

This past December we held a Visioning Project kickoff meeting to which we invited community leaders and stakeholders. Our consultants, Providence Associates, gave a presentation to those attending on various aspects of the project. Since that kickoff event, our consultants have been very busy collecting data and are now ready to move along to the part of the visioning process where we ask for input from the community.









What are people saying?

- 1. Additional meeting room space, especially medium sized space for groups of 10 20 people;
- 2. Semi-private meeting spaces for smaller groups of 1 4 people;
- 3. Additional food and drink options;
- 4. Self-check and self-serve holds as an option;
- 5. An updated and more "comfortable" look and feel (décor, furniture, etc.)
- 6. An exterior drive-up materials return;
- 7. Zoned, active children's area focused on attracting older children (pre-teens) as well as the very young;





What are people saying?

- 8. An enhanced (and enclosed, if possible) teen space;
- 9. Balance of quiet space and social space
- 10. Smaller main service desk/area and relocation to a more centralized point for easy access to all areas of the Library;
- 11. Relocated computers and computing/technology area more convenient to staff area;
- 12. New outreach services that would entail rethinking how that service is delivered.
- 13. Circulating technology and other items including, but not limited, to laptops, video recorders, projectors, eReaders, board games, etc.



Proactive Marketing & Outreach







Embrace Community Partnerships







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Program

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Button

Click a few things you like so we can suggest people to follow.







Cars & Motorcycles





DIY & Crafts

History



Education

Holidays



Fitness



Gardening









Hair & Beauty











Did we mention programs?

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Program Pages Newsletter

Our library calendering product, Events, is used by thousands of public libraries to manage over a quarter of a million library programs each year. We wanted to help share these great program ideas and give credit to the libraries and library staff that make them happen.

Here are three program ideas to give you an idea of what you can expect from the Program Pages Newsletter!

Bookface



Lego Literacy



Zombie Invasion



Our Solutions



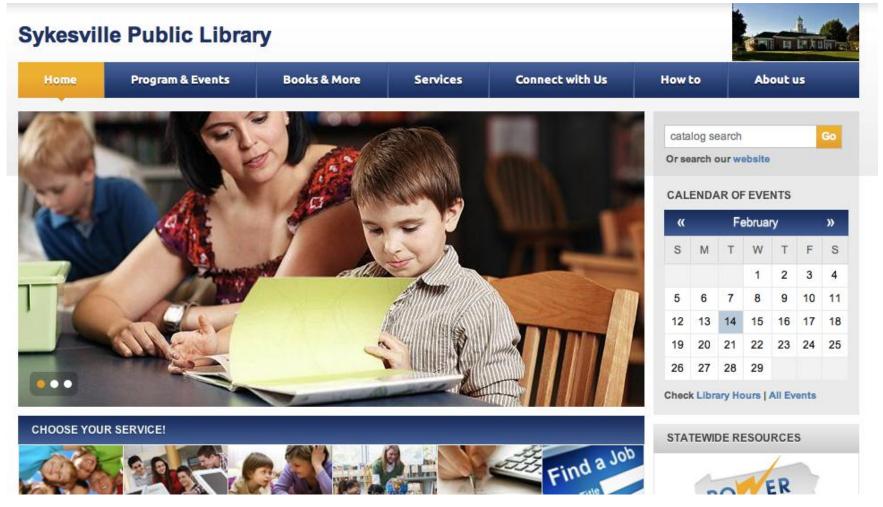
open to listening to what we really need and helping however they can. The company, their products and their staff members are outstanding and truly connected to the needs of public libraries."

Cathy Hakala-Ausperk - Deputy Director Cleveland Heights - University Heights Public Library, OH





User-Driven, Dynamic Website

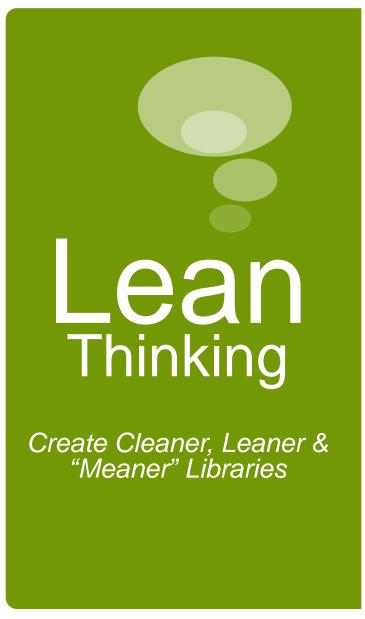


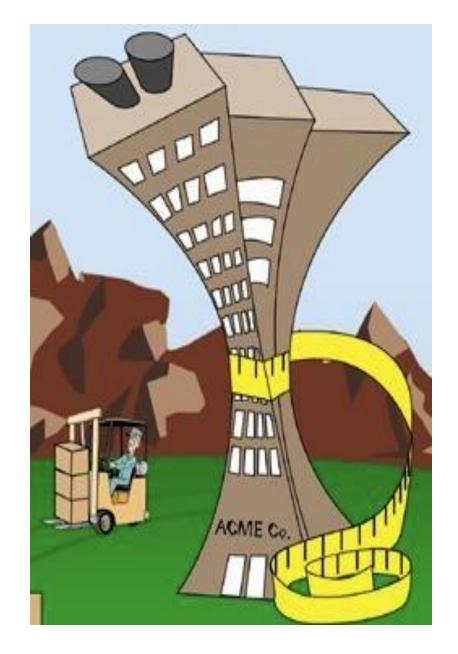


Mobile Marketing













			_	Proposed New	% Changed	Est.	Unit		Collection
			Turnover	Collection Size	(=C2 - C1 /	Collection on	Area /	% Est.	SF
Collection	Holdings (C1)	Circulation	Rate	(C2)	C1)	Shelf	Item	in Circ	Estimate
Adult Main Collection									
Fiction	8,315	22,268	2.68	8,300	-0.18%	5,810	0.10	30%	581
Classics	279	232	0.83	279	0.00%	195		30%	0
Mystery	3,903	7,203	1.85	3,700	-5.20%	2,590	0.10	30%	259
Western	417	350	0.84	300	-28.06%	210	0.10		21
Sci-fi	576	864	1.50	400	-30.56%	280	0.10		28
Paperbacks	576	3,516	6.10	500	-13.19%	350	0.10	30%	35
Large Type	1,266	3,613	2.85	1,400	10.58%	980	0.08	30%	78
Non-Fiction						-			
000's	391			352	-9.97%				
100's	698			579	-17.05%				
200's	571			483	-15.41%				
300's	2,871			2,392	-16.68%				
400's	170			135	-20.59%				
500's	717			535	-25.38%				
600s	5,735			4,811	-16.11%				
700s	3,908			3,107	-20.50%				
800s	1,256			860	-31.53%				
900s	2,839			2,200	-22.51%				

Redesign Your Organization







Develop Staff Skills







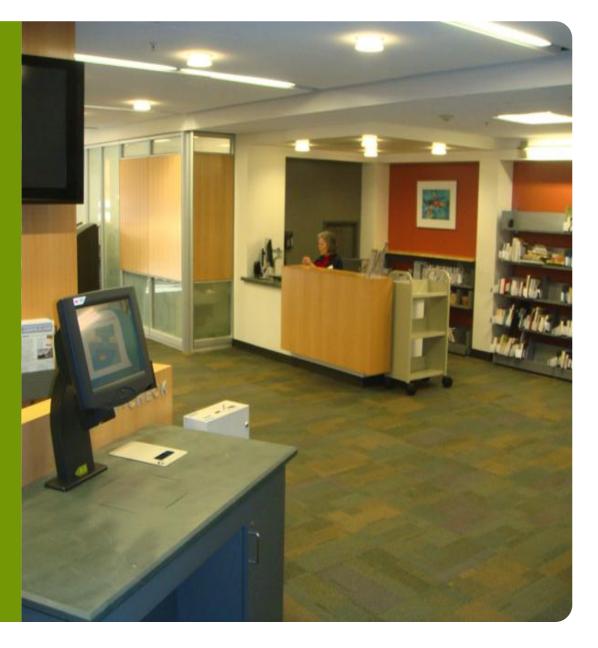
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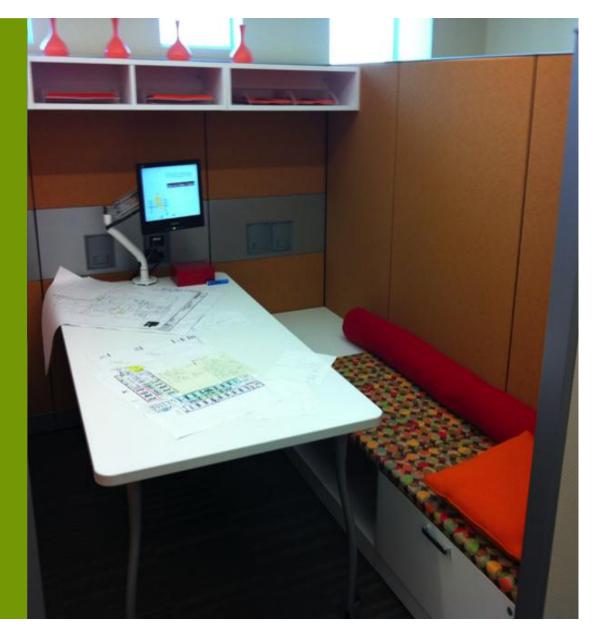
Supported Self-Service







Managing Small Spaces







Population Analysis

Library X Population Analysis

	Hudson	Percent of Population
Children		
Less than 5 years	453	7%
5 - 9 years	425	6%
10 - 12 years (est.)	242	4%
	1,120	17%
Teenagers		
13 - 14 years (est.)	161	2%
15 - 18 years	321	5%
	482	7%
Totals for Ages 0 - 18	1,602	24%
Adults	5,111	76%
19 and above		
TOTAL POPULATION*	6.713	100%













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Collaborate,
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Hire for attitude.

Train for Skill.





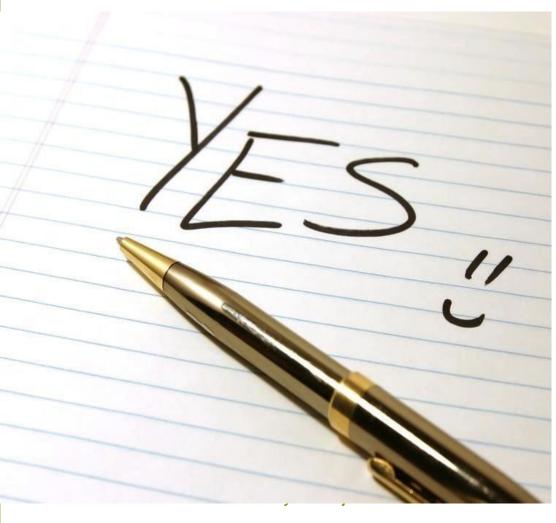


Improve Communications











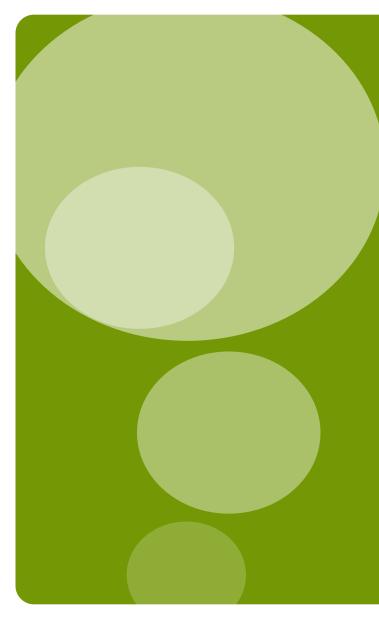


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