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To our Library Community:

It seems like overnight our community magically transforms from the winter quiet to the bright blossoms of Spring. As this is my first Spring with Hershey Public Library I'm delighted to have the Derry Township Department of Public Works keeping an eye on our landscaping and flower beds, without whom we wouldn't look half as snazzy as we do! Along with the kaleidoscope of blooming plants we're also busy preparing for summer. While many organizations slow down over the summer months, public libraries switch into high gear. Our *Name that Tune* summer reading program for adults will challenge even the best word-game aficionados! *Libraries Rock*, the summer program for kids and teens will be a rocking good time. Finally, *Summer Quest*, our partnership with Derry Township Parks and Recreation will challenge families to a fairy tale themed scavenger hunt around Shank Park.

If you find yourself out in the parks, stop by Bullfrog Valley Park and check out our new Little Free Library! This small give-a-book, take-a-book structure is located near the pavilion and will encourage you to pick up a book and find a nice tree to read under. We're grateful for the Friends of Hershey Public Library for their efforts in bringing this little library to our community. It's sure to be a busy few months, but we're ready!

Until next time,

Laura O'Grady