



Program

Monday, September 28th

Oxford Conference Center

Tuesday, September 29th

Canton Multipurpose and Equine Center

Wednesday, September 30th

Ed Morgan Intermodal Facility in Hattiesburg



Light Your Path Through MS LAMP

WELCOME AND REGISTRATION

TIME	EVENT	WHERE	
		GENERAL SESSION ROOM	EXHIBIT HALL
7:45—8:05 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast <i>Note: You must be Registered & Checked-in to receive CEUs</i>	For ALL Librarians	
8:05—8:15 am	General Session / Welcome	For ALL Librarians	

SESSION INFO

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			GENERAL SESSION ROOM	EXHIBIT HALL
8:15—9:45 am	Session A / Exhibits	Session A Part 1 (8:15-9:00 am) - Spark Curiosity, Not Wildfires: MS Forestry Commission Book for Elem Schools and Libraries Oxford: Mike Crabb Canton: Meacham Harlow Hattiesburg: Kevin Craft Session A Part 2 (9:00-9:45 am) - Using Primary Sources with Elementary Students All Locations: Al Wheat	Elementary School Librarians	Middle & High School and Public Librarians
9:45—11:15 am	Session B / Exhibits	Session B Part 1 (9:45-10:30 am) – Bridging ELA and Social Studies All Locations: Seraiah Lodge Session B Part 2 (10:30-11:15 am) – Teaching Through Inquiry: Project-Based Learning with MS History Day Across Disciplines All Locations: Al Wheat & Bently Cochran	Middle & High School and Public Librarians	Elementary School Librarians
11:15 am—12:15 pm	MAGNOLIA Book Awards	Oxford: Wendy Daughdrill Canton: Venetia Oglesby Hattiesburg: Lindsey Beck	For ALL School Librarians	
12:15—12:25 pm	Door Prizes	Suzanne Lewis	For ALL Librarians	
12:25—1:55 pm	Report Ready: Mastering MS Annual School Library Report	All Locations: Elizabeth Simmons	For ALL School Librarians	



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Stop by and explore *Pip and the Mississippi Wildfire*, created by the Mississippi Forestry Commission for its 100th anniversary. Discover how libraries can use this engaging children's book, free teacher guide, and companion resources to teach wildfire prevention, personal responsibility, and environmental stewardship.

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2027 Mississippi LAMP Dates:

Monday, August 30th

Jackie Dole Sherrill Community Center
Hattiesburg

Tuesday, August 31st

Clyde Muse Center at Hinds Community College
Rankin Campus in Pearl

Wednesday, September 1st

Oxford Conference Center
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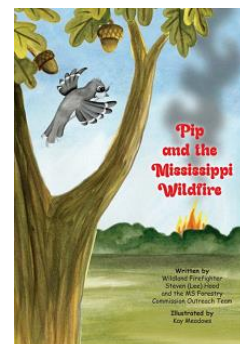
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Meet our Elementary Session Presenters

Spark Curiosity, Not Wildfires: MS Forestry Commission Debuts Book for Elementary Schools and Libraries

Discover how one children's book can help teach an important life lesson. Created by the Mississippi Forestry Commission in celebration of its 100th anniversary, **Pip and the Mississippi Wildfire** introduces elementary students to wildfire prevention through an engaging story that encourages personal responsibility and environmental stewardship. Since nine out of ten wildfires in Mississippi are caused by people, educating children is one of the most effective ways to help prevent future wildfires.



Join us for a look inside the book, learn how your library can use it to promote wildfire prevention, and explore the free teacher resource guide and companion educational materials available to support classroom instruction and library programming.

Note to Elementary Librarians: Don't forget your *free* book & Teacher Resource Guide!



Mike Crabb

Mississippi Forestry Commission,
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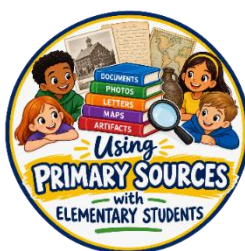


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Using Primary Sources with Elementary Students

This session will demonstrate how to introduce primary sources to students and strategies on how to analyze them. Librarians can play a pivotal role in helping students and teachers locate primary sources and aide in how to use them.



Al Wheat

K-12 Social Studies and
History Director
at the Mississippi
Department of Education



Meet Our Secondary School & Public Library Session Presenters

Bridging ELA and Social Studies

This session connects English and History by focusing on key close-reading and primary-source analysis skills and exploring resources from the Mississippi Department of Archives and History that you can use with your students.



Seraiah Lodge

*Educational Coordinator and
Staff Member at the Mississippi
Department of Archives and
History*



Teaching Through Inquiry:

Project-Based Learning with MS History Day Across Disciplines



Al Wheat

*K-12 Social Studies and
History Director
at the Mississippi Department
of Education*

This session introduces Mississippi History Day and shows how it can be used across classrooms, including non-history classes, to promote research, critical thinking, and engaging project-based learning.



Bently Cochran

*Mississippi History Day
Coordinator at the Mississippi
Department of Archives and
History*





Meet Our Session Presenters for All Librarians

2027 Magnolia Book Awards

The **Magnolia Book Awards** provide the children and youth of Mississippi the opportunity to nominate, read, and vote for their favorite books. Please join us to learn more about the Magnolia Award and participate in the discussion to explore integrating the Magnolia Award into school or public library settings. Learn about the process and help us advocate for the Magnolia Awards as we continue to offer children and youth in Mississippi opportunities to develop a lifelong love of reading.



Wendy Daughdrill

*Librarian at
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Report Ready: Mastering Mississippi's Annual School Library Report

This training prepares school librarians to complete and submit the Annual School Library Report through the **Mississippi Department of Education's Accreditation Portal**. Participants will learn how to collect required data, complete each section of the report, attach supporting documentation, and navigate the online submission process. The training also reviews reporting requirements, library staffing expectations, and how school libraries support **Mississippi College- and Career-Readiness Standards (MS CCRS)**, the **Mississippi Library Learning Standards**, and the **Science of Reading**. By the end of the session, participants will be prepared to submit a complete and compliant Annual School Library Report.



Elizabeth Simmons

*Instructional Materials and
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