WLA Division Newsletter

SPECIAL LIBRARIES



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What's Coming Up

Special Libraries Division Meeting

Wednesday, November 20th from 6pm to 7pm Join us at this <u>ZOOM link</u>

WLA 2025 Conference

April 10-12, 2025 | Tacoma, Washington Proposals Due: December 4

Find more WLA Meetings & Events HERE (login required)

SpL LARP Characters



Many of our Special Library folks (and this month's Librarian Highlight) have Live Action Role Playing (LARP) characters. Fill out a character sheet (attached to the email), roll for stats, and join us on November 20th for fun and a chance to win gift cards!

Email Tien Triggs (<u>tien.triggs@sos.wa.gov</u>) to join our Discord server.

David Carnahan

Muarrragh (D6 Star Wars)

Bounty Hunter, Tagorian

Nina Karagounis

Daar Daardendrian (D&D) Rogue, Dragonborn

Julie Thompson

Hellugula (World of Warcraft)

Dwarf Hunter, Beast Mastery

Tien Triggs

Brandr (D&D)

Tattoo Mage, Humanoid

Guess who?



Which special library organization can be found at events like the Emerald City Comicon and Crypticon Seattle? Check out page 2 to learn more.





Where in WA?



Our Special Libraries' mascots Jacques (Cousteau) and Isabella (Bird) continue to be on the move! This time they visited one of the 43 libraries built with a grant from Andrew Carnegie and is included on the <u>National Register of Historic Places</u>.

Jacques and Isabella are relaxing on the tools of the trade of Shontz Schuler who built this library . Head over to Ritzville or visit the library's <u>website</u> to learn more.

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David Carnahan Chief Librarian Alexandria RPG Library



Tell Us About The Work You Do

I started Alexandria RPG to preserve and share the history of RPGs. We travel to events throughout N. America and share curated collections from our 8000+ book Library. We also try to teach people how to play and all the great things you can do with an RPG, like helping at risk teens and veterans with PTSD.

Share Something Special About Your Workplace

Our library is a magical little realm that shows up to events and strangers come to us to learn about games and rules to help create new worlds and stories. We strive to find the right book to get anyone excited about playing and RPG, be it a fantasy, sci-fi, romance, horror, or even a superhero game, we can find something for everyone and then they can get others excited as well.

Learn more about David and the Alexandria RPG Library at our meeting this month!