ME Cataloging meeting notes

01/10/22 11:00am

Youtube: https://youtu.be/aNH43YytXek

Cataloging Committee news

- 1. Reynolds County goes live on January 20
 - a. Currently not automated, so no "freeze" will occur
 - b. Working on adding items to existing Evergreen records; trying to have a full branch cataloged by go-live
 - c. Mickey clarified that their collection is about 35,000 items and that the centerville branch is about 75% cataloged and that resource sharing should begin on February 7.
- 2. Ralls County goes live on Mar 24, 2022
 - a. No deletions March 14-18th, mark it on your calendar. A reminder will also go out.
- 3. Report Update
 - a. Reports are now available via a directory of the Missouri Evergreen domain
 - b. Available here: https://missourievergreen.org/special_reports/
 - c. Credentials are the same as what you normally use to access Evergreen
 - d. Clarified that these are static reports, just like the ones that were emailed out. They will not be updated live.
- Allyson Harkins and Ron Eifert put together a Helpful Reminders document that can be of use during everyday cataloging. This provides tips for many common mistakes or issues that come up in our MARC records.
- 5. Remote cataloging certification should be available on February 10th
 - a. This should include all training documents and videos
 - b. Expect there to be a place on the website that will link you to all of the necessary content
 - c. There will be a simple assessment at the end of each training that will require a few screenshots to demonstrate that you can perform the tasks described in the training
 - d. Looking at potentially offering in-person trainings for the future
 - e. No "deadline has been discussed
- 6. Reminder: Cataloging help email is now available: cathelp@moevergreenlibraries.org
 - a. Email will be monitored by members of the cataloging committee
 - b. With multiple experts available, you should get an answer rather quickly
- 7. Update from Consortium Cataloger
 - a. Gregg confirmed that he would be more than happy to visit libraries for in-person trainings
 - b. The assessment at the end of

Let's talk cataloging!

- 1. Graphic novels / manga with their own unique part title and ISBN should be on their own record
 - a. If you have all on one series record, it should be fairly easy to move each volume to the appropriate record
- 2. Reviewed content from the Helpful Reminders document
- 3. Next meeting February 14, 2021 @11:00 am on GoToMeeting.

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