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ImagineIF Libraries Launches Curbside Pickup

ImagineIF Libraries will begin offering curbside pickup of materials currently reserved for customers starting May 4th in Kalispell and May 6th in Columbia Falls and Bigfork. Customers may begin placing holds now in the library catalog on ImagineIF's website. Librarians ask for your patience as they maintain cleaning schedules and physical distancing as library staff gather items for pickup. Holds may take slightly longer than expected.

Please call your local ImagineIF location to arrange for holds pickup. When you call to request your items, staff will check them out to you and give you instructions for pickup. Call during curbside hours only please. Library staff also asks customers to follow library procedures designed to keep 6 feet of distance between people at all times.

ImagineIF Libraries will remain closed to the public through May 16th. Please call 758-5820 or email asklib@imagineiflibraries.org with questions. See below for curbside pickup hours and phone numbers to call for curbside pickup in each location.

Kalispell

Mon - Sat, 12-3pm Call 758-5818 to pick up your holds

Bigfork

Wed – Sat, 12-3pm Call 837-6976 to pick up your holds

Columbia Falls

Wed – Sat, 12-3pm Call 892-5919 to pick up your holds

Deaf and hard of hearing customers may access their holds and set a pickup time via asklib@imagineiflibraries.org.

Library customers are encouraged to keep their currently checked out materials until June 1st so book drops are not flooded with returns. The Library will ensure that customers do not accrue fees for materials during this time.

The library's virtual branch remains open. Unique virtual programs on YouTube, Facebook and Instagram, such as Virtual Trivia Night, Early Literacy Classes and STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) activities will continue. Find out more at: https://imagineiflibraries.org/.

ImagineIF Libraries encourages exploration, fresh ideas and self-discovery. ImagineIF offers activities and services for all ages. For more information, visit www.imagineiflibraries.org.