



Library Report to the City Council – *April 2017*

New Youth Services Librarian



Kristi Archer will be retiring from her position as Youth Service Librarian on April 14. We truly appreciate all the wonderful programs and stories Kristi has provided to our area youth over the past five years. Thank you, Kristi!

We welcome Carroll Endicott as the new Youth Services Librarian. Carroll worked for many years at the Cedar Rapids Public Library and just finished her degree in Library Science with an emphasis in young adults. Carroll is brimming with ideas for engaging area youth. Welcome Carroll!



World War I Exhibit



The library hosted a Grand Opening for the WWI Exhibit. The Ambassadors were present, the Honor Guard held a moving tribute honoring the fallen local WWI soldiers, a lively discussion was led by Dr. Mettler from Upper Iowa, and the Friends of the Library served delicious WWI “ration” desserts.



We look forward to the upcoming programs on Iowa connections during WWI. Fifth Graders will be touring the exhibit on April 12 and will have the opportunity to design their own “Dazzle” ships.



Because of the generous contributions of WWI memorabilia from local families and our two museums, fascinating objects from the war are on display.

Rumor Has It! -Bring Your Best Rumor to be Answered!

The library will be collaborating with the Mayor, the City Administrator, and the City Council in meeting the Library’s Long Range Plan goal to give residents the opportunity to attend a bi-annual informational community forum designed to address local concerns. Be a part of this informal Q & A session on April 12 at 6:00 p.m.

We Do Passports! (and pictures, too!)

Monday – Friday

9:30-5:30