



# DISTRICT NEWS

STATE LIBRARY OF IOWA



Southeast District - January 5, 2022

## January Happenings



I hope you are all staying cozy and warm on this frigid January day! I made a slight mistake and accidentally booked something for this Friday, which would have been our January Open Forum. So, we will resume our regular Friday chats on February 4 at 10:00. If you are interested, you may want join Eunice Riesberg, consultant with the NE district and her librarians for their Friday Forum. They meet from 10:30-11:30. Her Zoom link is below.

[Eunice's Zoom Room](#)

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## Prepping for Accreditation

Join Eunice and me on January 18 for one of the last sessions to help you get ready for finishing up the accreditation application for the FY '23 cycle. Our topic this month is policies and we will walk you through the process of making sure your policies are up to date. More information on the Accreditation page of the State Library website.

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## Other Reminders

Don't forget you can always contact me via chat from my State Library info page: <https://www.statelibraryofiowa.org/contact-us/people/bheil>

ILOC is coming soon! The 2022 Iowa Library Online Conference will be held on Thursday January 20. For more information, see the [ILOC page](#) on the State Library website. It will kick off our "Year of Yes!"

And, finally, if you are concerned about book challenges in school and public libraries, consider attending a special joint session promoting intellectual freedom and supporting Iowa librarians in their efforts to provide library materials to their community. This [Intellectual Freedom webinar](#) is co-sponsored by The Iowa Library Association, Iowa Association of School Librarians, and the State Library of Iowa.

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