

# Pika Update 2015

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# What's in a name?

Avoid confusion with  
Villanova VuFind

Recognize the things that  
make our catalog unique

Pikas are really cute and are look good in  
presentations



# Key developments in 2014



# Browse with sub categories

SEARCH 

GO 

in Marmot 

LOGIN TO MY ACCOUNT

LIBRARY HOURS & LOCATIONS

Pika Documentation

BROWSE THE CATALOG

New Adult Fiction

Books by Grade  
Level

Dystopia!

Featured Films

Romance

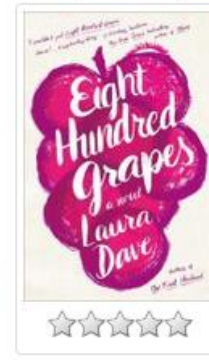
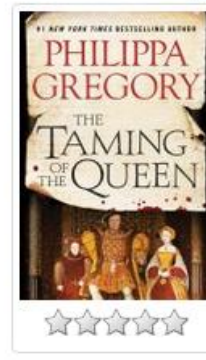
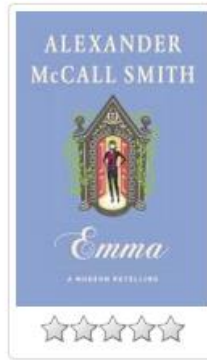
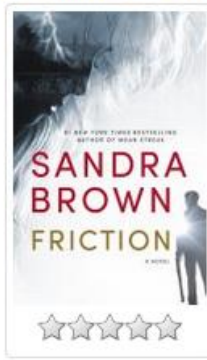
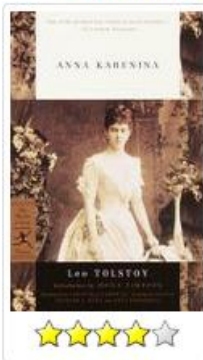
Fantasy

Thrillers

 New Adult Fiction » Romance

 Covers

 Grid



# Link directly to browse categories & sub-categories with urls

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `venus.marmot.org/?browseCategory=books_by_grade_level_everyone&subCategory=7th_grade` highlighted in yellow. The browser's address bar also shows a search for 'tuque'. The website interface includes a search bar on the left with the text 'SEARCH Q' and 'in Marmot'. Below the search bar are links for 'LOGIN TO MY ACCOUNT', 'LIBRARY HOURS & LOCATIONS', and 'Pika Documentation'. The main navigation area is titled 'BROWSE THE CATALOG' and features buttons for 'New Adult Fiction', 'Books by Grade Level', 'Dystopia!', and 'Featured Films'. Under 'Books by Grade Level', there are buttons for '1st Grade Books', '2nd Grade Books', '3rd Grade Books', '4th Grade Books', '5th Grade Books', and '7th Grade Books' (which is highlighted). The page content shows a breadcrumb trail: 'Books by Grade Level » 7th Grade Books'. Below this, there are book covers for 'The Hobbit', 'Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone', 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory', 'All the Light We Cannot See', 'Fahrenheit 451', and 'A Wrinkle in Time'. Each book cover has a star rating below it.

# New modes for browsing

PITKIN COUNTY library inspire lifelong learning LOGIN

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BROWSE THE CATALOG

New Adult Fiction New Adult Non-Fiction New Movies New Young Adult

New Adult Fiction

Q New Adult Fiction

Covers Grid

CHRISTINA DODD **OBSESSION FALLS** by Dodd, Christina

ALEXANDER McCALL SMITH **THE WINDMILL WALKER OF EUNHUI**

CATHERINE COULTER **THE END GAME** AND J.T. ELLISON

DANIELLE STEEL **UNDERCOVER**

dragonfish **vu tran**

SUSAN WIGGS **Starlight by Willow Lake**

CHRISTINE FEEHAN **DARK GHOST**

KATE MORTON **THE LAKE HOUSE**

JAN KARON **Come Rain or Come Shine**

THE GIRL IN THE SPIDER'S WEB **DAVID LAGERCRANTZ**

ROBIN HOBB **FOOL'S QUEST**

**Make your home among strangers**

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CATHERINE COULTER **The end game** by Coultter, Catherine

dragonfish **Dragonfish: a novel** by Vu Tran

CHRISTINE FEEHAN **Dark ghost** by Feehan, Christine

JAN KARON **Come Rain or Come Shine** by Karon, Jan

ROBIN HOBB **Fool's Quest Fitz and the Fool Trilogy, Book 2** by Robin Hobb

SALMAN RUSHDIE **Two years eight months and twenty-eight nights : a novel** by Rushdie, Salman

JANET EVANOVICH **The Scam Fox and O'Hare Series, Book 4** by Janet Evanovich

ROBYN CARR **Wildest dreams** by Carr, Robyn

SARA DONATI **The gilded hour** by Donati, Sara

RICHARD CASTLE **Driving heat** by Castle, Richard

CHARLES TAYLOR **A pattern of lies** by Todd, Charles

# New modes for search results

The screenshot shows the Pitkin County Library website with search results in list view. The header includes the library logo and a search bar. Below the search bar, there are filters for 'Entire Collection (1,024,310)' and 'Available Now (43,195)'. The search results are displayed in a list format with two items:

- 1) 1990 census of population and housing. Population and housing characteristics for census tracts and block numbering areas. New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island, NY-NJ-CT...**
  - Author: Bureau of the Census
  - Language: English
  - Formats: Book, Map
  - Book: Available from another library. View 391 copies. Place Hold.
  - Map: Available from another library. View copy information. Place Hold.
- 2) The hobbit : or, There and back again**
  - Author: Tolkien, J. R. R.
  - Series: Lord of the rings
  - Formats: Book
  - Book: It's Here. 1 of 1 @ GCP Glenwood Juvenile; J TOL HOB. 1 of 1 @ GCP Glenwood World Languages; ESP FIC TOL HOB. View 195 additional copies. Place Hold.

The screenshot shows the same Pitkin County Library search results page but in cover view. The search results are displayed as a grid of book covers. The first two items are visible:

- 1) 1990 Census Of Population And Housing. Population And Housing Characteristics For Census Tracts And Block** (Cover view)
- 2) The Hobbit** by J.R.R. Tolkien (Cover view)

Other book covers visible in the grid include 'Charlotte's Web', 'A Tale of Two Cities', 'Hobbit', 'Harry Potter', 'Hatchet', 'Where the Wild Things Were', 'The Secret Garden', and '1992 Census Of Population and Housing'.

# Account linking

## ▼ Linked Accounts

Linked accounts allow you to easily maintain multiple accounts for the library so you can see holds from linked accounts will appear when you view your checkouts, holds, etc in the main account.

## Additional accounts to manage

The following accounts can be managed from this account.

- m. noble - Englewood Public Library [Remove](#)

[Add an Account](#)

## Other accounts that can view this account

The following accounts can view checkout and hold information from this account. If someone else has access, please contact library staff.

- None

The library is open today from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM.

## Holds Ready For Pickup

These titles have arrived at the library or are available online for you to use.

You do not have any holds that are ready to be picked up.

## Pending Holds

These titles are currently checked out to other patrons. We will notify you via e-mail when a title is available.



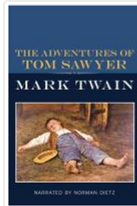
### 1) Pink Floyd the wall

Format: DVD  
On Hold For: m. noble - Mesa County Libraries  
Pickup: MCPLD Central Library  
Status: Frozen

[Cancel Hold](#)

[Thaw Hold](#)

[Change Pickup Loc.](#)



### 2) The adventures of Tom Sawyer

Author: Twain, Mark  
Format: Audio CD  
On Hold For: m. noble - Englewood Public Library  
Pickup: Englewood Public Library  
Status: Pending

[Cancel Hold](#)

[Freeze Hold](#)

[Change Pickup Loc.](#)




# Hoopla integration

The screenshot displays the Vail Public Library website interface. At the top left is the library logo. A search bar contains the text "inside a dog" and a "GO" button. Below the search bar are filters for "in Vail Public Library" and "Keep Applied Filters". A navigation bar shows categories: Books (19), eBook (12), Audio Books (24), and Music (17). A collection filter is set to "Marmot Global (51)". The search results show "Showing 1 - 20 of 51 query time: 0.07s". The main content area displays the book "1) Inside of a dog : what dogs see, smell, and know" by Alexandra Horowitz. The book cover features a dog's face. The results table lists various formats and their availability:

Format	Availability	Action
Book	1 of 1 @ Vail Public Library Non Fic & Classics: 636.7 HOR View 19 additional copies	Place Hold
Audio CD	Available from another library View 3 copies	Place Hold
eAudiobook	Available Online 1 of 1 @ Online Hoopla Collection: Online Hoopla	Access Online
Large Print	Available from another library View 2 copies	Place Hold
OverDrive MP3 Audiobook	Available Online 1 of 1 @ Online OverDrive Collection: Online OverDrive	Check Out OverDrive

Below the table, a paragraph of text reads: "Alexandra Horowitz fuses her perspectives as both scientist and dog owner to deliver a fresh look at the world of dogs, as seen from the animal's point of view. A psychologist offers insight into the canine mind, drawing on current cognitive research to illuminate a dog's perceptual abilities and the experiences that shape dog behavior, in a report that also shares stories about the author's relationship with her canine friend, Dummernick."

# Improvements for On Order Records from Acquisitions

LOGIN

## SEARCH

On Order

in Steamboat Library


LOGIN TO MY ACCOUNT

Sort Results By


Best Match

Narrow Your Results


- ▶ Available At
- ▶ Added In The Last
- ▶ Format
- ▶ Audience
- ▶ Author
- ▶ Subject




Books  
(12,293)




eBook  
(939)



Audio  
Books  
(2,085)



Music  
(797)



Movies  
(2,122)


Entire Collection (16,516)

Available Now (3,838)

Showing 1 - 20 of 16,516 query time: 0.29s

Covers

List



★★★★☆






### 1) Star trek - into darkness

Author: Paramount Pictures  
Pub. Date: 2013  
Language: English

Formats

+ Blu-ray <a href="#">Show Editions</a>	Checked Out/Available Elsewhere <a href="#">View 5 copies</a>	<a href="#">Place Hold</a>
+ DVD <a href="#">Show Editions</a>	On Shelf 1 copy on order. 1 of 1 @ SSCL Bud Video: DVD STA <a href="#">View 41 additional copies</a>	<a href="#">Place Hold</a>

When the crew of the Enterprise is called back home, they find an unstoppable force of terror from within their own organization has detonated the fleet and everything it stands for, leaving our world in a state of crisis. With a personal score to settle, Captain Kirk leads a manhunt to a war-zone world to capture a one man weapon of mass destruction. "You barely get a chance to catch a breath as this saga takes off like a starship and just keeps

[More Info](#) [Add a Review](#) [Add To List](#) [SHARE](#)     

# OverDrive titles stored in Reading History & Performance Improvement


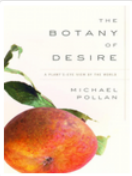

My Reading History [\(What's This?\)](#)

View Reading History for:

m. noble - Mesa County Libraries

Records Per Page  Sort By

Hide Covers

<input type="checkbox"/>	Cover	Title	Checked Out
<input type="checkbox"/>		<b>Peter Pan.</b> Format Rating <input type="text" value="☆☆☆☆☆"/>	Jan 21, 2015
<input type="checkbox"/>		<b>The Botany of Desire</b> Author <a href="#">Michael Pollan</a> Format Adobe EPUB eBook, Kindle Book, OverDrive Read, Adobe PDF eBook Rating <input type="text" value="☆☆☆☆☆"/>	Jan 20, 2015
<input type="checkbox"/>		<b>Dracula</b> Author <a href="#">Bram Stoker</a> Format Adobe EPUB eBook, Open EPUB eBook, Kindle Book, OverDrive Read, Adobe PDF eBook, Open PDF eBook Rating <input type="text" value="☆☆☆☆☆"/>	Jan 6, 2015

# Improved Sorting of User Lists

**Women of Science**  
Women who have contributed to science deserve to have their stories celebrated.

Edit List Add Multiple Titles Make Public Email List Print List Generate Citations Sort Delete List

Records Per Page: 20

Showing 1 - 6 of 6

**Drag-and-Drop!** Just drag the list items into the order you like.

- Title
- Author
- Date Added to List
- User Defined Order ✓

**1) Maria's comet** Edit

**Author:** Hopkinson, Deborah Delete

As a young girl, budding astronomer Maria Mitchell dreams of searching the night sky and some day finding a new comet.

**Formats**

+ Book **Available from another library** Place Hold

Show Editions View 4 copies

☆☆☆☆☆

More Info Add a Review Add To List SHARE Q ✉ 🐦 f 📌

# Ratings & Review can be separated

▼ Catalog Enrichment

- Show Standard Reviews
- Show GoodReads Reviews
- Prefer Syndetics Summary
- Show Similar Authors
- Show Similar Titles
- Show Go Deeper
- Enable User Ratings
- Enable User Reviews
- Hide Comments with Bad Words
- Enable User Lists
- Show Other Editions Popup
- Show Wikipedia Content

Add a Review ×

Would you like to add a review explaining your rating to help other users?

Don't ask me this any more

# Materials Booking

## 2) Twilight

### My Scheduled Items

These items will be available for you at the scheduled time.



### 1) Twilight

Format

DVD

Scheduled For

m. noble - Fort Lewis College

Starting at

Sep 10, 2015

Ending at

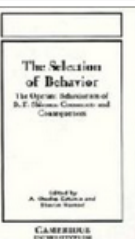
Sep 17, 2015

Cancel Item

Cancel Selected

Cancel All

# Show Hold Buttons for Checked Out Titles Only









**4) The Selection of behavior : the operant behaviorism of B.F. Skinner : comments and consequences**

Author: Cambridge University Press  
Publisher: Cambridge University Press,  
Pub. Date: 1988  
Language: English

Formats

**Book** **On Shelf**  
1 of 1 @ Fort Lewis General Collection: BF199 .S45 1988

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**5) Dialogue with B.F. Skinner**

Author: Evans, Richard I  
Publisher: Praeger,  
Pub. Date: 1981, c1968.  
Language: English

Formats

**Book** **Checked Out** [Place Hold](#)  
[View copy information](#)

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# DP.LA Integration

## More from Digital Public Library of America

The Digital Public Library of America brings together the riches of America's libraries, archives, and museums, and makes them freely available to the world. It strives to contain the full breadth of human expression, from the written word, to works of art and culture, to records of America's heritage, to the efforts and data of science. DPLA aims to expand this crucial realm of openly available materials, and make those riches more easily discovered and more widely usable and used.



### **Visions: James Surls, 1974-1984 [Press Release]**

Press release for the exhibition "Visions: James Surls, 1974-1984," December 2, 1984-January 13, 1985, held at the Dallas Museum of Art. The press release announces and describes the exhibition.



### **Visions: James Surls, 1974-1984 [Photograph DMA\_1364-34]**

Photograph of the exhibition "Visions: James Surls, 1974-1984," December 2, 1984-January 13, 1985, held at the Dallas Museum of Art.



# Discovery Partners

Anythink

AspenCat

Flatirons Library

Consortium

Nashville Public Library &

Nashville Public Schools

Wake County

And as of yesterday

Arlington Public Library!



# Discovery Committee

Committee chair - Jon Solomon  
Discovery committee helps set priorities for monthly development.

Going forward shorter recorded demos of new functionality in Pika. Recordings will be available on the web.



# What else is coming this year?

## Search improvements

Preselect common facets

(audience, format, availability)

Multiple selection of facet values

show Young Adult or Adult

show Books or Large Print

Improved Advanced Search

Hierarchical Format icons



# More for this year

Accelerated Reader direct  
from the source

Record Grouping  
improvements

Graphic Novels

Different Languages

Sierra APIs

Online Patron Renewal

Library.Simplified



# Medium range features (early 2016)

Citation Improvements  
BibFrame Implementation  
Additional User List improvements  
Searching Reading History and  
other improvements  
Improved User Suggestions  
(filtering & sorting)  
One Click Digital  
Zinio



# Longer Range (mid 2015)

Mobile Browser Improvements  
Side Loading of Colorado State  
Gov Docs (and other eContent  
as desired)

Integration of results from  
EBSCO similar to Digital  
Repository

Improvements for Periodicals  
Course Reserves in Pika



# YouTrack

Used to track development of Pika.  
Divided into individual sprints (short  
chunks of work normally 2 weeks  
long).

Typically 1-2 people per library  
submit tickets.

Anyone can login to view status as  
a guest.

Libraries can vote on features they  
want to see most



<https://marmot.myjetbrains.com/youtrack>

# Other R&D activities

Digital Archive (attend the update this afternoon for more details!)

Code Club







**Questions??**