

The materials and services available at Lower Umpqua Library District (LULD) continue to expand.

Coos Bay Public Library donated shelves, which will provide additional space for LULD's collection. If



there are any titles that you would like the library to consider adding (books, DVDs, CDs, magazines etc.) then please call, visit, or email LULD to make your suggestions. We cannot guarantee that LULD will add any particular item due to such issues as shelf space and budgetary concerns, but the library does purchase many items based on patron feedback.

If LULD is unable to purchase a specific item that you would like to borrow then staff may be able to request it for you from another library system elsewhere in the country, or even internationally. Such interlibrary loan requests cost patrons \$5.00 each, which covers the cost of postage.

LULD will soon be adding books to its collection that were donated by the Library of Congress as part of its Surplus Books Program.

Due to increased public interest, LULD added a new page to its website that focuses on online genealogical (family history) research. Go to [www.luld.org/genealogy](http://www.luld.org/genealogy) for a list of free genealogy websites. The library has also been adding more books to its collection about this topic, which are available for borrowing. Please call or visit the library if you would like additional information or help with your research or to borrow any of these materials.

LULD has upcoming events throughout the month of June. These include:

- Pre-school Storytime will be held at LULD every Wednesday at 11 am
- Knit and Crochet Group will meet at LULD every Wednesday at 4 pm
- A planetarium experience at the Reedsport Community Center (451 Winchester Ave), which will be held in cooperation between LULD, Southwestern Oregon Community College and the Reedsport Community Center. It will be held on June 1<sup>st</sup> from 9 am until 12 pm.
- LULD's Summer Reading Program will begin on June 15<sup>th</sup> and continue until August 21<sup>st</sup>. Children and teenagers are invited to read during the summer for the chance to win prizes.
- Father's Day outdoor book sale, sponsored by the Friends of the Library, will be held in the LULD parking lot from 10 am until 4 pm on June 15<sup>th</sup>
- A presentation by Cindy Farber at LULD on dealing with garden predators and disease and summertime succession planting at 10 am on June 15<sup>th</sup>
- The kick-off party and parking lot barbecue for Summer Reading Program participants will be held at LULD from 11 am to 1pm on June 19<sup>th</sup>

In July, LULD will host additional events such as Smokey the Bear and the Reedsport Fire Department. The July issue will contain the dates and times of these events.

The library currently has job openings for which it is accepting applications: teen intern and substitute library assistant. Both positions are paid and are open until filled. Position descriptions and application forms can be found at [www.luld.org/employment](http://www.luld.org/employment).

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