

Somerset County Library System – Policy Manual

CHAPTER IV - OPERATION OF THE LIBRARY SYSTEM

C. Library Programs

- A. All SCLSNJ sponsored programs are open to the public.
 - a. The library may require advance registration in order to limit attendance to a reasonable number or to an appropriate age group. The library may limit registration to Somerset County Library System cardholders on occasions when limited space is anticipated. All registration requirements for library programs are publicized in advance in library promotional materials.
 - b. SCLSNJ does not charge a fee to attend a program. On occasion, the library may ask for a voluntary donation to help defray the costs of a particular event.
 - c. Programs presented by a non-profit organization may charge a cost recovery fee, with prior permission from the Deputy Director.
- B. Library programs that treat current topics encourage the expression of a variety of points of view on the issues presented. The library's sponsorship of a program does not imply its endorsement of the views expressed, or endorsement of any products or services mentioned at that program.
- C. Programs sponsored by outside groups using library meeting rooms are covered under our Meeting Room Policy.

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