

# NJSL DIRECT

Weekly News Updates for New Jersey Libraries  
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## Updates & Opportunities

### NJLA Conference 2023 Recap

Librarians and library workers from all over the state of New Jersey gathered at Harrah's in Atlantic City from May 31st to June 2nd for the annual NJLA conference. [Click here for a recap.](#)

### Employment Opportunities at NJ State Library

The New Jersey State Library is hiring for several positions. These open roles offer a great opportunity to learn, grow and contribute. The position postings can be found via the links below.

- [Library Assistant](#)
- [Law Library Branch Manager](#)
- [Project Specialist – Capital Projects Fund](#)

### ACP Connects NJ

The New Jersey State Library, in partnership with the New Jersey Department of Health, received an Affordable Connectivity Program (ACP) grant for \$400,000

from the Federal Communications Commission to support households struggling to afford internet service. Join us and become a library host for ACP in-person enrollment events to help your community members start saving on their Internet bill! [Click to learn more.](#)

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## State of New Jersey Transgender Resource Hub

Governor Murphy's administration has been working hard to protect the rights and of New Jersey's LGBTQIA+ Community! As a result of the Transgender Equality Task Force, they have launched the first Transgender Resource Hub, home to information important to transgender and non-binary communities, such as how to change your name, obtain medical support, learn about your rights, and more. [Click to learn more.](#)

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## LLNJ Fall Virtual Conference on Literacy Accepting Presenter Proposals

LibraryLinkNJ has announced their third annual one-day virtual conference is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 27, 2023!** This year's conference theme is Literacy and their program proposal form is now open. LLNJ is seeking a wide variety of presentations on any and all types of literacy. [Click here for Program Proposal Form.](#) Proposals are due no later than **Friday, July 14, 2023.** Event details and proposal guidelines can be found on the Form, and questions can be directed to LLNJ Programming & Outreach Manager, Darby Malvey, [darby@librarylinknj.org](mailto:darby@librarylinknj.org).

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## NJ State Library Invites You to Tee Up for Talking Books!

The 12th Annual Talking Book and Braille Center Golf Classic will take place on **June 13th** at the Cherry Valley Country Club in Skillman, NJ. Proceeds benefit the NJ State Library Talking Book & Braille Center, New Jersey's only FREE public library for the reading and print disabled. [Click here](#) for registration, sponsorship opportunities, and more information.

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## Professional Development Opportunities

Check out the upcoming LYRASIS CE opportunities on their [calendar here](#).

[Click here for a monthly national list](#) of NJSL and National CE and Professional Development opportunities for librarians, trustees, and library staffs.

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## Library Marketing Resources

If your library is looking for marketing tips, best practices and inspiration, check out our [Marketing Blog](#) updated monthly. Here's our most recent blog posts:

- [How To Be A Better Blogger](#)
- [Inspiration for Library Reels](#)
- [A Resource Guide to Social Media in 2023](#)
- [Social Media Trends for 2023](#)

Download marketing resources from State Library Vendors & Partners [here](#).

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