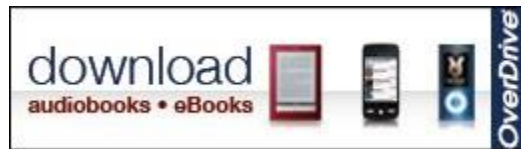I've been looking at library web pages and would like to remind everyone that there are some Logos that should be on your web page. There are also some that are highly recommended. There are lots of others of course that you would like for your individual library. Remember the FOIA policy needs to be there, or at least easy to find with your other policies. – State law.

Annual Meeting, October 12, 2016 Horizon Conference Center

Managing Employee Performance; or, How to Boss Your Friends Around

This presentation will focus on managing employees in a small or medium library where relationships are often very close. The objective will be to give people a good strategy for dealing with the tough conversations that they may have to have with people who are friends, or maybe even family. The session will feature tips and tricks for managing performance and will allow attendees to share their own experiences and role play to practice some of the real world situations that they might encounter.

There was another meeting to discuss the Cloud Library. We are still looking into how this would work. The annual cost is about $3500 less than the OverDrive cost.

Meet the Candidates report. So far, we have had 6 sessions. Alma, Corunna, Cass City and Sandusky. Thomas Township October 5, October 7 in Clare and October 17 in Alpena. The latter two are for districts White Pine shares with other Cooperatives. Although we haven't heard from either candidate for the 94th District.

So far, 21 library boards have approved the revised Plan of Service for White Pine.

Yesterday after the Meet the candidate session in Houghton Lake, I toured the new Beaverton branch of the Gladwin County District Library – very impressive.