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Dream theme to commemorate King at library

Newton, NC, Jan. 9, 2014:

Sherrills Ford-Terrell Branch Library will commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. with a two-part program for youth aged 9 and older.

Participants will gather on Jan. 13 and 20 to team and identify a need within the community. With library staff members, they will make a plan to meet the need. The activity will include brainstorming and follow up on Jan. 20 to find ways to put the plan into motion.

“We want to work together to make Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. proud,” said Jennifer Patterson, branch manager.

The program begins at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 13 and will conclude at 4 p.m. Jan. 20. Participants should preregister at the branch or by calling 828-466-6827.

Sherrills Ford and other library locations will have library materials on display highlighting King’s life and legacy.

The library system as a whole will be closed on Monday, Jan. 19 to observe Martin Luther King Day.

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About: *The Catawba County Library System, headquartered in Newton, NC, serves the citizens of Catawba County with seven branches throughout the county and is a year-round, integral provider of early literacy and lifelong learning. In addition to traditional services, the system provides a full complement of computer and digital services, classes and support to bridge the digital divide, empower job seekers, and enhance community quality of life and economic health.*