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KOOTENAI & SHOSHONE COUNTIES

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RULES OF CONDUCT
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The rights and safety of staff and the public using District facilities is the highest priority. All requests by staff to maintain a pleasant and safe environment must be followed.

The following conduct is not allowed on library property. If you engage in this conduct or similar behavior, you will be informed of the misconduct and asked to stop. If staff requests are not followed, you will be asked to leave the library and/or law enforcement will be called. You may be trespassed for up to one year.

Prohibited conduct includes, but is not limited to:

1. Being under the influence, possessing or using alcohol or illegal drugs.
2. Disruptive behavior such as swearing, abusive or threatening language, making disturbing noise, throwing things, running, spitting, fighting or challenging to fight, and bullying.
3. Verbally and/or physically harassing or intimidating others, including stalking, staring or lurking.
4. Exhibiting, displaying or drawing a weapon in a manner that is threatening, intimidating or upsetting. Law enforcement will be called immediately.
5. Stealing, damaging or altering library property.
6. Being attired in such a way as to be disruptive. Shoes and shirts must be worn at all times.
7. Consuming food outside of designated areas. Covered beverages are allowed.
8. Neglecting to provide proper supervision of children. Children under the age of nine must be supervised at all times.
9. Lying down or sleeping on any floor or table.
10. Smoking, chewing tobacco products or vaping. Smoking and vaping are not permitted in or around entrances to the library.
11. Having offensive body odor that is disruptive.
12. Littering of library buildings and/or grounds.
13. Gambling.
14. Loitering and/or impeding access to library entrances or walkways. Blocking access to library resources.
15. Using roller skates, roller blades, skateboards, bicycles, etc. in the library or on library walkways leading to library entrances.

16. Sexual misconduct, such as exposure, offensive touching and sexual harassment of members or staff.
17. Photographing or recording for professional or commercial purposes without prior written permission.
18. Soliciting or selling in buildings or on library grounds, unless approved by the manager.
19. Bringing animals into a library facility except those licensed as service animals per the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), or approved by library staff.
20. Shaving, bathing or laundering clothes in the restrooms.
21. Abandoning personal items.
22. Camping or sleeping overnight on library grounds.