

Important Announcement

Wednesday, March 18, 2020

To do our part to help limit the spread of coronavirus, the Pulaski County Library District (Crocker, Richland, and Waynesville Libraries) has made the difficult decision to remain closed through March 31, 2020. This includes cancellation of all library programs, outside use of our library meeting rooms, and library outreach. Our tentative re-open date is April 1st, which will be reassessed weekly. This was a difficult decision but we are following recommendations from the CDC, the Missouri Library Association, and the American Library Association. Some important additional details are below, and updates will be shared on our library Facebook pages, our website (<http://pulaskicounty.lib.mo.us/>), and notices will be posted on the door of each library branch as further decisions are made.

At this time (March 18, 2020):

- Due dates for all library materials (books, cd audiobooks, dvd's) currently checked out will be extended to 7 days after we reopen. **No overdue fines will accrue during this time.**
- Book drops at each library branch remain open. You may return items in the book drops if you want to, but it is not required.
- All of our online resources remain available, and they can be found at <http://pulaskicounty.lib.mo.us/e-resources>. Access these resources with your library card number.
- If you don't have a library card but would like to use our online resources, you can apply for a PCLD E-Card here: <http://bit.ly/pcldecad>.
- Follow our Facebook pages for updates, information about our online resources, and much more.
- We will offer limited curbside pickup of requested books, cd audiobooks, and DVD's. We're still finalizing the details of this service, but we plan to announce those details by 5:00 p.m. today.
- If you have questions, you can leave us a phone message by calling any library branch. Phones will be checked at least once a day. You can also send us a message through our Facebook pages or the "Feedback" button on our website.

We are working to extend access across multiple systems, so if you notice that anything doesn't work as outlined above, please do let us know so we can try to fix it. We thank you for your understanding during this difficult and confusing time.