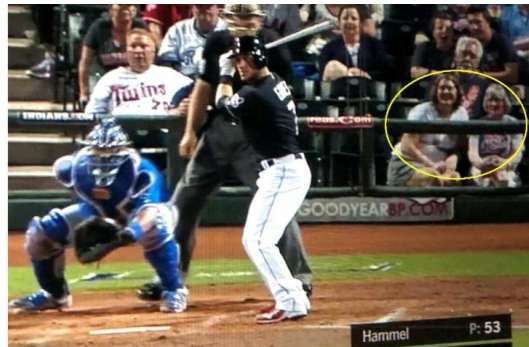


April 1, 2018

Director's Corner

Angela T. Baldree, MLS

Baseball is back! My mother and I embarked on an epic journey last month. We took Amtrak from Springfield, IL, to Phoenix, AZ, to watch the Cleveland Indians play two spring training games. I was able to get us seats behind home plate, and those with eagle eyes could spot us during the telecast. Also, if anyone wants to hear and see a home run from behind the plate, I was able to capture one by [Edward Encarnacion on this video](#).



It's time for National Library Week. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our patrons and invite anyone who hasn't used the law library before to stop by. Please visit us, or another public library, during the week of April 9 for games and candy. Check out our [Facebook](#) page for examples of how **#LibrariesLead**.

Ohio County Law Libraries

April's Brown Bag Lunch Program

Ohio is known for its outstanding libraries. The public libraries continuously rank highest in the country. But its county law libraries are what we are proudest of. Created by statute in 1872, they continue to thrive today. Jennifer Jones, the Executive Director of the Statewide Consortium of Ohio County Law Libraries, will explain how they are funded and operate in the 88 counties and what the consortium's role is in supporting the law libraries.

Join us on **April 11, 2018, at 12:15 pm** - right in the middle of National Library Week. Space is limited and registration is required by calling or stopping by the circulation desk.



Library Services

Quiet Reading Room

The Franklin County Law Library has designated an area of the law library as a quiet reading room.

Due to patron feedback, we knew our patrons wanted an area free of cell phones, client meetings, and attorney discussions. The area contains six large tables for spreading out. Outlets are on the walls and in the floors around the room. Feel free to bring your own laptop and use our free WiFi. In addition, you'll find our collection of anatomical models and historical documents housed in this room. The very first session laws as well as older general codes are included in this collection. Many of the books are stored in archival boxes due to their poor condition but are still available for browsing or research.

We kindly ask that anyone using the quiet reading room be respectful of other users. Cell phones are to be silenced and not used in the room. Conversation should be kept at a minimum, and headphones should be used for listening to music or videos. Keep in mind that even if you are the only person currently in the room, your phone conversation or videos will discourage others from entering the room.

Feel free to bring food or beverages into the room; you are asked to clean up after yourself to ensure a clean environment for other users.



White Collar Crime Research Guide

Susanna Marlowe

The Franklin County Law Library has a new online research guide entitled [White Collar Crime: Federal and Ohio](#). White collar crime refers to offenses committed by business and government professionals. Within criminology, it was first defined by sociologist Edwin Sutherland in 1939 as "a crime committed by a person of respectability and high social status in the course of his occupation." The term "white collar" alludes to the fact that this type of criminal often wears white dress shirts. This guide has tabs for typical financial crimes including, but not limited to, bank, computer and wire fraud, money laundering, insider trading and tax crimes. Each tab contains the US Code, CFR and Ohio Revised Code sections relevant to each crime, as well as the Federal Sentencing Guidelines that apply. The law library currently has 38 research guides on its [website](#), each one containing links to forms, statutes and regulations, books in the law library collection, and related government agencies.

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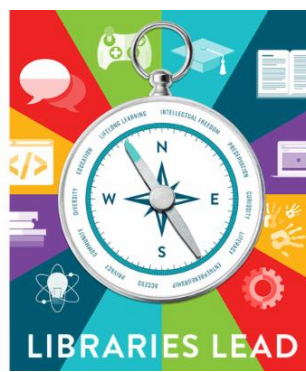
April 8 - 14, 2018

Once again it's time to celebrate **National Library Week**. Sponsored by the American Library Association, this year marks the 60th anniversary of NLW. We invite everyone to visit us during the week. Besides our program scheduled for Wednesday, April 11, we'll have other treats for our visitors each day.

This year's theme is **Libraries Lead**. We'd love to hear how you think this theme applies to the Franklin County Law Library. Go to our [Facebook](#) page, like us, and share your story.

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