

2008/2009 PLANNING CALENDAR

Updated 21 January 2009

✓ **Meetings for regional board members.**

Training Events for library directors, branch heads and/or trustees.

July

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| June 26 - July 2 | American Library Association Annual Conference (Anaheim, California) |
| 10 | 4:00 PM Grainger County Board (Rutledge) |
| 4 | HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed |
| 8 | 12:00 PM Pigeon Forge Board |
| 10 | 6:30 PM Gatlinburg Board |
| 13-17 | International Christian Retail Show (Orlando, Florida)
http://www.christianretailshow.com/ |
| 14 | 7:00 PM Jefferson County Board (Dandridge) |
| 14-18 | ROTATING AUDIO EXCHANGE |
| 15 | 6:00 PM Cocke County Board (Newport) |
| 19-22 | Church & Synagogue Library Association (Greenville, South Carolina)
cslainfo.org/conference.html |
| 22 | 12:00 PM Hamblen County Board (Morristown)
4:30 PM Hancock County Board (Sneedville) |

August

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| 4, 5, 6, 7 | ROTATING VIDEO EXCHANGE |
| 4 | 7:00 PM Hawkins County Board (Rogersville) |
| 5 | 6:30 PM Sevier County Board (Sevierville) |
| 26 | ROTATING VIDEO EXCHANGE |

September

LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

<http://www.ala.org/ala/pio/otherinit/card/librarycard.htm>
<http://www.ala.org/ala/alsc/projects/partners/SignUp.htm>

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| 1 | HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed |
| 11 | 4:00 PM Grainger County Board (Bean Station) |
| 4-5 | Regional Directors Meeting (Nashville) |
| 8 | 7:00 PM Jefferson County Board (Jefferson City) |
| 9, 10, 11, 12 | HEAD START ROTATION |
| 9 | 12:00 PM Pigeon Forge Board |
| 11 | Library Luau (Ripley's Aquarium - Gatlinburg) |

11	TENN-SHARE DataFest
12	TENN-SHARE Fall Conference (Nashville)

16	6:00 PM Cocke County Board (Newport)
19-20-21	Rural and Small Libraries Conference (Sacramento, California) http://www.bcr.org/ARSL/index.html

23	12:00 PM Hamblen County Board (Morristown) 4:30 PM Hancock County Board (Sneedville)
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✓ 25	3:00 PM State Trustee Workshop (Dandridge)
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| 27 | NATIONAL Book Festival (Washington, D.C.) | http://www.loc.gov/bookfest/ |
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✓	29	5:30 PM Nolichucky Regional Board
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October

3-5 Association of Bookmobile and Outreach Services Conference (Columbus)
http://www.abos-outreach.org/annual_conference.htm

3-5 National Storytelling Festival (Jonesborough)
<http://www.storytellingcenter.com/festival/festival.htm>

6 7:00 PM Hawkins County Board (Rogersville)

7 6:30 PM Sevier County Board (Sevierville)

10-12 Southern Festival of Books (Nashville)
<http://www.humanitiestennessee.org/festival/current.php>

12-18 TEEN READ WEEK: **"Books with Bite @ your library"**
<http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/teenreading/teenreading.htm>

13, 14, 15, 16 **ROTATING VIDEO EXCHANGE**

20-24 **ROTATING AUDIO EXCHANGE**

21 11:00 AM LADIES READING CIRCLE LUNCH (Morristown)

28 12:00 PM Hamblen County Board (Morristown)

29-31 Tennessee County Services Association Conference & Trade Show
 (Memphis) http://www.tncounties.org/index_files/Page964.html

November

3 7:00 PM Hawkins County Board (Rogersville)

6 4:00 PM Grainger County Board (Washburn)

7-9 YALSA Literature Symposium "How We Read Now" (Nashville)
<http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/yalitsymposium/symposium.cfm>

9-12 Tennessee Family & Community Education Convention (Nashville)
<http://www.tafce.org/level2/conference.htm>

10 7:00 PM Jefferson County Board (Strawberry Plains)

11 HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed

13 6:30 PM Gatlinburg Board

14 11:00 AM Sevier County Groundbreaking (Sevierville)

18 12:00 PM Pigeon Forge Board

6:00 PM Cocke County Board (Newport)

20-22 Tennessee Association of School Librarians Annual Conference
"Be a Guiding Light @ your library" (Franklin)
<http://www.discoveret.org/tasl/>

25 12:00 PM Hamblen County Board (Morristown)

4:30 PM Hancock County Board (Sneedville)

27-28 HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed

December

2 6:30 PM Sevier County Board (Sevierville)

4-5 Regional Directors Meeting (Nashville)

8, 9, 10, 11 **ROTATING VIDEO EXCHANGE**

16, 17, 18 **HEAD START ROTATION**

24, 25, 26 HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed

	7	6:30 PM	Sevier County Board (Sevierville)
	8-10		Tennessee Library Association (Nashville)
	10		HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed
	12-19		National Library Week “ Worlds Connect @ your library ” http://www.ala.org/ala/pio/natlibraryweek/nlw.htm
	14		National Library Workers Day
	13-17		ROTATING AUDIO EXCHANGE
	19-25		National Volunteer Week “ Inspire by Example ” http://www.pointsoflight.org/default.cfm
✓	27	5:30 PM	Nolichucky Regional Board
	28	12:00 PM	Hamblen County Board (Morristown)

May

GET CAUGHT READING MONTH

			http://www.getcaughtreading.org
	4	7:00 PM	Hawkins County Board (Rogersville)
	7	4:00 PM	Grainger County Board (Bean Station)
	11	7:00 PM	Jefferson County Board (Jefferson City)
	11-17		CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK http://bookweekonline.com/index1.html
	12	12:00 PM	Pigeon Forge Board
	11-12		ALA National Library Legislative Days (Washington, D.C.)
	14	6:30 PM	Gatlinburg Board
	19	6:00 PM	Cocke County Board (Newport)
	???		Public Library Management Institute (Clarksville)
	25		HOLIDAY: Regional Office Closed
	26	12:00 PM	Hamblen County Board (Morristown)
		4:30 PM	Hancock County Board (Sneedville)
	28-31		BookExpo America (New York City) http://www.bookexpoamerica.com/

June

	1	7:00 PM	Hawkins County Board (Rogersville)
	2	6:30 PM	Sevier County Board (Sevierville)
	2, 3, 4, 5		ROTATING VIDEO EXCHANGE
	4-5		Regional Directors Meeting (Nashville)
	14-16		Tennessee Municipal League Annual Conference (Chattanooga)
	23	12:00 PM	Hamblen County Board (Morristown)
		4:30 PM	Hancock County Board (Sneedville)

July

	July 9-15		American Library Association Annual Conference (Chicago)
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Additional programs can be found on the
Tennessee Library Association Events Calendar
<http://www.tnla.org/calendar.cfm>

American Library Association Calendar of Library Events
<http://www.ala.org/ala/online/datebook/datebook.htm>