

How to Train Your Community on Libby.

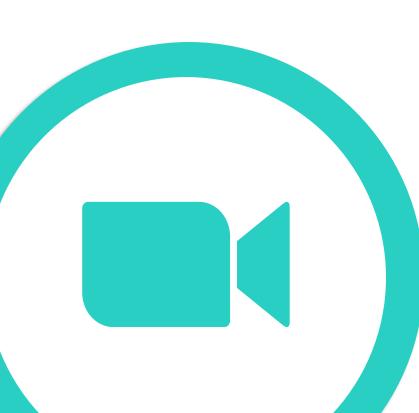
Libby trainings for your patrons – made easy!



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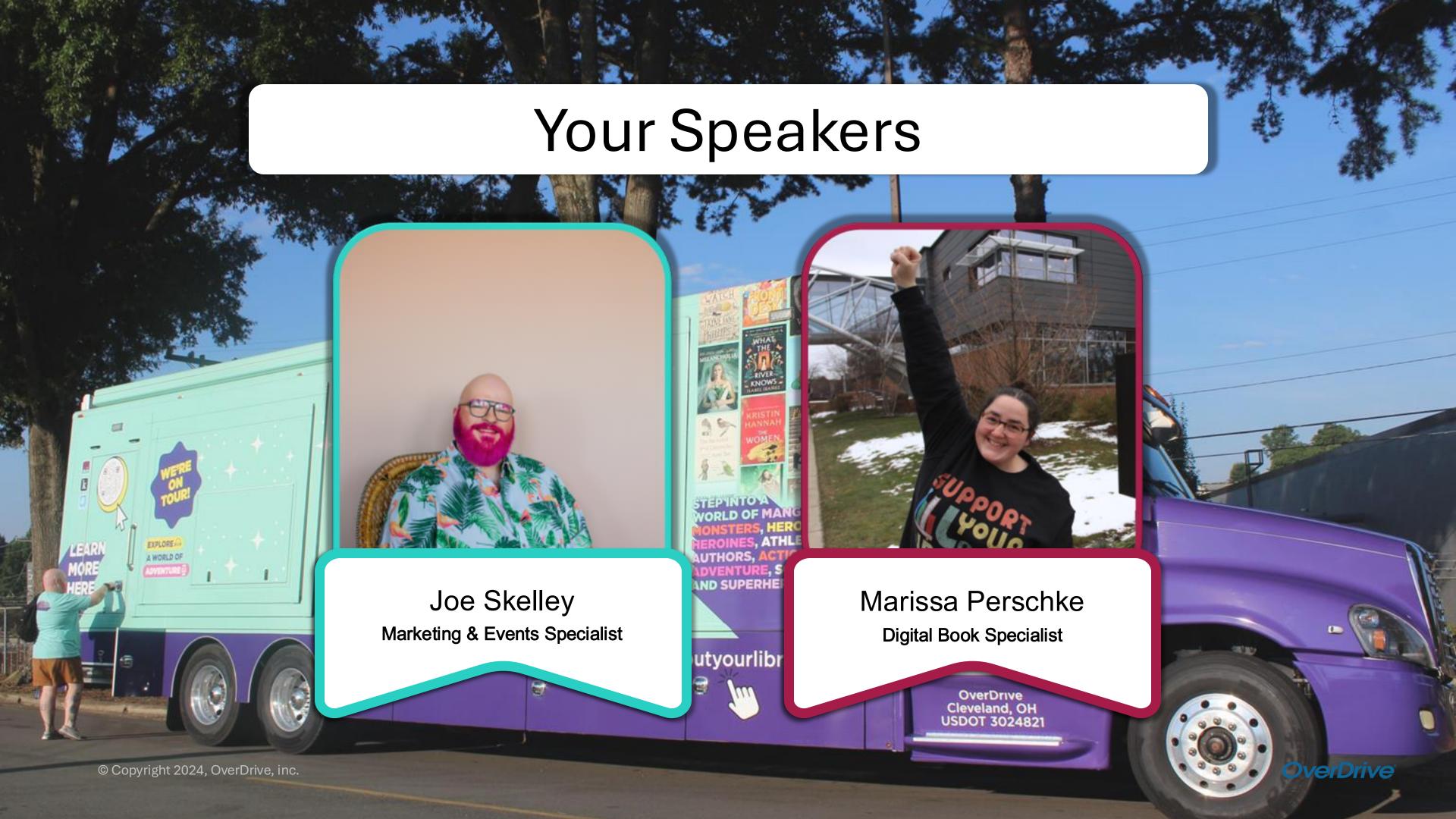
Check-in poll

At this time, how comfortable do you feel training users on Libby?

- Very comfortable.
- Somewhat comfortable.
- Not comfortable.

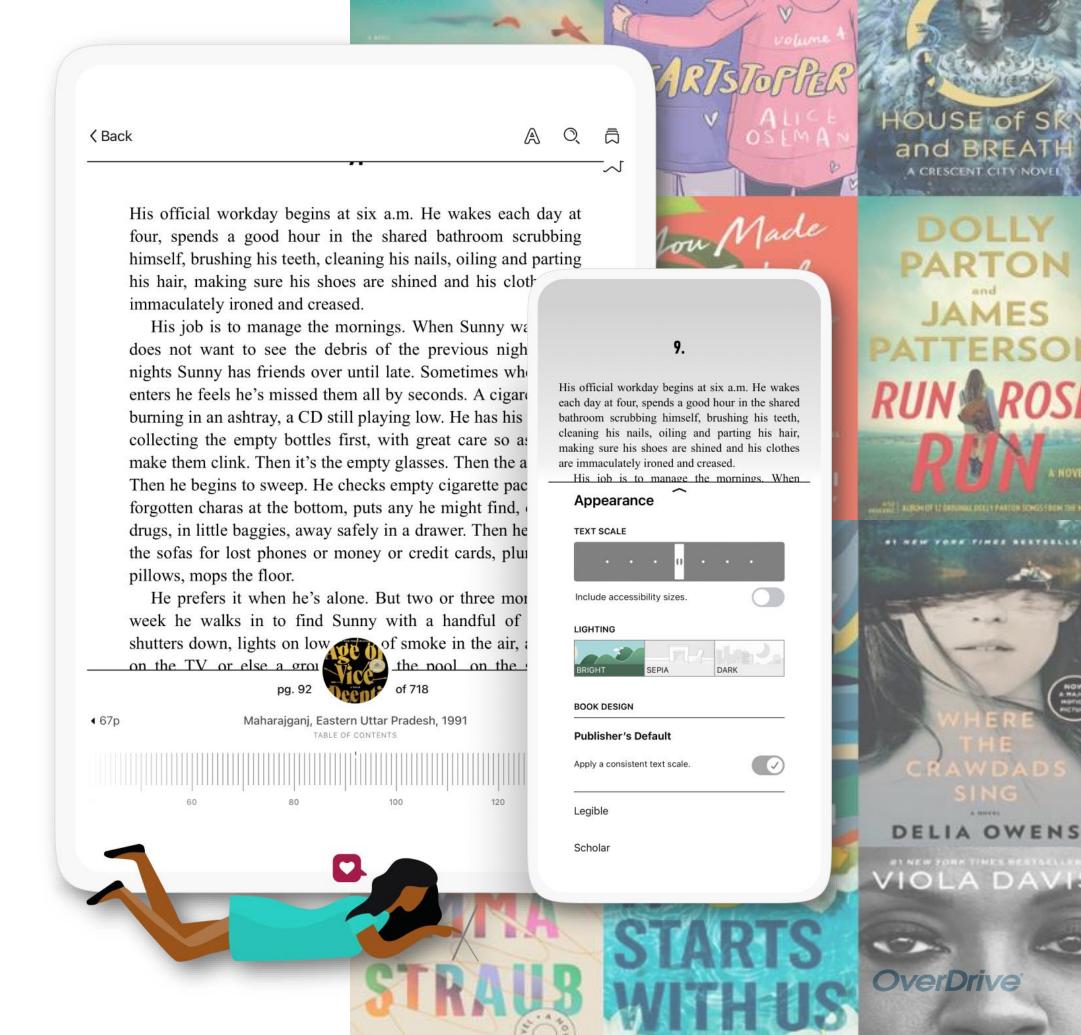






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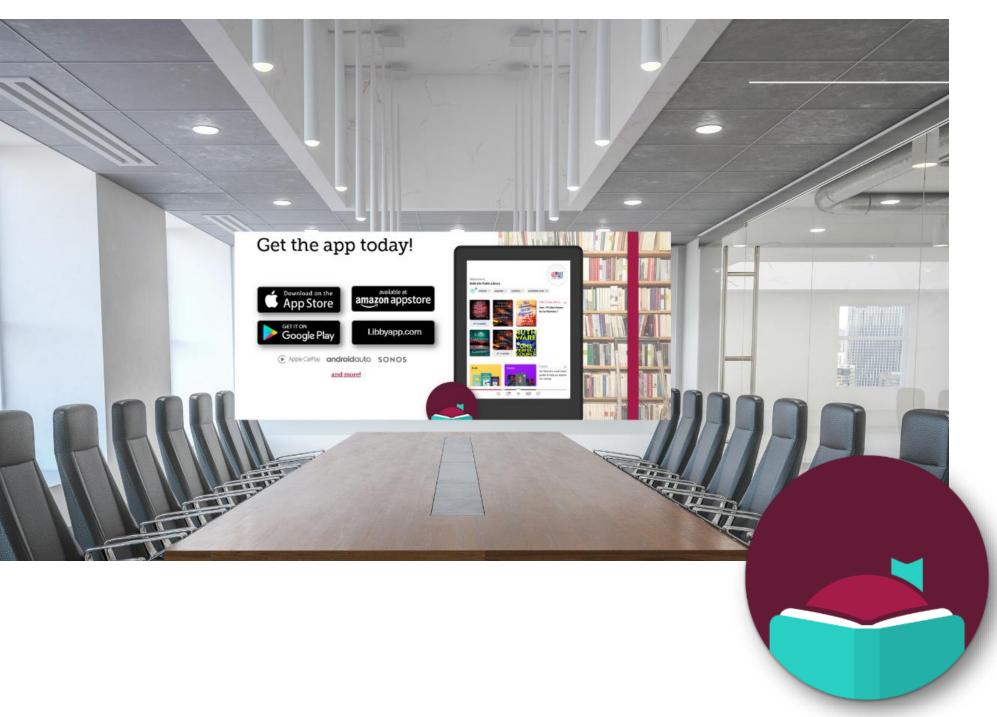
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Why we're here

- Help users engage with digital content at your library.
- Promote your digital collection.



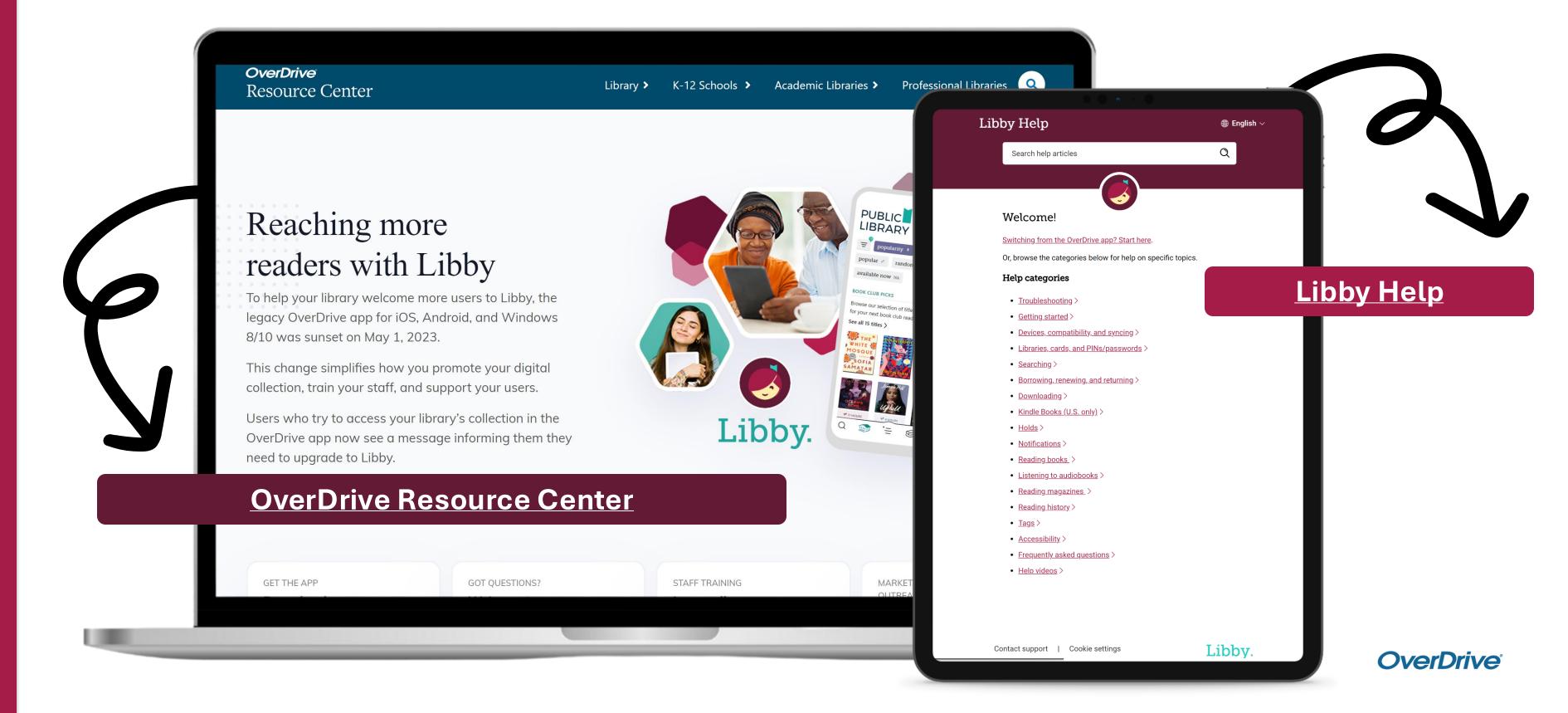




Liboby.

The library reading app

Learn more about Libby



Get the app today!



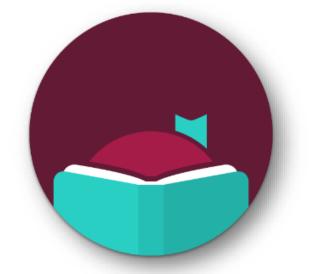


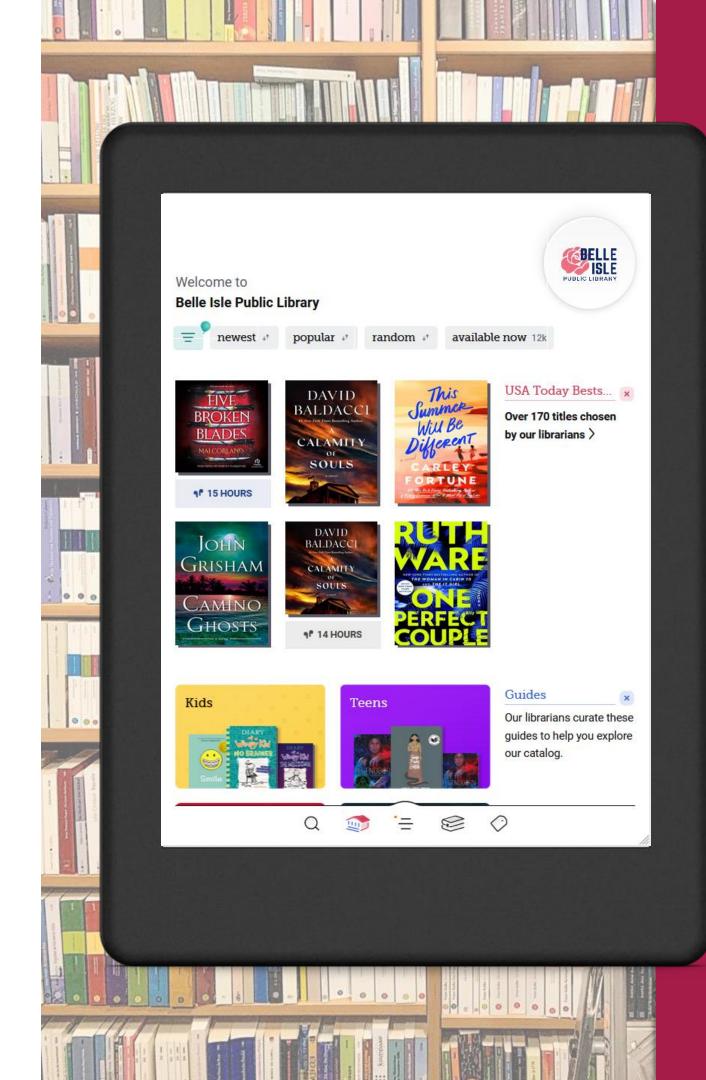


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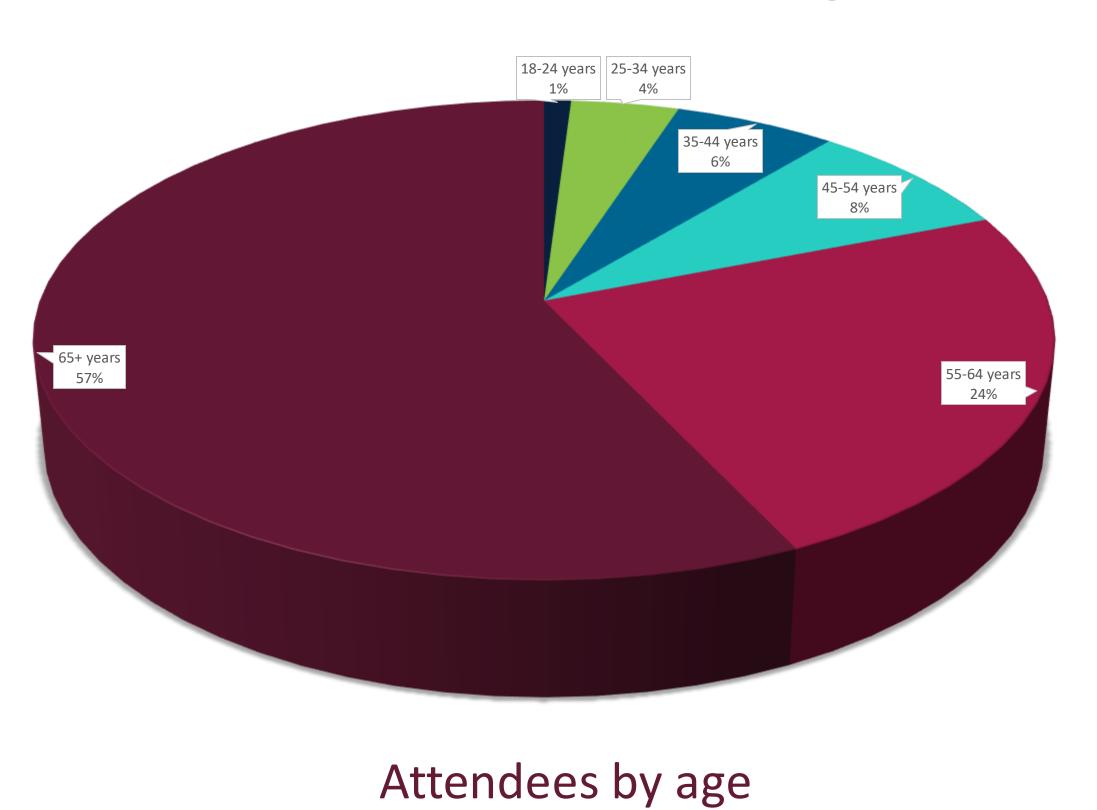




Prepare

How to prepare for a Libby basics training

Demographics





Poll

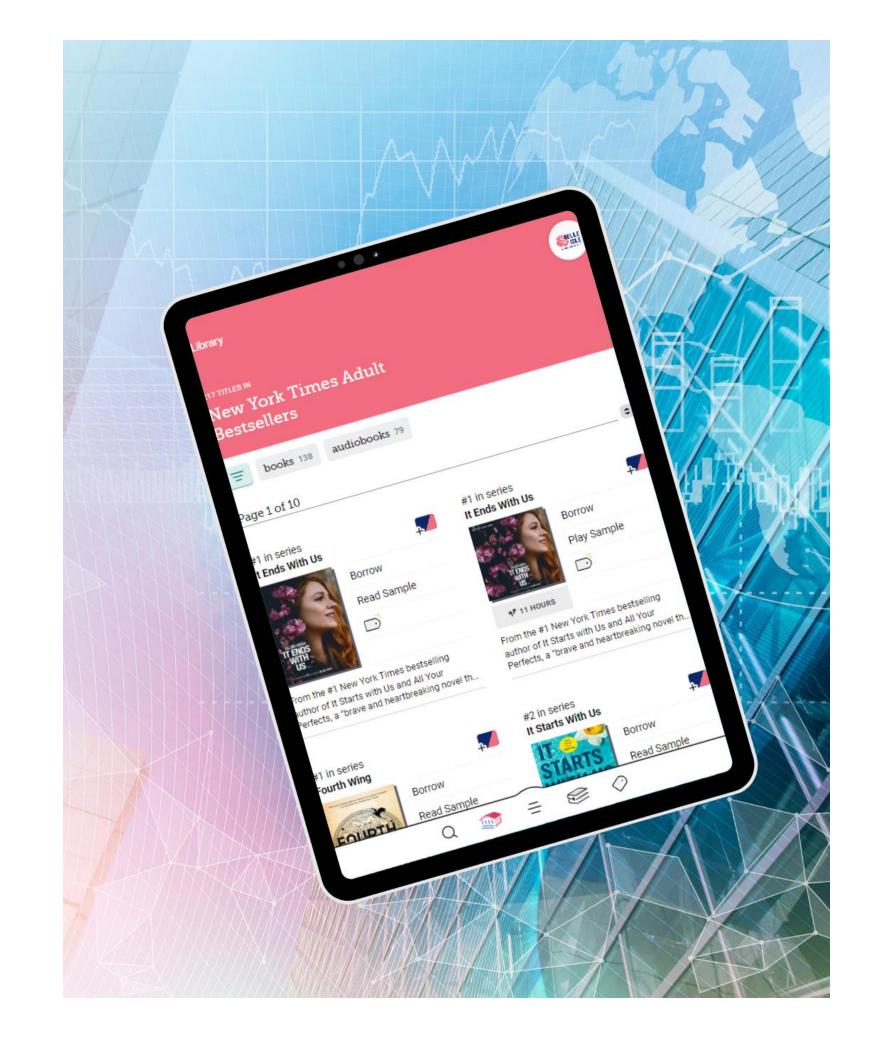
How does your library host events?

- Virtually
- In-person
- Hybrid
- N/A



Training Considerations

- Delivery style & timing
- Choice of device
- Post-event materials
 - Survey
 - Recording
 - Supplemental content
- Library card

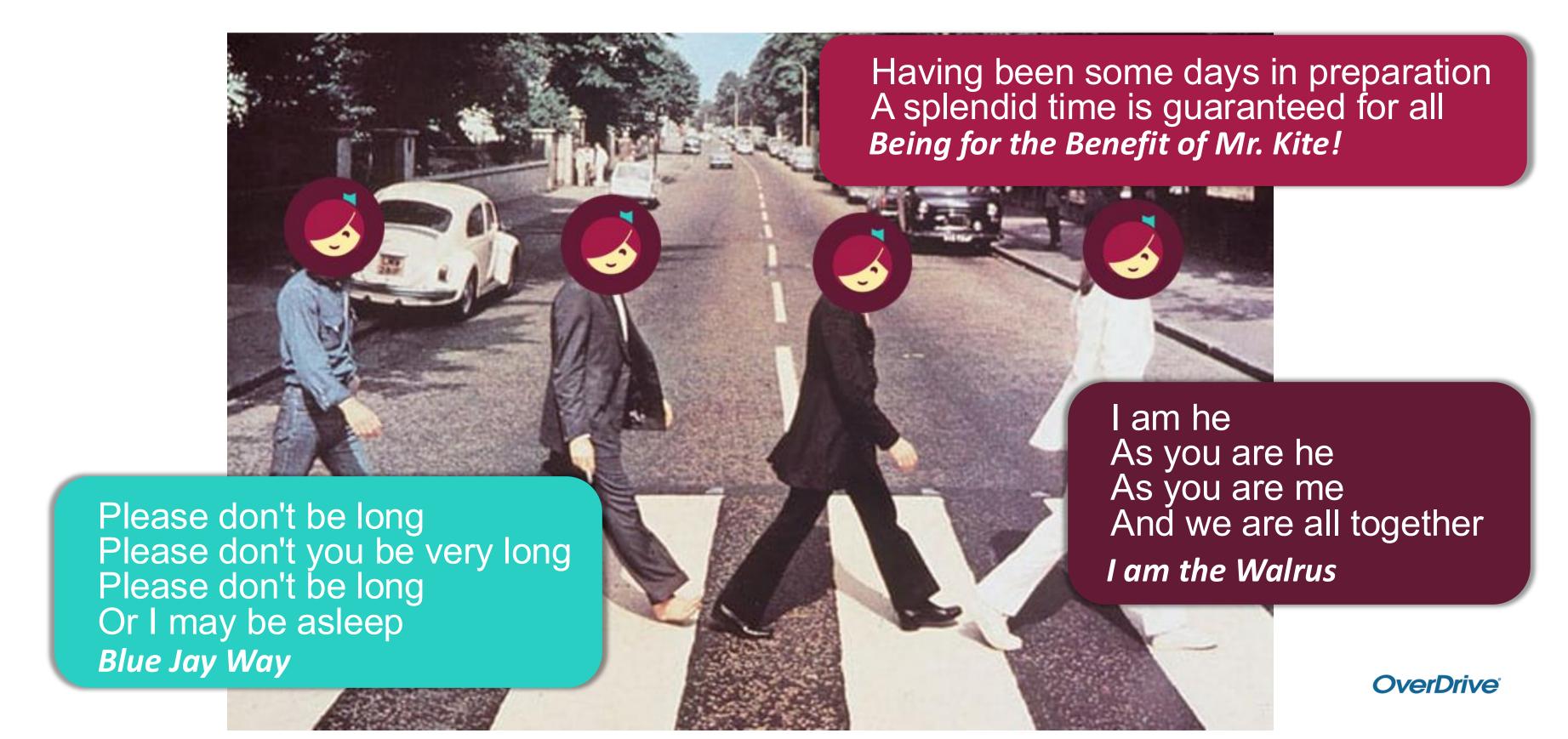




Content & Delivery

How to deliver a Libby basics training

Lessons in delivery from the Beatles



Focus on the basics





Downloading the app



Logging in



Browsing



Searching



Placing holds



Borrowing books



Changing loan periods



Ebook basics



Reading appearance



Shelf



Audiobook basics



Managing notifications



Labeled Icons



Adding library cards



Help & support

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Help & Support

If you're having trouble signing in with your library card...

Contact Your Library



When you have a moment, we have two quick questions.

Take Our Survey



How can we help?



Ask a question, or search for a topic. You can also browse our Help site.









Do more with the Libby app. Download loans, receive notifications, play audiobooks in the car, add homescreen widgets, and more.

Libby is made possible by your local library, and built with care by OverDrive®







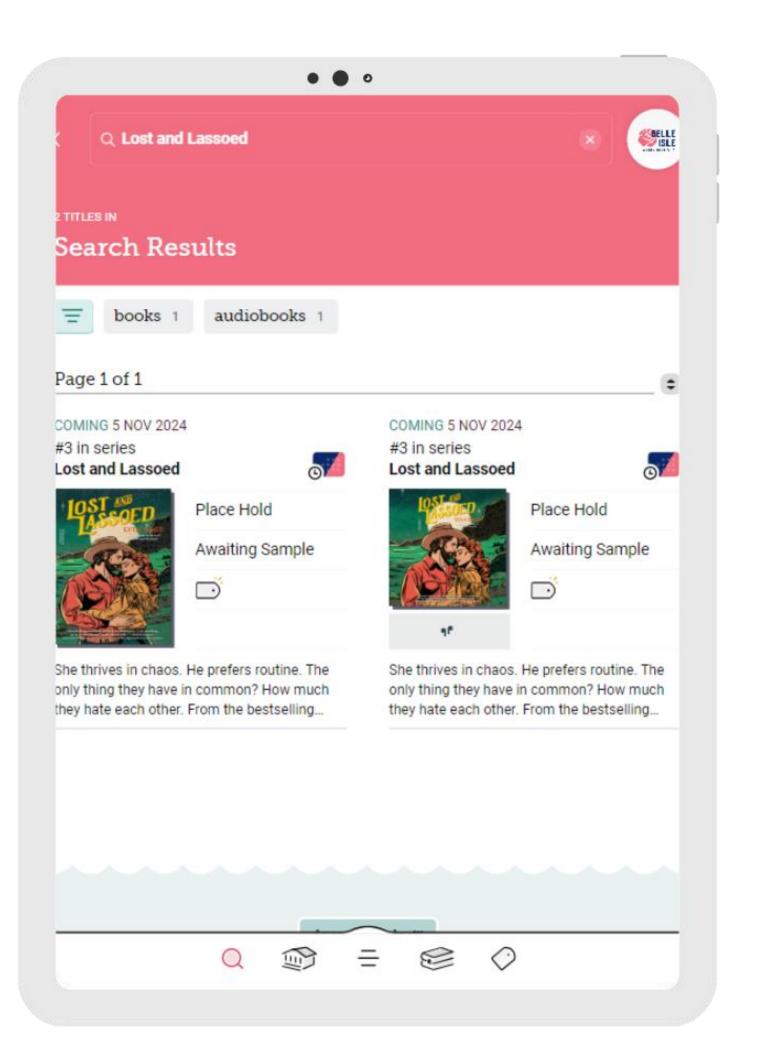






Prepare a demo that is easy to follow

- Minimize screen transitions.
- Optimize your time.
- Reduce surprises.



Engage your attendees



Share anecdotes and use analogies.



Gear your content to your listeners' experience and interests.



Increase retention with quiz questions



Quiz

Example question:

What are the three ways you can customize your ebook's appearance? Select all that apply.

- Text Scale
- Lighting
- Book Design
- Language
- Unsure



Please ask questions using Zoom's Q&A feature. We have chat disabled to ensure all questions are directed to the same place.
You can also ask questions anonymously!

"I'm told there are deer and wild turkey in the foothills, but the governor says the real prize is something called a *domuzjov*. Whatever that is."

"It's a kind of wild boar," I said. "They have more hair than the type you have in the south. Bigger, too, and faster. Their hair turns white in the winter, so it should be a challenge with the snowfall last night."

Iskander bounced on his toes with boyish excitement. "You know, it's been an age since I've been on a proper hunt. It gets the blood up like nothing else."

Except war, I thought, looking down as I shoved the thought away. It wasn't Iskander's fault his people thrived while mine suffered.

"I'm surprised Your Highness is willing to risk the foothills," the sour-looking man said, brushing imaginary dust off his sleeve. "Are the mountains not part of Seravesh?"

I drew my shoulders back, sensing a trap waiting to be sprung. While the mountains and belong to my kingdom, here in the southern slopes, the fact was more of a technicality. The people who actually lived there were Idunese in everything but name. "The mountains are on Seraveshi lands, but I'm not worried for our safety. The range provides an excellent shield against the worst of the fighting."

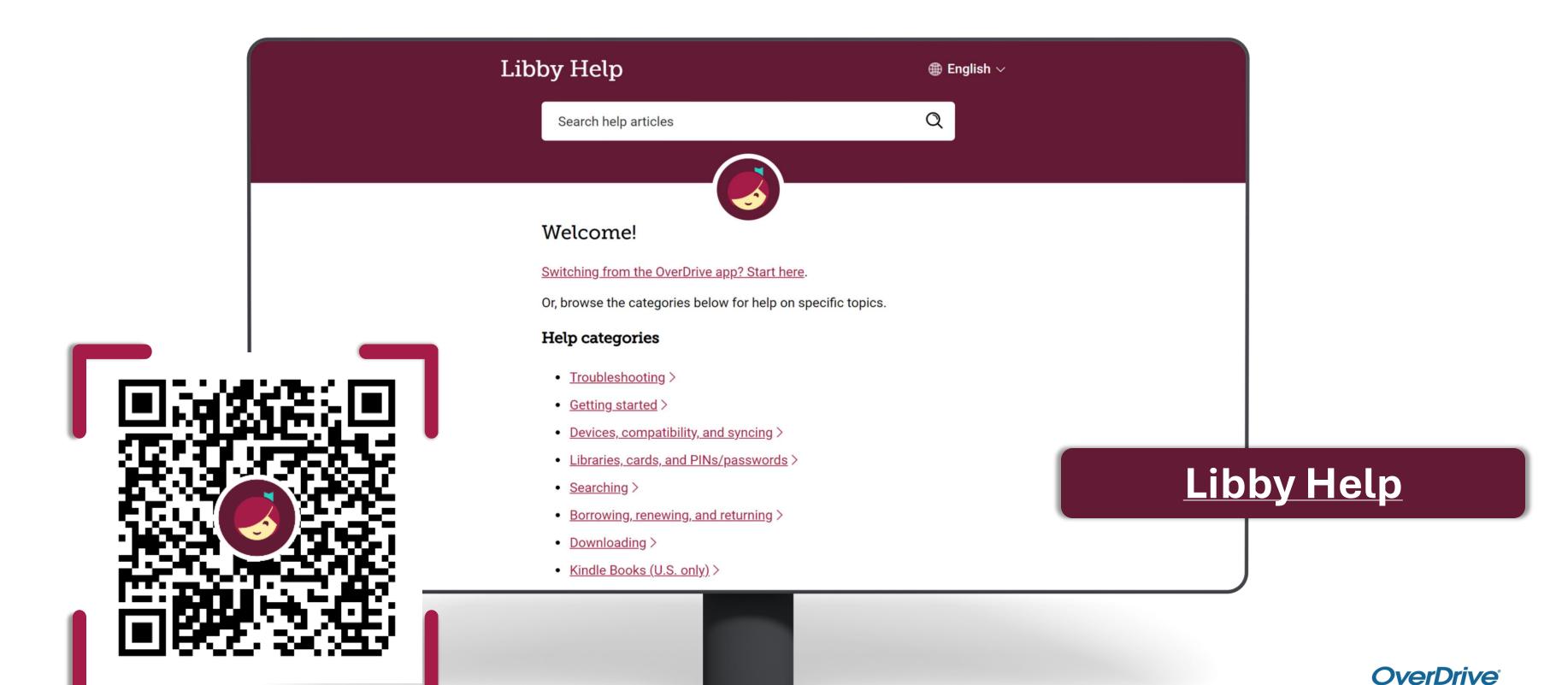
The man smirked. "So good a shield that Seravesh looks peaceful from here."

I glanced at Iskander who was glaring a hole in the lord's face. "Looks can be deceiving."

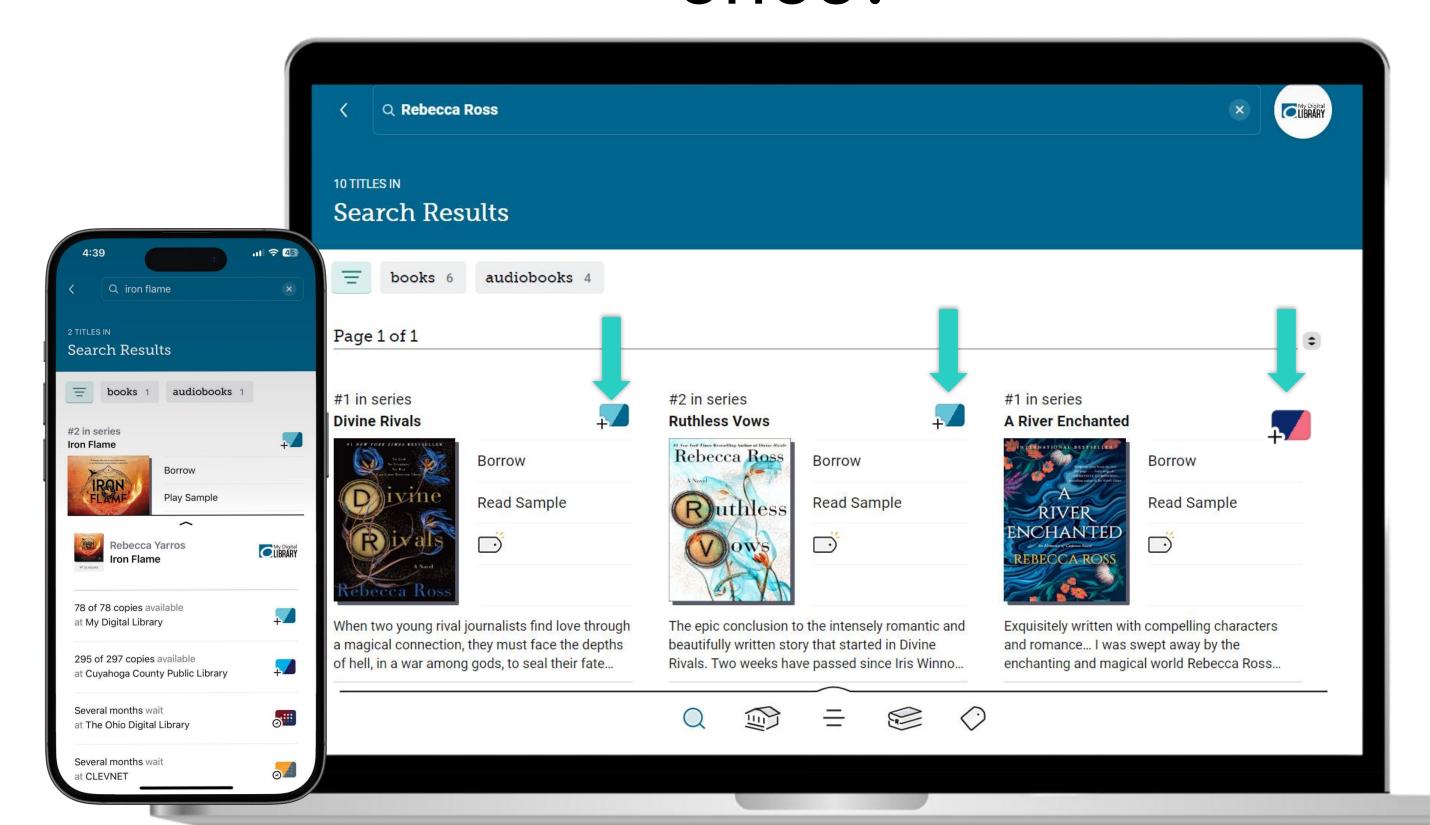
"And words can't? I read the letters you sent the emperor begging for aid against the so-called Roven invasion. Perhaps your words were overblown. Why, even the Seraveshi ambassador to Vishir endorsed the regime change."

"Before he conveniently disappeared," I shot back through clenched teeth. The ambassador was a good man—there wasn't

Frequently asked questions

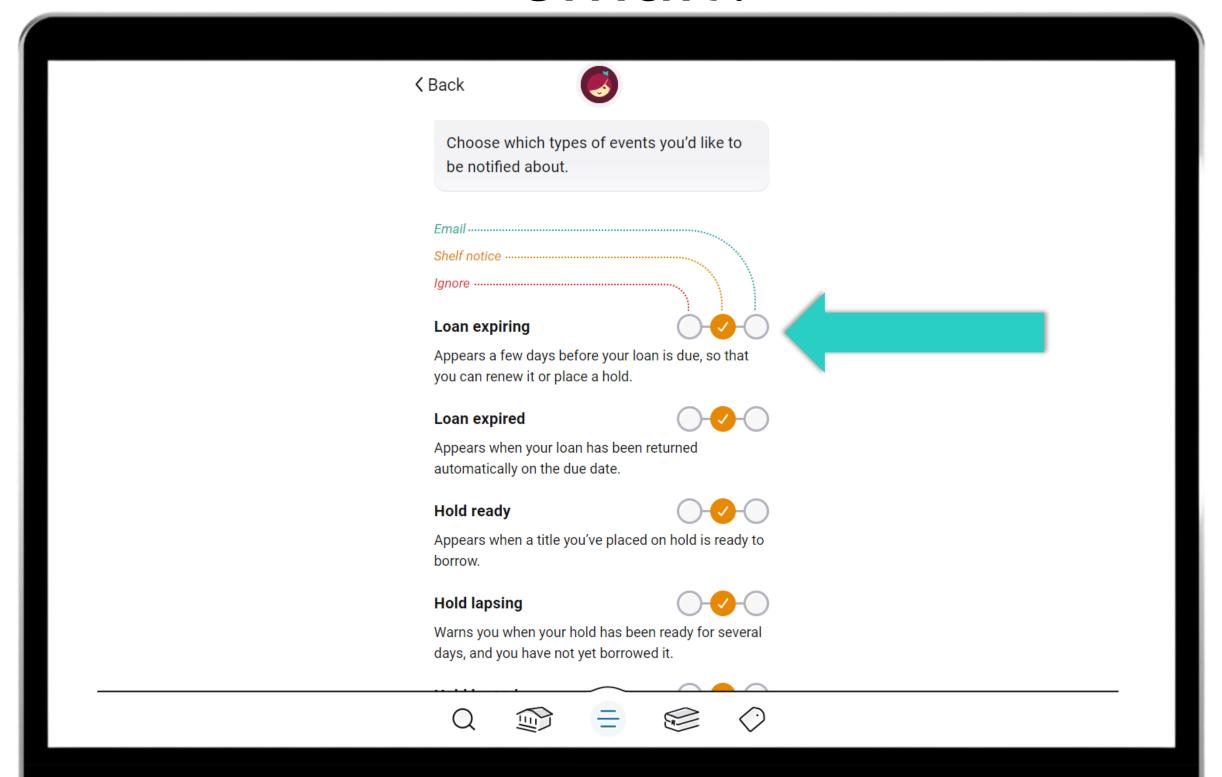


FAQs - Can I search multiple libraries at once?



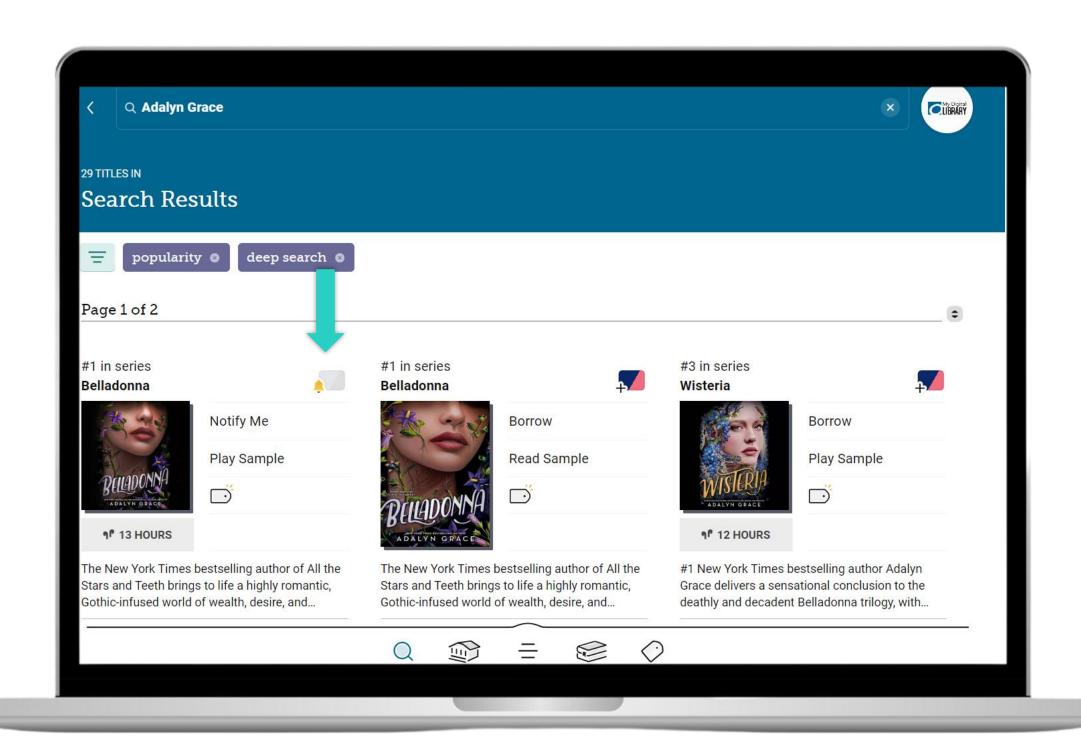


FAQs - Can I receive notifications via email?





FAQs - Can I recommend titles to my library?





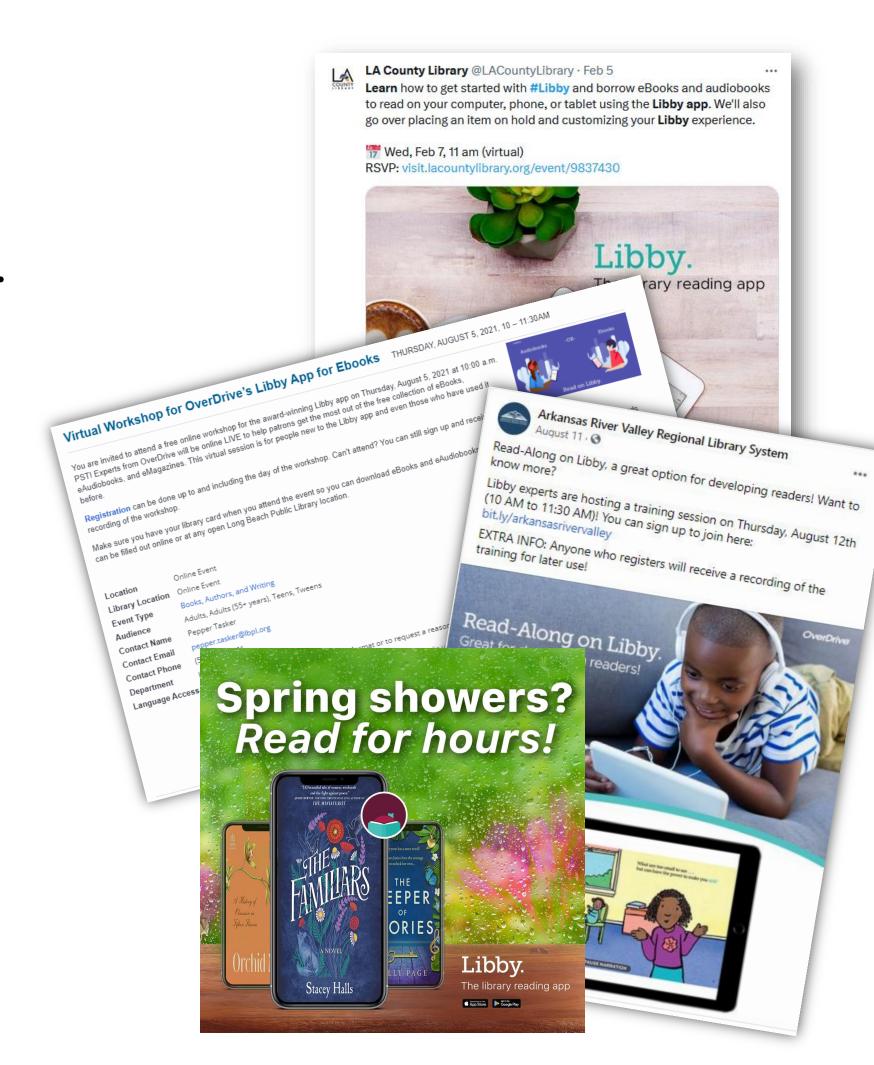


Promote

How to market a Libby basics training to your end users

Promoting your event

- Virtual- Start promoting 1.5 2 weeks prior.
 - Final push 3 days prior.
- In-Person Promote 3-4 weeks prior.
- Promote via:
 - Email blast.
 - Press release.
 - Posters, flyers, and print materials.
 - Library newsletter.
 - Website and event calendar.
 - Social media.



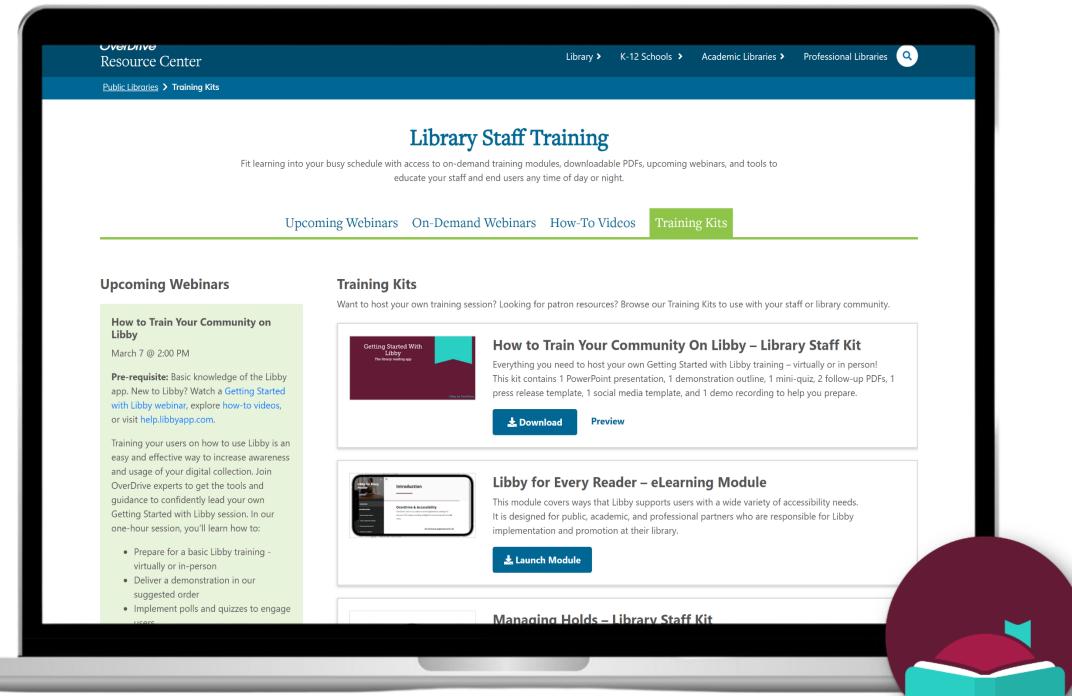


Resources & Next Steps

Summary







Resources

- OverDrive Resource Center
- Reach More Readers with Libby
- Libby, the library reading app
- Libby Help
- **Complimentary Training Kit**



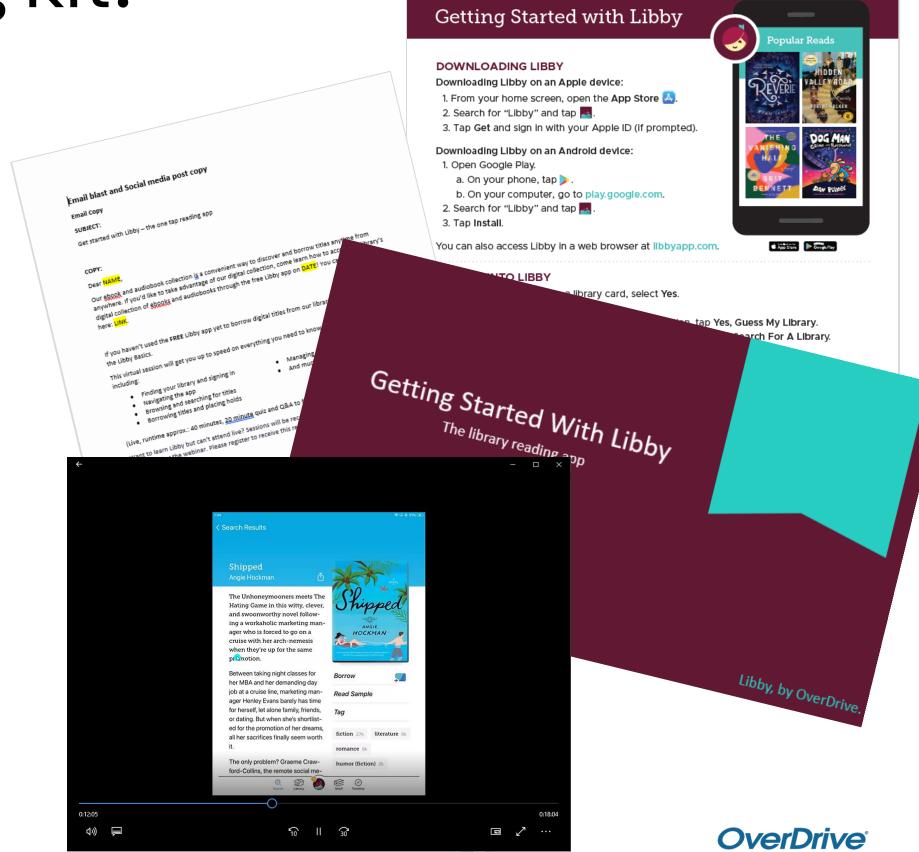




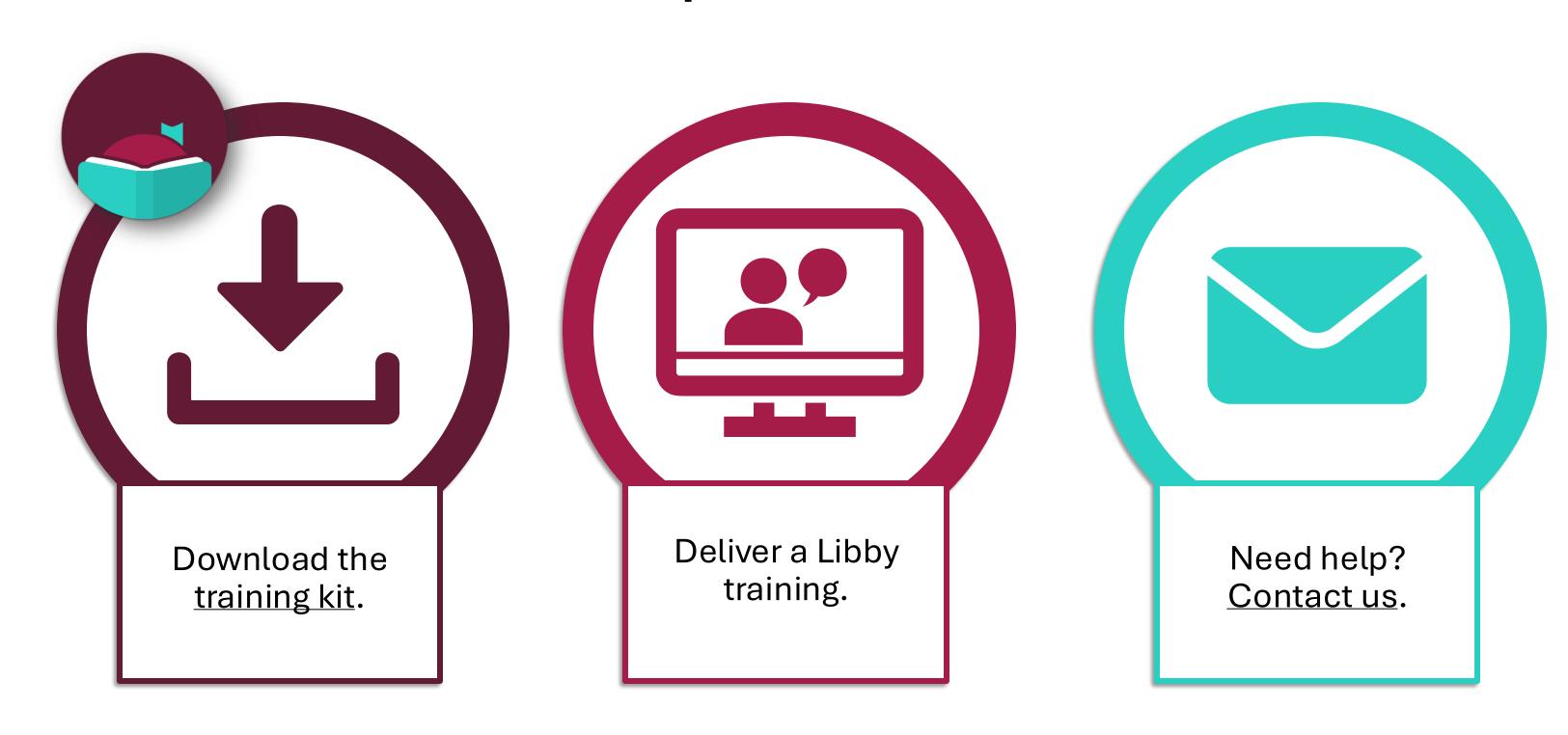


Complimentary training kit!

- PowerPoint template.
- Libby basics recorded demo.
- Libby how-to PDFs.
- Suggested delivery guide.
- Mini-quiz questions.
- Press release template.
- Email & social media template.



Next steps for success









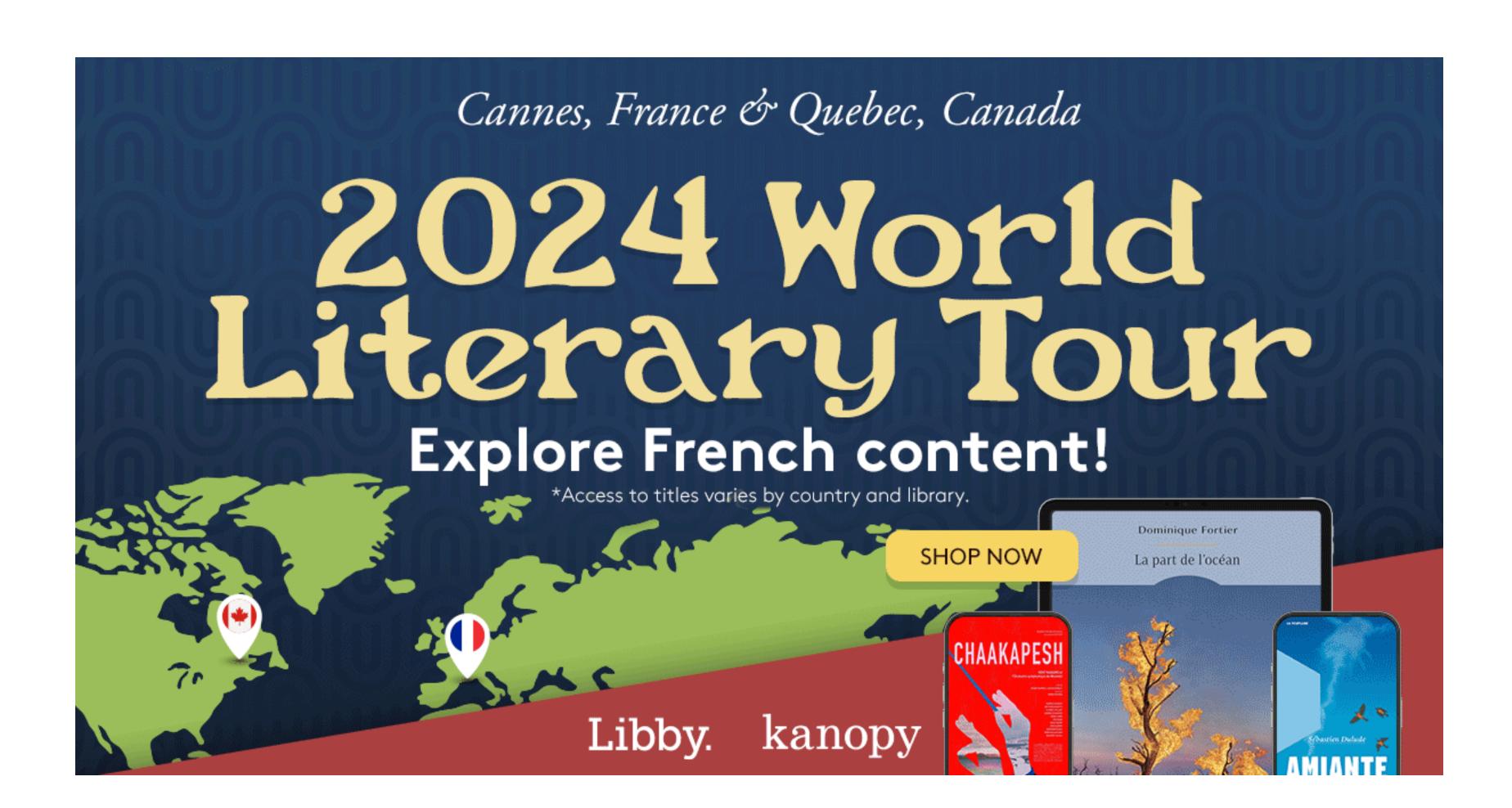


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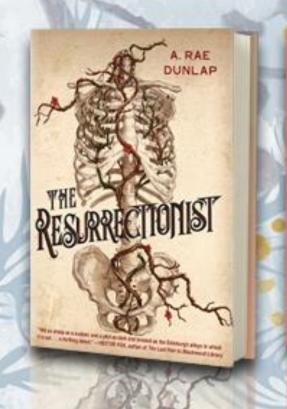


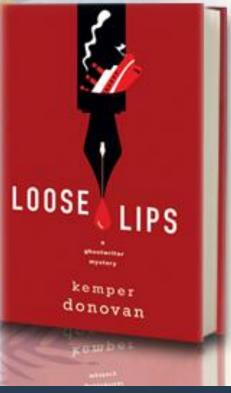


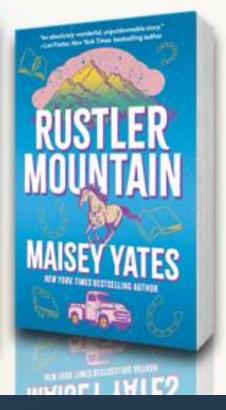
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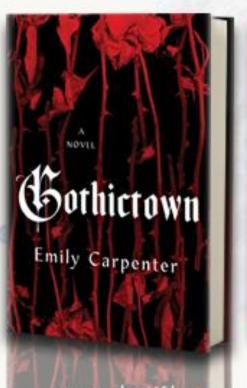
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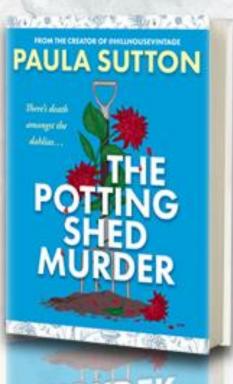
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Poll

After attending today's session, how comfortable do you feel training users on Libby?

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Poll

What training sessions would you like to see in 2025?

- Libby trainings for your patrons
- Intro Libby trainings for library staff
- Intermediate Libby trainings (patrons or staff)
- One-on-one training/office hours
- Other: Share in chat







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