CHECK IT OUT. Welcome to a new era in libraries and specifically, learning resource centers. Our new study rooms/"collab labs" offer the latest in plug-in technology and whiteboard tables. Each room must be checked out by two patrons or more. Each room may be reserved for two hours. If there is not a reservation following, the time can be extended from 1 to 3 hours total. Please read the policies on the door and ask the front circulation clerk to let you into room A or B after signing up.

Study room A is designed as a collaborative group think tank and brainstorming conference room.

Study room B features high chairs and has a smartboard TV that connects easily to a laptop for large screen display and sharing work.

Furniture was designed by KI, Inc. and funding was made possible by the Midland College Foundation.

BASIN PBS LIVE FINALE SCREENING

Tuesday, October 23
Midland College LRC, 1st Floor Atrium

6:00pm – Selected students will read original short stories, poems or a passage from their favorite author.

7:00pm – Watch the LIVE finale episode of The Great American Read

This screening event of THE GREAT AMERICAN READ that will reveal America’s favorite novel! Held in partnership with Midland College, students from within the English department have been invited to sign up and submit original short stories or poems to be read prior to watching the final episode. Students may also submit a passage from their favorite author they would like to read in lieu of an original piece. Check with your professor for extra credit. Professors will review the submissions and select those students who will participate. Free pizza and water to all students who attend.

There is still time to vote for your favorite books. The list of 100 books can be found here: https://to.pbs.org/2qYjc4R

Covered drinks and snacks and packaged/finger foods are allowed in the Fasken LRC. No banquet meals, please.
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Thursday, October 25 - 6 p.m.

Just in time for Halloween - - The Midland College Fasken Learning Resource Center hosts its inaugural guest author presentation featuring Ms. Dawn Kirby, paranormal and thriller fiction author. Featuring Q&A, book signings and free refreshments. No admission fee. Dawn will talk about her writing style and the process of self-publishing. She’s the author of Secrets, Deceit and Tribulations. All three were part of the paranormal romance Serenity Series published by Twisted Core Press. Dawn resides in Odessa with her husband and three teenagers. Visit "DawnKirby Paranormal Author” on Facebook for more.

THE ECHS BOOK CLUB

The first meeting was a successful showing of 13 students. We discussed the Banned Books theme. Public services librarian Jennifer Harris led the lunchtime discussion. A good discussion on who has the right to ban a book, and some popular books that have been censored. Attendees were given time to select a book to check out for next month. Next meeting: 10/19 at 12:15pm (12:15-12:45pm) in Student Center game room.

BROWN BAG LUNCH SERIES

Wednesday, Nov 7
12pm, F. Marie Hall Academic Building 101
Authoritative vs. non-authoritative research web resources

STAFF ROSTER

Brianna Barnard – Automation/Technical Services Librarian
Linda Hancock – Reference Librarian (p/t)
Jennifer Harris – Public Services Librarian
Emma King – Circulation Clerk
Josh Knight – Secretary
Howard Marks – LRC Director
Charlotte Sweatt – Technical Services Specialist
Joan Williams – Periodicals Clerk
Marcus McKiddy – General Purpose Computer Lab Monitor
Alicia Haton – General Purpose Computer Lab Monitor
Stella Odoyo - General Purpose Computer Lab Monitor
Molly Martin – General Purpose Computer Lab Monitor Workstudy

https://www.midland.edu/services-resources/library/index.php
For any inquiries, e-mail us: library@midland.edu

MS. EMMA KING RECEIVED HER NAMEPLATE FROM MC AFTER 43 TOTAL YEARS OF SERVICE, THE LAST 26 OF THOSE IN THE LRC/LIBRARY.

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