

Community Bulletin Board and Public Notices Policy

The Library Center of the Ozarks provides a bulletin board and display rack for posting announcements and distribution of a general nature for events or activities that are free and of public interest.

- Items will be posted or made available subject to space on an equitable basis, regardless of the beliefs or affiliations of the individuals or groups represented.
- The Library Director or designated staff must approve all notices, posters, and free literature.
- In assigning space, preference is given to promoting and displaying events, activities, and services of the Library Center of the Ozarks and Friends of the Library.
- Because display space is limited, posters or notices larger than 11 x 14 may not be posted.
- Items related to a commercial profit-making business or of a strictly personal nature are not allowed.
- Inappropriate, profane, obscene, or personal notices or communications are not allowed.
- Campaign literature which endorses a person, platform or issue are not allowed.
- To allow fair access in the limited space to all public organizations, multiple items from a single organization may be limited to the most recent item or layered together, and size limitations may be imposed.
- Staff may discard items not approved for placement or excess copies of any items received. The Library is not responsible for the loss or defacement of materials posted or left for distribution.
- Posting a notice or placement of materials does not imply endorsement of the activity or sponsoring organization by the Library Center of the Ozarks.