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Strategic Initiatives

Cultivate connections that inspire and enrich the community.



- Created a list of local/national helplines and resources to post online and inside the Library so that those experiencing difficulties, such as homelessness or mental health issues, can find the help and support they need.
- Student intern helped create Spanish video tour of the Library to better reach the Spanish-speaking community about our services.



Create flexible & welcoming spaces for multipurpose use.



- Construction company chosen for Lobby Remodel project, with final details being organized, and project dates planned for mid-February through mid-April.

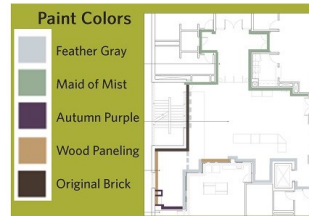
Full Lobby Redesign

February 18 - April 19, 2019

We are excited to bring you a more open, user-friendly space!



Concept Drawings (signage, art, community information, and Friends book sales not pictured)



Paint Colors

- Feather Gray
- Maid of Mist
- Autumn Purple
- Wood Paneling
- Original Brick



Snack Space Furniture

Project Progress



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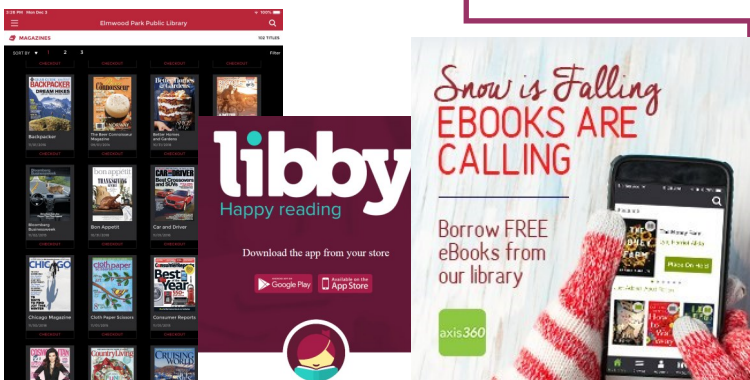
Promote comfort, ease-of-use, and enjoyment of the Library.

- With a finalized 3D Printer policy in place, promotion of the 3D Printing has been added to the website and newsletters.
- Continued use of local talent for knitting, art, tutoring, and other programs.
- Improved signage cross-promoting collections between different departments.

Expand & enhance library use, services, and



- Received AED device from grant, to be made available with the completion of the Lobby remodel.
- Staff doing ongoing mental health, harassment, etc. training.
- Extended the “Explore” marketing campaign, promoting Beyond Books and digital collections.
- Staff members Lucas and Sean will be presenting at C2E2 Conference about organization of graphic novels.
- Staff member Kim elected to serve on the Illinois Library Association’s Youth Services Forum.



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