

# Pine River Public Library District

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## Displays/Exhibits Policy

Pine River Public Library District has multiple areas where displays are available for educational and enrichment purposes. The display areas are also used to enhance circulation of materials that are available to our patrons.

The freedom to seek information is a cornerstone of our democracy. The vision of Pine River Library is to serve the whole person and the whole community by sparking curiosity, supporting lifelong learning, inspiring creativity, and expanding cultural opportunities. As a community information center, the Library preserves and encourages the free expression of ideas essential to an informed citizenry. Selection or retention of displays and exhibits does not constitute an endorsement of the content by the Library or Board of Trustees. For more information please see the Challenged Resources Policy.

1. Items to be displayed are:
  - Library materials
  - Historical items/collectibles
  - Artwork
  - Handicrafts
  - Hobby materials
  - Informational and decorative items that enhance the displays
2. Any other types of display items not fitting into the above categories must be approved by the Library Director.
3. In addition to the above categories, the display case in the lobby is sometimes available for non-profit organizations to highlight their services. Anyone wishing to use this space must reserve in advance with the Circulation & Patron Services Manager. Though the lobby display cases are kept locked, items are left at the owners' risk.

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