

APRIL 2018

MONTHLY
REPORT



STATE LIBRARY
of NORTH CAROLINA

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What's New

Government & Heritage Library (GHL) Reopening

The Government & Heritage Library moved its public space to the first floor! Special thanks go to the State Archives of North Carolina for providing us with space for a pop-up library in the State Archives Search Room while our public space was moving. We reopened in our new location on April 30.

Congratulations to Scholarship Recipients

Library Development awarded 12 scholarships for librarians around the state to attend the **Research Institute for Public Libraries** conference at the end of July 2018. Public library awardees are from Lincoln County, Mauney Memorial Library, Halifax County, Haywood County, Hocutt-Ellington Memorial Library, Chapel Hill Public Library, Henderson County, Brunswick County, Cumberland County, Cabarrus County, Person County and Caldwell County.



The GHL's newly renovated space



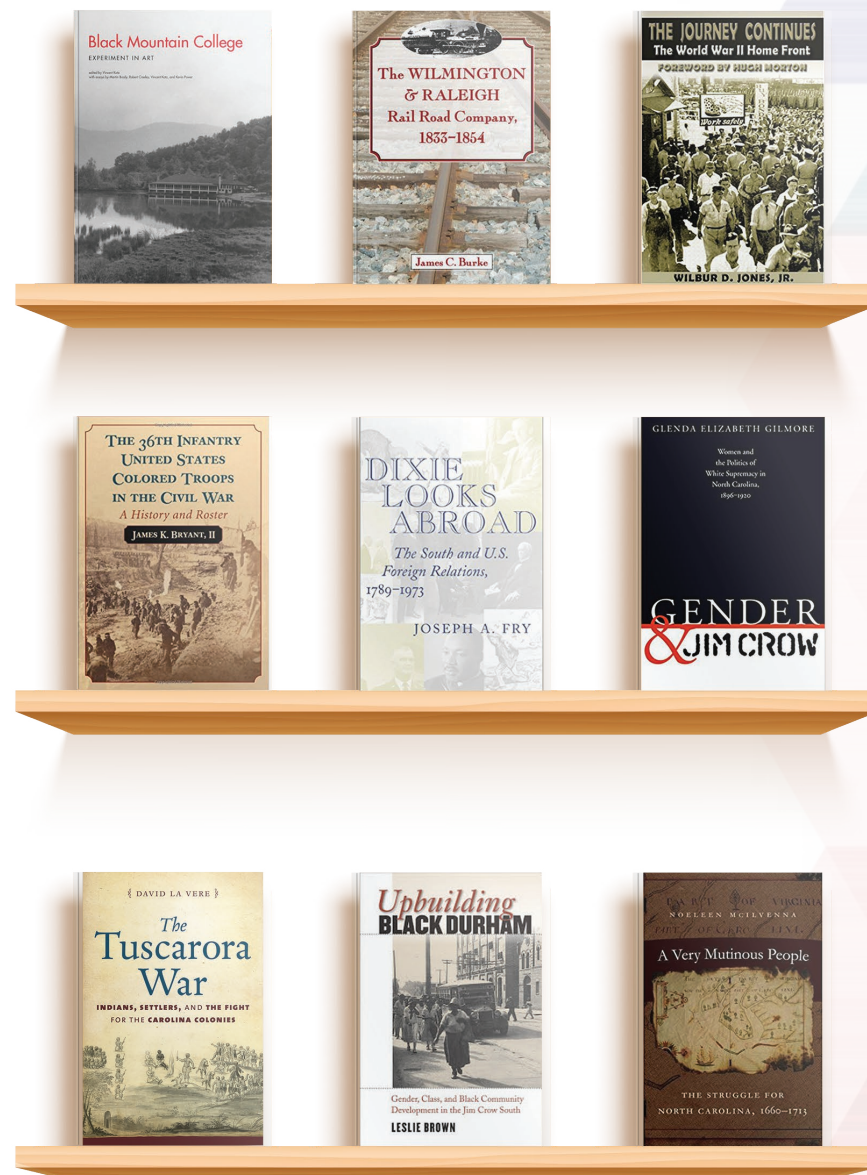
The Gov't & Heritage Library has reopened!

Learn more about our **June 1 Grand Reopening Celebration** on page 5

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Titles of Note in the Government & Heritage Library Collection:

1. ***Black Mountain College: Experiment in Art***
2. ***The Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road Company, 1883-1854***
3. ***The Journey Continues: The World War II Home Front***
4. ***The 36th Infantry United States Colored Troops in the Civil War: A History and Roster***
5. ***Dixie Looks Abroad: The South and the U.S. Foreign Relations, 1789-1973***
6. ***Gender and Jim Crow***
7. ***Tuscarora War: Indians, Settlers, and the Fight for the Carolina Colonies***
8. ***Upbuilding Black Durham: Gender, Class, and Black Community Development in the Jim Crow South***
9. ***A Very Mutinous People: The Struggle for North Carolina, 1660-1713***



Featured N.C. State Gov't Publications

A part of the North Carolina Digital State Documents Collection



Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities in North Carolina: North Carolina Health Equity Report 2018

<http://digital.ncdcr.gov/cdm/ref/collection/p16062coll9/id/344148>



Tracking Innovation: North Carolina Innovation Index 2017

<http://digital.ncdcr.gov/cdm/ref/collection/p16062coll9/id/343108>



Recommendations of the Governor's University Innovation Council


<http://digital.ncdcr.gov/cdm/ref/collection/p16062coll9/id/343170>

Upcoming Events

GHL Grand Reopening Celebration


Mark your calendar for June 1, as the Government & Heritage Library will have a Grand Reopening Celebration from 4-7 p.m., featuring the NC Museum of History Pop-Up, historian David Cecelski, the Oakwood Second Line Band, and more! To learn more, please visit statelibrary.ncdcr.gov.

- 5PM: Historian David Cecelski
- 6PM: Oakwood Second Line Band
- NC Museum of History Pop-up




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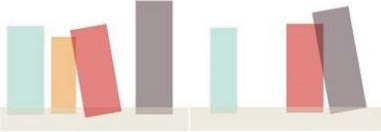
OPEN HOUSE



JUNE 1, 2018, 4PM TO 7PM
109 E. JONES STREET
RALEIGH, NC

- Explore the Library!
- #EverythingNC photo booth
- Refreshments
- Fun & games





More info:
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CAPTIONS CLOCKWISE FROM LEFT: Oakwood Second Line Band | **David Cecelski**, Author & Historian | Oakwood Second Line Band parading down Blount Street

Around the State

Library Development Workshop at NCPLDA

Library Development hosted a workshop at the Spring NC Public Library Directors Association (NCPLDA) meeting in Atlantic Beach, NC. Patrick Sweeney of EveryLibrary was the keynote speaker, providing a presentation on using your Library's story to engage communities. Feedback from the workshop included comments such as "This was by far the best!" and "It was great! Let's do more at future meetings. I would definitely sign up."



2018 Summer Reading Road Trip

Congratulations to the Transylvania County Library for being one of the winners of the 2018 Scholastic Summer Reading Road Trip!

Azalea Coast Library Association Conference

Denise Jones presented a poster session—Hometown Pride: Local Publishing in the North Carolina State Government Digital Publications Collection—with Adina Riggins, UNCW, at the Azalea Coast Library Association (ACLA) Conference. Denise also presented State Library updates.



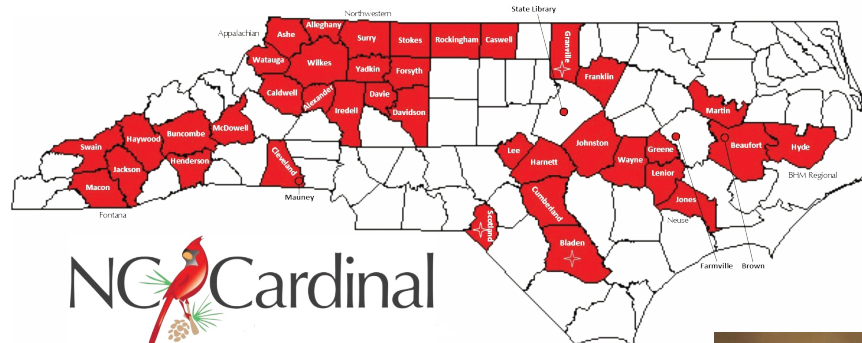
CAPTIONS CLOCKWISE FROM LEFT: Denise Jones, State Government Liaison Librarian | Denise Jones's poster session | Denise Jones with ACLA Conference participants

Staff Out and About

The NC Cardinal Consortium

Library Development Visits

Library Development consultants visited Warren, Person, New Hanover, Charlotte Mecklenburg, Cabarrus, Hickory, and Scotland Public Libraries during the month of April.



Evergreen User Interface Updates

NC Cardinal Project staff are implementing a simple-to-use search interface, on top of their online catalog, Evergreen. Cardinal now includes 28 of 58 county library systems, 5 of 12 regional libraries, 3 of 11 municipals, and 1 special library.

Senior Staff Visits

State Librarian Cal Shepard convened a meeting of the Library and Information Science Deans and Directors from in-state schools on April 11 in Greensboro. On April 12 she, along with Tanya Prokrym, attended the Waynesville Public Library Volunteer Awards program where she spoke about the future of libraries and handed out awards. She was back in Greensboro for the UNCG Friends Banquet on April 28 and then in Rockingham for the opening of their new bookmobile on April 30.



CAPTIONS T-B: Caroline Shepard, State Librarian | Tanya Prokrym, Library Development Director

Compliments + Kudos!

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A lot of what was said hit close to the heart and home for me....a reminder of why I chose to become a youth service librarian.

-Bilingual Storytime & Latino Outreach Training Participant

Compliment received for NCpedia via the chat reference service:

"I've just discovered NCpedia, so I'm reading about its history & resources. What a jewel!! The town of Granite Falls is in the process of updating its history book, Etched in Granite, so I was looking up historical dates. This looks to be a great source of information. My 'hats' are off to the people who put it together!!"

Jane Blackburn, Appalachian Regional Director, wrote to Lauren Clossey, LD Continuing Education Consultant:

"I've started listening to the training on the homeless made available by the State Library and it is GREAT. If you haven't listened to any of it, I highly recommend it. Thanks Lauren!"

Additional compliments received for Jasmine Rockwell's (LD Youth Services Consultant) Bilingual Storytime & Latino Outreach training:

"I went to the program with my mind set on learning about Bilingual storytime and how to improve on what I was already putting together. When I left Monday I learned so much more and am thankful for this workshop. A lot of what was said hit close to the heart and home for me. The program was a reminder of why I chose to become a youth service librarian. A reminder of why I feel strongly about providing services for the Latino community as much as possible, most importantly the kids. Thank you"



CAPTIONS TOP:
Lauren Clossey,
Continuing
Education
Consultant

**BOTTOM: Jasmine
Rockwell,** Youth
Services Consultant



6 TOP BLOG POSTS

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Library for the Blind & Physically Handicapped Blog

15 Users | 256 Page Views

Library Workers of NCLBPH	27	views
10 Most Wanted Books - April 2018	20	views
Spring EGGSplosion 2018	17	views

Library Development Blog

909 Users | 3,576 Page Views

From Awareness to Funding: Voter Perceptions & Support of Public Libraries in 2018	242	views
Edge Grant Participants Announced	176	views
State of America's Libraries 2018 Report Released	140	views



About the State Library

Established in 1812, the State Library of North Carolina is the catalyst for exceptional library services in North Carolina. We are the principal library of state government; we build the capacity of all libraries; and we develop and support access to specialized collections for the people of North Carolina.

The State Library is part of the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources and is currently made up of three parts:

N.C. Government & Heritage Library (GHL)

Provides print and digital information about North Carolina, as well as history, government, genealogy, and statistical research expertise.

Library Development (LD)

Supports libraries throughout the state, through innovative programs and services, to help them meet the needs of their communities.

Library for the Blind & Physically Handicapped (LBPH)

Serves blind and physically handicapped readers, through a wide range of books and magazines in print, braille, and audio formats.



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