

Promoting Access to Government Documents and FDLP Community

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Johnson County Library

Federal Depository Library Conference 2011
Arlington, Va.
October 17, 2011



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Public Library Basics for Documents

- Proactive outreach
- Processing integrated
- Collection integrated and fully cataloged
- Documents accessible to patrons browsing the regular collection or searching the catalog
- Specialized reference services

Web Pages with Government Links

- Careers & Jobs – Occupational Outlook Handbook and other Bureau of Labor Statistics information
- Consumer Information – Federal Trade Commission
- Genealogy – Social Security Death Index
- Grants & Foundations – Grants.gov * Personal and Family Law
- Health & Wellness – MedlinePlus and PubMed
- Johnson County & Local Information
- Science – Science.gov

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Business

Business and Personal Finance Classes and Events

Financial Workshop for Individual Investors - CANCELED
 Wednesday, October 05, 2011 at 10:00 AM
 Central Resource Library

Financial Workshop for Individual Investors - CANCELED
 Wednesday, October 12, 2011 at 10:00 AM
 Central Resource Library

Research Tip: Business Plan Blues

By Fran D., Librarian

Struggling to put together a business plan? Overwhelmed with all the facts and statistics you need? Learn about Library resources that can help with this hands-on workshop.

Business Plan Blues
 Thursday, Aug. 18, 2011
 1-2:30 p.m.
 Central Resource Library Training Lab

[Register online now >](#)

Databases **Research Topics** Getting Started

Research Topics

Getting started - Is entrepreneurship right for me?
 Business development services

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GovFest 2011 for Entrepreneurs: What Government Can Do For Your Business

About GovFest

Did you know there are government and nonprofit agencies available to help businesses start and grow for little or no cost? GovFest brings these agencies together, providing easy access for the beginning entrepreneur or the small business seeking help to grow. Representatives from local agencies will attend this year's event to staff an exhibit hall and deliver targeted programs.

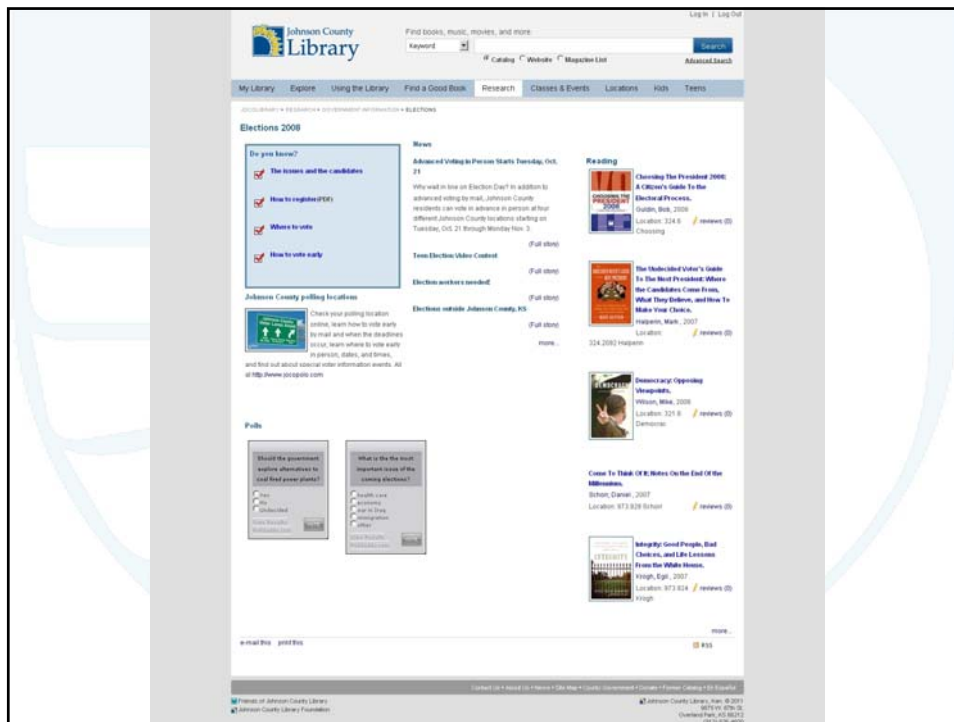
Thursday, Nov. 17, 2011
 11 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
 Central Resource Library

Programs - GovFest 2011

10 - 11:30 a.m. "Competing for Government Contracts: Basic Training" with Ross Draney, Subcenter Director, Wichita Office, Heartland Procurement Technical Assistance Center


12 - 1 p.m. Lunch & Learn: ReferenceUSA Demonstration with Fran Dennison, Business Librarian, Johnson County Library

[Exhibitors - GovFest 2011](#)



Joyful "America Speaks" participants at the end of a fruitful day.

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Community Issues and Engagement




Legacies of the Civil War Discussions Coming in October
 In 2011-12, the Johnson County Library will commemorate the border war between Kansas and Missouri in the 1850s. We would love your input on how to discuss this.
 Oct. 25, 2011


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Upcoming Community Engagement Events

 Legacies of the Civil War: The Border War
Oct. 25, 2011.


 Legacies of the Civil War: The Kansas Nebraska Act
Feb, 2012.

Past Events




Understanding and Responding to Poverty Among Children and Their Families in Johnson County: a Community Conversation
[Event Wrap-up >>](#)

The Johnson County Library has worked with the community to explore topics such as health care, offshoring, immigration, economic development and energy. [Explore our Community Issues and Engagement Events](#) to learn more about these and other community discussions.

 Follow us on Twitter for the latest on community issues and engagement

Community Issues Blog




Community Engagement Librarian,
 Louisa Whitfield-Smith
 blogs about current events
 and issues facing
 Johnson County residents.

Where do you get your news? Single Source vs. Multiple Source News Consumers

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Welcome

Through book discussions, Community Issues Forums, author visits and other programs, Johnson County Library invites you to consider the Legacies of the Civil War during 2011 and 2012. The 150th anniversary provides an opportunity for us to examine how the conflict shaped our lives and our community. [Watch the promotional video >](#)

Calendar of Events

 Saturday, Oct. 8, 2011

Johnson County Library Presents Daniel Woodrell

 2 p.m. at Central Resource Library
[Register now >](#)

Daniel Woodrell, author of *Winter's Bone*, reads from and discusses his new book of short stories, *The Outlaw Album*, including the story that inspired his book *Woe to Live On* and the film *Ride With the Devil*. Books

Upcoming Events

[Legacies of the Civil War: Daniel Woodrell](#)

Saturday, October 08, 2011 at 2:00 PM
 Central Resource Library

[Legacies of the Civil War Book Discussion: "Jesse James, Last Rebel..."](#)

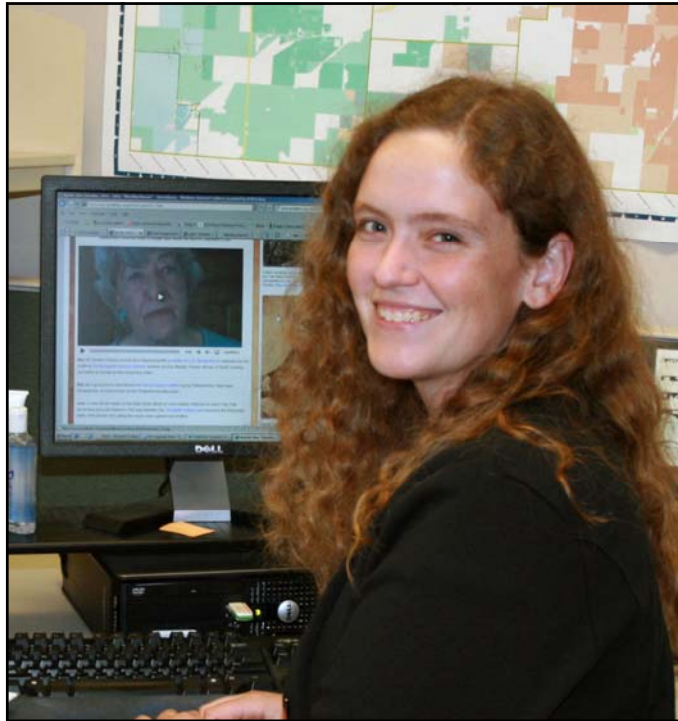
Thursday, October 13, 2011 at 7:00 PM
 Oak Park Library

Timelines

- "Bleeding Kansas:" 1854-1861
- The Civil War: 1861-1865

Lists

- Civil War Books for Adults
- Audio & Video
- Civil War Fiction for Teens
- Civil War Fiction for Kids



**Louisa
Whitfield-Smith**

Reference Librarian
For
Community
Engagement

Used
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of Congress Prints
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In her research
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Health & Wellness

Research Your Health
Support Groups
Low-cost Clinics
Kansas Health Statistics
Just for...
» Caregivers
» Teens
» Choosing Insurance
» Choosing a Doctor
» Fighting Flu

Talk to a Nurse
Talk to a Librarian


Need it Quick?
Search MedlinePLUS
 search

Online Books
Online Magazines
Health & Wellness Web Sites
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Upcoming Health Events
[Parkinson Foundation of the Heartland Wellness Class](#)
Thu, 29 Sep 2011 10:30 -0500

Low-Cost Health Insurance for Children
By Melody K., Health Librarian
Tuesday, August 23, 2011

Division of Health Care Finance



HealthWave is a Kansas program that provides government subsidized health insurance for children through age 18. The children must be from families that earn no more than 238 percent of federal poverty guidelines in order to qualify, or about \$40,000 a year for a family of three. Those who earn up to 150 percent of poverty pay nothing for the coverage. Those who earn more than that pay a per-family premium between \$20 and \$75 a month.

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Career & Job Resources

Career Tour


Thursday, August 18, 2011 at 10:00 AM
Central Resource Library

Career Tour

Tuesday, August 23, 2011 at 11:15 AM
Central Resource Library

DigitalLiteracy.gov

By Marty J., Librarian



Explore this comprehensive Federal website that organizes teaching tools from trusted sources related to basic computer skills and Web literacy. Great for people who need a little help getting up to speed with technology: [DigitalLiteracy.gov](#).




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Finding job openings | **Upcoming job fairs** | **Surviving a layoff**

Local job postings

Online job postings in the Kansas City metro area. Visit the [Find Job Openings Web page](#) for additional resources.


-  [KC Star CareerBuilder](#)
-  [Kansas Works \(formerly Kansas Job Link\)](#)
-  [Missouri Career Source](#)

Career Center

- [Choosing a career that's right for you](#)
- [Finding job openings](#)
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Genealogy



The **Central Resource Library** Genealogy collection includes census indexes, passenger lists, family histories, civil war records and much more. Staff and genealogy volunteers are available to assist at the Genealogy/Regional Reference Desk on weekdays.

Digital Cemetery Website has a New Home!

By David L., Librarian



The Johnson County Library has launched a new version of the **Digital Cemetery**, a Web project that provides burial information from local cemeteries. The site allows users to locate graves of loved ones or ancestors by searching through the surname or cemetery indexes which can be searched or browsed alphabetically. Each individual record includes information gleaned from the headstone and photographs of the stone itself.







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Databases | **Local** | **Websites** | **Magazines** | **Obituaries**

A sample of librarians' favorite genealogy Web sites:

-  [Access Genealogy](#)
Access Genealogy provides links to resources in all states, with strong content on Native Americans.
-  [Africana Heritage Project](#)
This database includes valuable records documenting the names and lives of slaves, freedpersons, and their descendants, assisting African Americans who are researching their family histories.
-  [Association of Professional Genealogists](#)
Use the "Membership Directory" to locate a professional genealogy researcher.
-  [CastleGarden.org](#)
Offers free access to a database of information on 10 million immigrants who entered this New York port from 1830 through 1892, the year Ellis Island opened.
-  [Cemetery Records Online](#)
The leading genealogical resource for burial records and tombstone inscriptions.
-  [Cyndi's List of Genealogy Sites on the Internet](#)

Special topics

- [Genealogy Charts and Forms](#)
- [Local Places to Do Genealogy Research](#)
- [Getting Started With Your Family Tree](#)
- [JoCoHistory — Explore Local History](#)
- [Genealogy e-Newsletter Archives](#)
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Tax Forms & Help



- Tax Help in Johnson County
 - Tax Forms
 - Federal
 - State
 - City
 - Tax Tools & Tips
 - Local Post Office Hours
- Taxes-related books at the Library:
 - Deductions
 - Deductions for businesses
 - Small business taxes
 - Estate taxes
 - Trust and probate taxes

Tax Tip: Become a Tax Volunteer at the Library!



By Martha C., Librarian
Thursday, September 08, 2011

KANSAS AARP TAX-AIDE 2012 RECRUITMENT CAMPAIGN

Yes YOU can.....make a difference, give something back, stay engaged, meet new friends, and join a team that really cares. Overused clichés? Perhaps, but they still ring true for the right volunteer organization. If you are not afraid of people, computers, tax returns, personal challenges, or learning new things; we may have just the opportunity for you. AARP Tax-Aide, the nation's largest free volunteer-run tax preparation and assistance service is the right organization. We are seeking volunteers across the state to help Kansas taxpayers prepare and file their tax returns.

[Read more of the press release from the AARP below....](#)

[\(Full story\)](#)

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Welcome to the FDLP Community site!

This site is designed to create an online, interactive venue to enhance the world of Government documents. All members of the Federal depository library community can create an account. Sign up today to start sharing your knowledge, experiences, and resources while also benefiting from the expertise of other library professionals from around the country.

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constitutionFacts.com - Learn about the U.S. Constitution, the Bill of Rights, the Declaration - Windows Internet Explorer

http://www.constitutionfacts.com/constitution-poster-design-contest/

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- POCKET CONSTITUTION BOOKS
- FAMOUS QUOTES
- CROSSWORD PUZZLES
- TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE
- CONSTITUTION I.Q. QUIZ
- "REAL OR FAKE" QUIZ
- WHICH FOUNDING FATHER ARE YOU?
- WHICH FOUNDING FATHER WOULD YOU VOTE FOR?
- REASURE HUNTS
- WORD FINDS
- DATES TO REMEMBER
- GLOSSARY OF TERMS

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5th Annual Constitution Day Poster Design Contest

The annual Constitution Day Poster Design Contest is brought to you by:

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- American Library Association Government Documents Round Table
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CONSTITUTION DAY Poster Contest

Welcome to the 5th annual GovDocKids Group U.S. Constitution Day Poster Design Contest, an international contest promoted exclusively through the internet.

To compete, the contest invites K-12 entrants (including homeschoolers) to celebrate Constitution Day (Sept. 17) designing a poster showing how they benefited from the freedoms embodied in the U.S. Constitution.

Entries must be postmarked by October 1st, 2011. The first 100 entrants receive a free pocket constitution book from constitutionfacts.com, with the contest winner receiving additional prizes! To learn more, download the Constitution Day Poster Design Contest [entry form](#).

THOMAS JEFFERSON INVENTED A PASTA MACHINE





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