

# Unmask!

## Call for Ideas

2015 Teen Summer Library Program

Theme: Heroes

Slogan: Unmask!

**Deadline: November 15, 2013**

Below you'll find some programming ideas suggested at the Spring CSLP meeting including: Heroes-contemporary, romantic, historical, mythological, etc.; Superheroes-what makes one? Writing about, creating a superhero, comic, etc.; Villains-in literature, in history, in film; Talent—hidden talents, unmasking your talents, finding, demonstrating your talents, etc. Please send other ideas (or expand on those below) by November 15, 2013 to:

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### Display/Passive Programming Ideas

We're looking for **more passive programming ideas and reproducibles** to hand out!! Quizzes, crosswords, games, etc.

"Desert Island Death Match." Pit a variety of villains

Cover pictures with pieces of Black paper like advent calendar, slowly uncover part of picture

Guess Who? Photos of famous people but photoshop them to mask them

### Outreach

- Suggestions on how to work with teens from small libraries
- More ideas on how to attract teens **not** coming to library.

**Programming ideas: please expand on or add to:**

- Be a hero chapter with programs on babysitting, etc.
- Text to screen. Show movie and text
- Hobbit party; Live action role play—larping
- Scavenger Hunt to highlight collections, e.g. graphic novels, specific books, parts of library or community, e.g. meet community heroes
- Movie series with role models
- Teens/teen advisory board put on puppet show for younger kids
- Unmask! Drama, theatre theme
- Villains/ anti-heroes/fallen heroes/what makes a hero?
- Teen writing group
- Superhero showdown a mini comicon/ superhero program
- Obstacle course
- Design your own comic
- Old mystery science theater. 3K
- Highlight your hidden talent/ Hidden Talent Show
- Guitar hero program
- Princess Bride movies
- Best Ink. Art project hidden identity. Traditional painting over a black light painting. The second painting only shows under black light Kat from VT
- Greek mythology
- Mask making workshop
- Phantom of the Opera
- Mardi Gras, masks
- Face off. Special effects TV show makeup that shows up only under black light
- Rock heroes?
- Corks and Canvases. Everyone learns how to paint one particular painting
- Reading Classics. Romantic Heroes, e.g. Heathcliff
- Larger scale program. A masked Ball;. Old prom dresses masquerade ball
- Champions
- Historical heroes: civil rights, etc. *Lions of Little Rock* by Kristin Levine. Putnam, 2012. 304 p. Gr. 5-8); *Warriors Don't Cry: A Searing Memoir of the Battle to Integrate Little Rock's Central High* [ by Melba Pattilo Beals Simon Pulse, 2007. 240 p.