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July 2017 Regional Report

Upcoming Workshops & Events (click on link to register for each event)

Date	Subject	Location
Always Available	Trustee Certification Program	Webinar
July 13, 2017 12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Regional Board Meeting	Stokely Memorial Library, Newport
July 18, 2017 10:00 AM	Trustee Open Lab Day: Advocacy	HORL Office
July 18, 2017 10:30 AM	HELP4TN	Webinar
July 26, 2017 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Measures that Matter Part Three: Moving Toward More Meaningful Measures	Webjunction Webinar
August 15, 2017 10:00 AM	Trustee Open Lab Day: Finance	HORL Office
August 17, 2017 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM	More Than #MotivationMonday: Motivating Your Team Any Day of the Week	Webjunction Webinar
September 14, 2017	Trustee Workshop	Walters State Community College, Morristown
September 19, 2017	Trustee Open Lab Day: Personnel	HORL Office
September 29, 2017 9:00 AM-3:00 PM	Public Relations with Adam Ghassemi	TBA

Standards Survey: The deadline for submitting is **July 15th, 2017**. We would be happy to assist you with any questions on the survey. Click [here](#) to access the Standards Survey for 16/17.

Library Law Revisions: During this legislative session, [Tennessee Library Laws](#) have been updated. These updates went into effect July 1, 2017. State Librarian Chuck Sherrill has sent out a letter to local boards, library directors and city/county officials about the updated laws. If you have questions about those laws and how they will affect your library and board, please let us know.

Online Image Evaluation: We now have an online form to make it easier to complete the [Image Evaluation](#). We will have more information, including an evaluation link on the libguide, soon.

READS News: If you haven't yet tried Overdrive's new app, Libby, you can preview it [here](#). And [here](#). Nancy will attend the Digipalooza event in Cleveland in August, where we will get updates about Overdrive's periodical platform, as well as other upcoming features for READS. Stay tuned!

Library Forms: We've sent out the Library Service Agreements, Maintenance of Effort Forms and Board Appointment forms. The dates for return of each form are as follows: LSA: July 28, 2017; Board Appt. Form: first board meeting of the new fiscal year; MOE: as soon as your funding body approves its 2017-2018 budget. If you have questions or concerns about the forms and dates due, please let us know.