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**TO:** Russ Martin, Town Manager  
**FROM:** Kathy Hellman, Library Director  
**SUBJECT:** Monthly Report – July 2013  
**DATE:** 8/11/2013  
**CC:** Department Heads

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The Library participated in the July 4<sup>th</sup> Parade down Main Street. We used the opportunity to make contact with local teens and invite them to learn more about the Teen Advisory Board (TAB) application process. Molli distributed posters and information throughout Camp Verde about the upcoming TAB selection process. Inquiries and interest have increased throughout the month and some applications have already been submitted.



Yavapai Free Library District (YFLD) announced a cut in funds going out to public libraries due to a decision by the Yavapai County Supervisors that cut \$600,000 out of YFLD's FY2014 budget. CVCL will receive \$14,537 less in FY14 than in FY13 from YFLD funds.

Kathy Hellman and Steve and Alex Goetting had a phone interview with Tracy Lea and Jim Cook of [Skysong](#) to explore the possibility of CVCL having an [Alexandria Network](#) location in the new library. The Alexandria Network comes from [ASU's Venture Catalyst](#) department and provides connections and support for entrepreneurial efforts through public libraries. CVCL and the CV Chamber of Commerce are considering a collaborative effort as we learn more about the Alexandria Network at a September 20 training event in Scottsdale.

Gerry Laurito, volunteer Ann Rasor and Kathy Hellman were taught the basics of original cataloging by Megan Hammond, YFLD. Many new items added to CVCL's shelves already have bibliographic records in the Yavapai Library Network's system. However, original bibliographic records must be created for local authors', musicians' and filmmakers' work. This training will allow us to better meet our goal of collecting works by local artists.

Damage Control, LLC out of Mesa began asbestos abatement on the Library Annex building at 33 W Moser Lane on July 25. The job took longer than predicted because a second ceiling with “popcorn” finished tiles was discovered several feet above the visible ceiling. Damage Control removed all the infected material and the building passed inspection on July 31. It has been covered with graffiti as a fundraiser for CCCVL and will be used for SWAT training exercises before demolition begins September 12.

CVCL collaborated with CV Parks and Recreation in a Teen Pool Party event at the Town pool. Teens were admitted at no charge when they filled out a short survey about the TAB and other town events aimed at teens. Food was provided by the library and lifeguards were provided by Parks & Recreation. Teens who came had a blast! The Library and Parks & Recreation are discussing more collaborative efforts in upcoming months.

CVCL’s Children’s Summer Reading Program (SRP) concluded on July 30 with a grand finale performance by Sticks and Tones. Thanks are again due Mike Marshall and CV Parks & Recreation for facilitating the Children’s Library’s use of the Town Gym. The Teen SRP ended August 1 with an Ice Cream Sundae Social at the library. Prizes for the Teen Awards drawing went to:

- \$25 Walmart Gift Card - Fetuu Feiloakitou
- \$25 iTunes Gift Card – Angel Presley
- \$19.99 Xbox Gift Card – Ty Holman
- \$15 Google Play Gift Card – Fetuu Feiloakitou

Eighty-four patrons participated in CVCL’s SRP programs reading, viewing or listening to a total of 1,846 items in June and July!