24.11.19 - 1pm Cooperative Cataloging Partners:

2024-2025 Projects

<u>Authority control training</u> - Library Juice Academy April 7 - May 4 (\$250) Could offer in a similar way to MarcEdit training last year

- Bundle of 15 \$3187.50
- Bundle of 25 \$5,000.00
- Sign up here if interested by November 30th

Local subject and genre headings project - Milwaukee Public Library will manage this project.

- The project will provide analysis and comparison of local subject and genre headings from Wisconsin Public Library Systems to identify similarities and differences and determine baseline best practices for statewide cataloging.
- Collect and analyze current local subjects and genres from Wi library systems
- Curate a list of potential statewide local subjects and genre headings
- Present findings for suggested local subjects and genre headings at a state-wide bibliographic standards meeting for consensus
- Present a finalized list of headings at a state-wide bibliographic standards meeting

Database maintenance recommendations - Some data from our <u>first year survey</u>. Folder container examples of some systems task lists is <u>here</u>. (Jen Schmidt from MCFLS will be managing this project).

- Regular maintenance plan for keeping databases in tiptop shape.
- Email Public Library Systems about how they do/track ILS database maintenance tasks
- Establish recommendations for regular database maintenance
- Research current statewide practices for database maintenance tasks
- Research best practices for database maintenance tasks
- Share findings with LSTA Cooperative Cataloging grant partners and Statewide Bibliographic Standards committee for consensus
- Present final recommendations with LSTA Cooperative Cataloging grant partners and Statewide Bibliographic Standards committee

Series authority cleanup analysis - hire a consultant to analyze and recommend clean up

- Any MarcEdit experts that could create steps for cleanup?
- OMITTING series entries that aren't series
- Three Pines mystery
- Magic Treehouse
- The Warriors Erin Hunter

- Superheroes
- Magic Schoolbus
- NUMA files
- Heartland Hallmark
- When the heart...

Systems affected by Marcive closing need assistance? We have quotes from IFLS and NWLS. OWLS may be interested.

- IFLS (\$7500 now \$2500!) will work on this in 2025, consider bringing BiblioCloud back on the table.
- OWLS waiting on quote
- NWLS (\$5000 now \$2500!) will work on in 2025

MNLink upgrade:

https://minitex.umn.edu/news/2024-10/mnlink-minnesotas-revamped-interlibrary-loan-service-off ers-unparalleled-access

Training for front line staff connection to technical services - how to start? Does this already exist? If not, what simple things could we do to help?

- Explore training for front line library staff to connect the work of technical services staff to patron services. Have you created training or informational materials including short videos, handouts, presentations, showing how technical services work supports patron discovery?
- Anatomy of a bib record
- Talk with circ staff
- Needs some research
 - <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3BHEgLVzVIY</u> Clinton Macomb Public Library 11 minutes. **What is Cataloging?**

Brainstorm ways to encourage adoption of recommendations when finalized Offsetting the cost of staff time to implement changes

Housekeeping

Where to find things - LSTA Cooperative Cataloging <u>folder</u> <u>24-25 Grant application</u> <u>Statewide Bib Standards committee info</u> Recording of Grant year 22-23 findings: <u>https://youtu.be/cRnZmyilX5g</u>

Next meeting: December 17 @1 pm