

MARC CONNECTIONS



The Lessons We Have Learned

As we shuffle through summer 2020, I hope we will look back on this time and remember what we have learned. It may not be the lessons we had planned, but we have learned to persevere, to rethink routines, and to appreciate the little things. Our tutors and learners are trying new approaches to tutoring. Their flexibility and fortitude is notable. We don't know what the rest of 2020 will bring, but we can continue to rely on the resilience that has brought us this far.

Our office remains closed to the public, but please feel free to give us a call, send an email, or schedule a virtual appointment. You can also find us on Facebook. We want to stay connected! Our circumstances are challenging, but we will carry on together.

All the Best,

Kristen Kohn
Executive Director

Right: Flat River Community Library is offering FRCL To Go, contactless, curbside delivery to your vehicle. Call 616-754-6359 to reserve materials.

All local libraries are offering a variety of services. Contact your branch for more information.



UPCOMING EVENTS

WhatsApp ESL
Conversation Class
August 2020
(Contact the office to join the next class)

September is National
Literacy Month!

MARC Board Meeting
via Zoom
September 8
8:00 AM

Virtual Book Club
Coming September 2020

Stay in Touch!
Our office is closed but you can still reach MARC!
Call our remote number (616) 303-1651 or send an email to marchelpsu@gmail.com

Committee Members Wanted

Are you looking for an opportunity to serve your community? Nonprofit committees are a great way to use your skills and expertise without the full board member commitment. MARC is seeking community representatives for the following committees:

- Finance Committee- oversees ongoing review of the budgeting process, the audit, and regularly reviews financial records to insure compliance and accuracy
- Community Relations & Development Committee (CRD)- focused on developing and implementing community relations and fund development strategies and programs, works with the staff to help ensure that the organization has adequate resources to maintain the mission of the organization
- Curriculum Committee- work with the Executive Director to evaluate programs and services as well as helping to identify new ways that MARC can respond to needs.
- Policy and By-Laws- work with the Executive Director to review the existing By-Laws and organizational policies and recommend any necessary changes.

MARC Committees meet quarterly or as needed. For more information, please send an email to Kristen Kohn at marchelpsu@gmail.com.



"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

- Margaret Mead

Where is tutoring happening?

Letters
&
Phone
Calls

Restaurant
Parking Lot

Zoom

Library
Bench

Local
Parks



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