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Douglas County Libraries Update

From: <https://www.facebook.com/DCLSFoundation/>

Douglas County Libraries are working hard to restore library services. Here is some good news from the DCLS Foundation Facebook page:

1. Nine of the original eleven libraries are now open using volunteer staffing. Hours, however,

may be severely limited, so check with them before you go.

2. The Library Task Force has created The Douglas Community Library Association (DCLA) to oversee the re-integration of the operating libraries into a cohesive county-wide system which will allow the

book inventory to be shared among all branches.

3. A computer system to catalog all of the books in all of the libraries has been selected in is in the process of being rebuilt.

4. The Roseburg library (the largest one, and one of those that remains closed) remains in limbo, as



negotiations between the city and the Educational Services Department (ESD) are underway. It is

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QPR Training to be Offered at Fall Workshop By, Keli Yeats; MCL-Rockwood

Suicide is the second leading cause of death in teens, after accidents and the rate has been rising, particularly among teenage girls. That is why this year, OYAN will be offering

a teen suicide prevention training from the Washington-based QPR Institute immediately following the Fall Membership Meeting. It will be at the Tualatin

Public Library from 3pm to 5pm.

After state-mandated training in Tennessee, over **42%** of participants identified at least one at-risk youth and intervened within 6 months after taking the course

The acronym QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer. Created by Paul Quinnett in 1995, this is a method

for recognizing and interrupting a mental health crisis, providing hope, and directing the person to proper mental health care. In this workshop, you will be trained as a gatekeeper, their word for someone who is in a position to recognize a crisis and the

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doubtful that the Roseburg branch can re-open before January of 2018.

5. Details of how the registration of library card holders will be integrated into a system that will be honored by all of the



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branches will be worked out by the DCLA, once it is up and running.

6. The DCLA has been officially incorporated and they are now in the process of developing their by-laws and membership. The membership will consist of one representative from each library (or the city owning the branch) plus two at-large members; at least that is the currently suggested model, but its details will have to be worked out pending the adoption of by-laws by the membership at large.

Follow The Douglas County Library Foundation on Facebook at:

[@DCLSFoundation](#)

And check out the foundation website at:

<http://www.dclsfoundation.org/>

OYAN Graphic Rave Announced

Every year, OYAN members choose their favorite graphic novels for teens of the year with an eye for balance across genre, format, protagonist identity, and content and with special consideration for smaller or independent and Pacific Northwest publishers. (For details, see [the official selection process](#).)

The votes have been counted; here are this year's winners!

- *Bad Machinery, Volume 6: The Case of the Unwelcome Visitor* by John Allison
- *Black Panther, Book 1: A Nation Under Our Feet* by Ta-Nehisi Coates & Brian Stelfreeze
- *Giant Days, Volume 3* by John Allison & Max Sarin
- *Goldie Vance, Volume 1* by Hope Larson & Brittney Williams

- *Haikyu!!, Volume 1* by Haruichi Furudate
- *Jughead, Volume 1* by Chip Zdarsky & Erica Henderson
- *The Legend of Wonder Woman, Vol. 1: Origins* by Renae De Liz
- *Lumberjanes/Gotham Academy* by Chynna Clugston Flores & Rosemary Valero-O'Connell
- *March: Book Three* by John Lewis, Andrew Aydin & Nate Powell

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Teen Book Review

By Emily; Cedar Mill Library



NOTE: Author Cat Winters will be visiting the Cedar Mill Library on Nov. 8th to talk about her books with teens and tweens at 3 PM.

Fast Facts:

- Published: September 2017
- Author: Cat Winters
- Genre: Fantasy, Historical Fiction
- Recommended for: Fans of mystery, adventure, historical fiction, fantasy
- Rating: 5/5

Odette has spun mystical, magical tales for her younger sister Trudchen ever since they were little. Now that she's older, however, Tru is starting to lose the magic from these stories. She's realizing that they were nothing more than just that, stories. Od was just trying to comfort Tru through the long, worrisome nights and Tru's constant pain from the effects of "a bout of fevers." Tru seems destined to a life at home with her aunt, until one night when Od shows back up at

her window. Od tells Tru that all those magical stories that they shared long into the night were, in fact, very true. Monsters roam the world and, if the girls aren't careful, they could be in grave danger. The sisters embark on a magical journey across the United States to find their monster hunting mother at the turn of the 20th century. Danger and red herrings follow them at every turn as they learn of their true powers and destiny.

Once again, Cat Winters has created an incredible historical fantasy novel with a totally unique new storyline. The characters have fresh personality and are very well developed. She wonderfully blends true Oregon history with her world of wonder and magic. I'm not normally a fantasy fan unless it's by Cat Winters, especially considering I love historical fiction. Every book is obviously well researched and true to life, besides the magic of course. The book reads at a perfect pace and I could not put it down. Every new mystery adds wonderfully to the storyline that's wrapped up in the perfect ending for the story. Being an Oregonian really added to my enjoyment of the book, but

regardless of where you're from, this book is a must read.



*Cat Winters is a critically acclaimed, award-winning author of four novels for teens. Her YA novels have garnered eight starred reviews between them, and they've appeared on numerous state and "best of" lists and have received the following honors: 2014 Morris Award finalist, School Library Journal Best Book of 2013, 2014 Amelia Bloomer Project pick, Kirkus Best Teen Book of 2016, Junior Library Guild selection. She is also the author of two novels for adults, **The Uninvited** and **Yesternight**, and she contributed to the young adult horror anthology **Slasher Girls & Monster Boys**.*

Winters was born and raised in Southern California, near Disneyland, which may explain her love of haunted mansions, bygone eras, and fantasylands. She received degrees in drama and English from the University of California, Irvine, and formerly worked in publishing. She lives in a suburb outside of Portland, Oregon, surrounded by forests that offer plenty of inspiration for her Gothic, atmospheric tales.

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warning signs of someone who is contemplating suicide.

If you are interested in participating in this training, please contact Julie Jeanmard at: youthservices@cottagegrove.org.

If you are unable to attend the OYAN membership meeting in person, you can attend virtually at:

<https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/338364389>

You can also dial in using your phone. United States: +1 (646) 749-3112 Access Code: 338-364-389 First GoToMeeting? Try a test session: <http://link.gotomeeting.com/email-welcome>

CSD Fall Meeting



The Children's Services Division will be having their Fall Mem-

bership Meeting on Saturday October 21st at the Sherwood Public Library. The meeting runs from 10:30am to 2pm. This will be following by a workshop from 1pm to 5pm. The afternoon will include a presentation from movement and music expert Iris Norris as well as brainstorming for next year's summer reading theme—Libraries Rock!

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- *Mighty Thor, Volume 1: Thunder in Her Veins* by Jason Aaron & Russell Dauterman
- *Ms. Marvel, Volume 5: Super Famous* by G. Willow Wilson & Takeshi Miyazawa
- *Our Cats Are More Famous Than Us* by Ananth Hirsch & Yuko Ota
- *Princeless: Raven the Pirate Princess, Book 2: Free Women* by Jeremy Whitley & Rose Higgins
- *Princess Princess Ever After* by Katie O'Neill
- *Secret Coders: Secrets & Se-*

quences by Gene Luen Yang & Mike Holmes

- *Tetris: The Games People Play* by Box Brown
 - *That Wolf-Boy is Mine! Volume 1* by Yoko Nogiri
 - *Tokyo Ghoul, Volume 12* by Sui Ishida
 - *Yona of the Dawn, Volume 1* by Mizuho Kusanagi
 - *Yvain: The Knight of the Lion* by M.T. Anderson
- The [Graphic Rave 2017 pamphlet \[PDF\]](#) includes annotations for each title and is a great way to promote this list to your patrons.

Special thanks to Traci Glass at the Eugene Public Library for managing the nomination, voting, and pamphlet design processes!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Author Cat Winters will be visiting the Cedar Mill Library on November 8th at 3:00pm to discuss her books with Teens and Tweens

OYAN Book Rave is accepting nominations until early December. Books should be written for and marketed to middle and high school ages and published between November 1st, 2016 and October 31st, 2017. Submit nominations either through [this Google form](#) or via email to Sonja Somerville: ssomerville@cityofsalem.net

We welcome all your comments, articles, photos, book reviews, ideas, and suggestions for future OYAN Review newsletters!
 Please submit to oyanpublications@gmail.com.

Upcoming Meetings

Fall 2017	October 20, 2017	Tualatin Public Library Meeting followed by workshop
Mock Printz Award Workshop	January 20, 2018	Beaverton City Library
Winter 2018	January 26, 2018	Springfield Public Library

OYAN [Oregon Young Adult Network] exists to provide a network for communication and growth among people who provide library services to teens, to increase awareness of teen library services in the state of Oregon, and to promote cooperation between school and public libraries.

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