

## **PubPac Meeting – 8/3/11 – Meeting Notes**

Timeline and issues dependent on going live - Syndetics integration – works, but not the book jackets on the hit list.

*- Debby is going to talk to our SirsiDynix sales rep and push him on getting this working or we won't pay full price.*

### **LibraryThing for Libraries**

This has been approved by board. We need to consider what to have available.

- Will be uploading more of the database to LibraryThing so we can get a better feel for how these work and look.
- For more info on specifics of each feature, look at:  
<http://www.librarything.com/forlibraries/about>

### **Tags**

**Lexile® Measures** – trying to get this to display on the item info page. May need to contact support.

### **Other Editions**

### **Reviews**

*– these need to be moderated, especially for the schools. Each library can get their own account to log in and review/approve.*

*All reviews that come from other libraries are moderated by librarians at the home library*

*Content is not moderated. The standard "bad" words are st\*rred. (That's starred, not stirred.)*

### **Shelf Browse**

### **Similar Books**

### **Series**

### **Awards**

### **QR Codes**

*– the committee recommended not to add these, since it only works well with LibraryAnywhere, which we are not going to promote just yet. QR code is too much gimmick, not enough substance.*

**Overdrive titles - highlighting in eLibrary – this will come later, working with overdrive committee, after Overdrive updates our site (later this year?)**

## **Still working on:**

### **Hold:**

Suspend holds

Change wording to freeze holds

Remove from place hold page (71.pg) and add to confirmation page (72.pg)

**- going to remove from place holds completely and only have it available under my account.**

### ***My Account Update***

- **take out all explanation text**
- **add text after Review my account to say “Review my account – checkouts, holds, history”**

**Accelerated Reader** - codes on the first page of search results lists. - people are thinking these are the call #'s

**- Yes, remove from hit list**

**- acc reader search needs interest search link added**

### **(Changes to hit list & item info)**

- don't display “more” on hitlist at all  
**Will replace “1 copy available at Attleboro Public Library in Being acquired by the library” with link to full details saying “find in a library”. This will clear up a lot of confusion about availability and direct people to see all the added content we have.**

**On item info page, will remove available statement and just show actual holding information**

- add lexile in same area as acc. reader – on item info.

### **My Lists**

**\*\* Big discussion over this functionality. Going to make sure it's intuitive or drop the feature.**

- **If patron doesn't have a list created, will change wording of pop-up alert to say create list. Can a link be added to an alert?**
- **Give a message at top of hit list saying what list is current (active)**
- **Take away activate button when creating a list for the first time, since it defaults to be the current list**
- **Change wording from active to current**

### **What's been done:**

Remove Digital collections & push it on new SAILS site - **done**

Other types of search options -> More search options

Virtcat link - **done**

My favorites

- move to my account - **done**
- remove button - **done**
- change "more/modify" to manage - **done**

My account

- vertical instead of horizontal - **done**
- change my PIN - **done**
- change my Email - **done**
- Ability to sort my account info - "click on heading to sort" - **done**

Reading Lists -> My lists - **done**

**Also changed so temp lists would only display for those not logged in with personal account.**

virtual catalog -> Statewide virtual catalog - **done**

hover - can't find it in SAILS? Try here. - **can't**

Ability to sort my account info - "click on heading to sort" - **done**

### **Wish list for future release:**

- Get checkout date sorted correctly - **done**
- Feeds to forthcoming books?
- ~~Have permalink & bookmark take session login - as of now, link is created as the summer (shared) user. - don't want to do this because links are probably public~~
- patron's add an alt id
- patron's turn on history themselves
- move select checkout history to a permanent list