

The Digital Bookmobile is coming!

Mark your calendar and make sure to visit your library on July 21. On that day between 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Fifth Street, in front of the library, will be closed as we host a visit from the Digital Bookmobile.

The Digital Bookmobile is an immersive download experience inside a 74-foot, high-tech tractor-trailer. Readers of all ages will be able to engage in digital downloading through interactive demonstrations and experience our audio book download service at the event.

Housed inside an 18-wheel tractor-trailer the Digital Bookmobile is a high-tech update of the traditional bookmobile equipped with broadband internet-connected PCs, high definition monitors, premium sound systems and a variety of portable media players. Wow!

When you visit the Digital Bookmobile you can explore our OverDrive download service and learn how to download audio books.

If you already have a library card you can download digital titles at any time, anywhere. Just go to our homepage www.barth.lib.in.us and then click on download audio books. Once there you can browse the growing collection of best-selling new releases and classic titles. All you need is a valid library card.

Once there you will note that there is a FAQ section and, what I would need to read and re-read before I plunge into audio books, New to audio books?

We have had the OverDrive service for about one year now and many patrons are downloading a variety of audio books to their computers and MP3 players. Children and teen titles will soon be added to the ever growing selection of fiction and non-fiction titles.

We are looking forward to the July 21 Digital Bookmobile visit and we hope you will stop by and step aboard. Staff from OverDrive will be demonstrating the service and some of the friendly faces from your library will be on the Digital Bookmobile also.

One more thing—also on July 21 economist Morton Marcus will be visiting your library. He will present at 7:00 p.m. and his topic is "Economists Anonymous: a 12 step program for recovering forecasters."

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