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**DIRECTOR'S REPORT  
 NOVEMBER 2017**

**COMMUNITY, GOVERNMENTAL, AND INTERLIBRARY RELATIONS:**

The library hosted a successful and well-attended Chamber Mixer on October 10. According to the Chamber staff, this was one of the highest-attended events of the year. Attendees completed a scavenger hunt to learn about various services and activities offered by the library, and the 3D printing was a popular attraction.



September's Library Card Sign Up month was one of the most successful to date. Patrons were excited to select a color for their new library cards.



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We were notified that we did not receive the Libraries Ready to Code grant; about 400 libraries applied for the 20 available awards.

Librarian I Danielle Reynolds has accepted a position at the Camas Washington library, and will be leaving us as of November 24. We wish her well in her new position as Technology and Collections Manager at Camas. Katie Kuntz, a Children's Library Associate II, left on October 20 to take a position at the Davenport, Iowa library.

**MEDIA COVERAGE:**

[TV station KEVN](#) covered the Halloween storytimes, kiddies' trick-or-treating in the library, and staff's creative Harry Potter-themed costumes.

It's rare to see positive comments in the newspaper's Two Cents' column, but one was posted on Saturday, November 4: 'To make my day better, I go to the public library. There isn't a single disinterested, grouchy, or "I don't know" person there.'



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