



Dane County Library Service

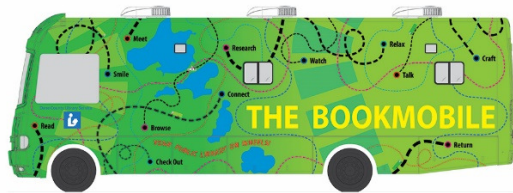
February Director's Report

Beyond the Page Ripple Project.

Ripple training with August Ball from Cream City Conservation is planned for February and registration is open. All staff will participate in the training, which is available both live and via recording. Plans for equity team meetings are underway, with the Southwest team meeting first. My permanent staff will attend the Justified Anger 8-week Black History course. We received funding from the SCLS Continuing Education grants for each person to attend. It is exciting to see years of planning coming to fruition!

Bookmobile.

The Bookmobile is back from a visit to LDV and feels like a new vehicle! Various issues were addressed, including electrical, shade motor replacement, air leaks, and new tires!



Dream Bus.

The Bus had returned to making bi-weekly stops at MSCR sites. Some have opted out, but most seem to benefit from the service. I'll be discussing what spring service looks like with Madison Public Library and planning for summer.

Friends report.

Friends met on January 14 and caught up on the state of the bus, service and finances. Newsletters will become quarterly until we have more activity and programming. They are looking at a late summer/fall event that would take place outside.

2021 Planning Calendar.

I've included the calendar to help keep us on track for our yearly business.