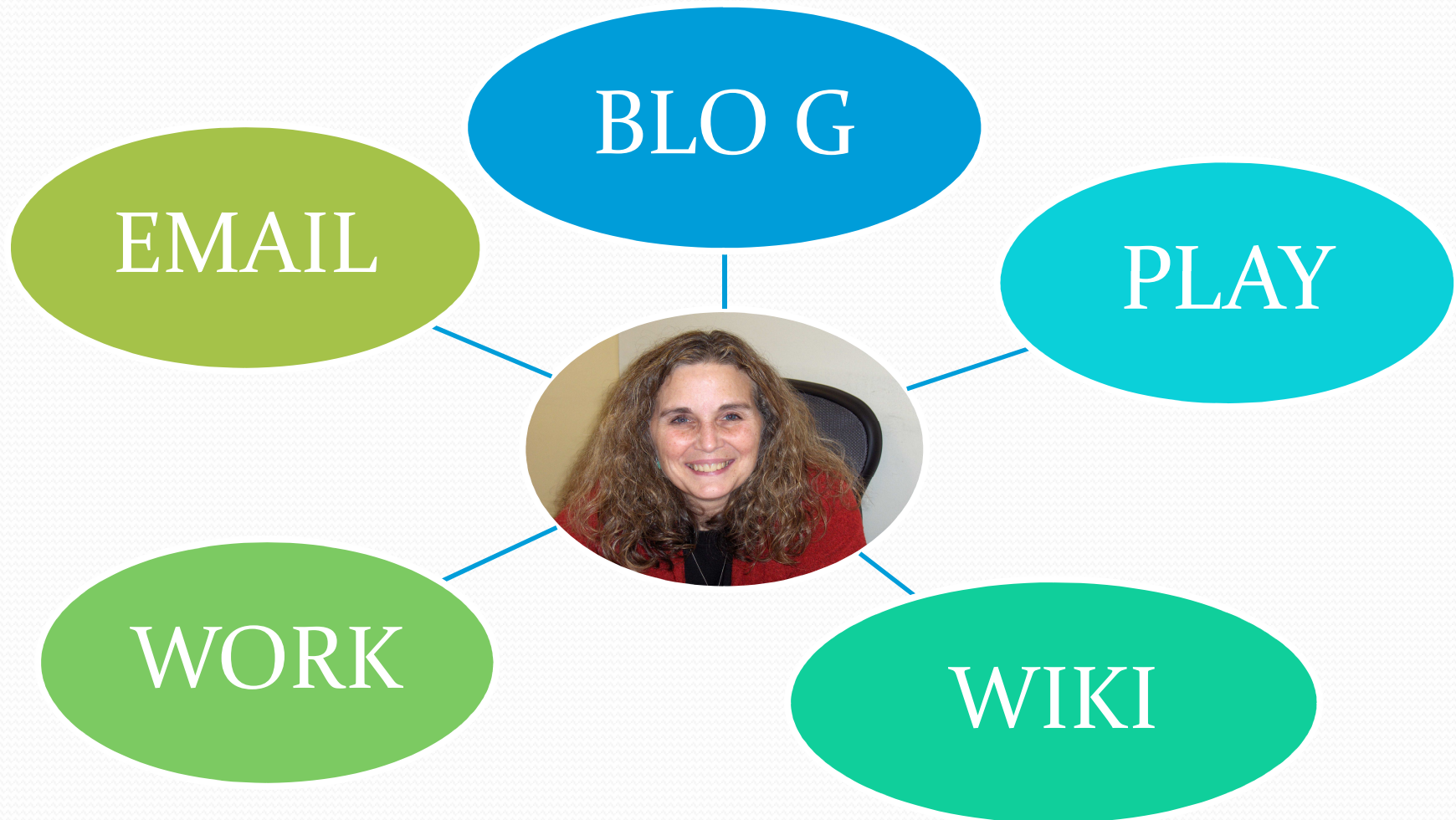


User - Centered Approach to Library Services

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What format should I use?





Blog = WEB Log in Journal Format

- Sorted by date
- Most recent entry appears first
- Communication Tool
 - Staff Communications
 - Department Updates
 - Library Board Updates
 - Patron Communications
 - Upcoming Programs
 - Book Reviews



Blogs

Choosing a Blog Provider

http://www.domainmonster.com/editorials/blog_providers/

Blog Providers

Blogger

<https://www.blogger.com/start>

Word Press

<http://wordpress.com/>



Library and Staff Blog Sites

- David Lee King
 - <http://www.davidleeking.com/>
- Bethel Park Public Library – Invited Readers Only
 - <https://www.blogger.com/blogin.g?blogspotURL=http%3A%2F%2Fbpchildrens.blogspot.com%2F>
- Darien County Public Library
 - <http://www.darienlibrary.org/blogs.php>
- Katonah Village Public Library
 - <http://kvl125.blogspot.com/>



Children's Blog

Needham Free Public Library

<http://nfplchildrens.blogspot.com/>

Brentwood Public Library

<http://www.brentwoodlibrarychanginglives.org/ein/brentwd/index.html>

Lackawanna County Public Library

<http://www.lackawannachildrenslibrary.blogspot.com/>

West Palm Beach Public Library

<http://www.wpbpl.blogspot.com/>



Wiki came from the Hawaiian word
that means FAST

Reasons for using a Wiki

- Collaborative website authored by many people
- Free exchange of ideas and information
- Ease of use
- link to webpages and upload documents for sharing
- Video: Wikis in Plain English
 - <http://www.commoncraft.com/video-wikis-plain-english>



Wiki = User Editable Website

- Stevens County Wiki Project

http://209.173.246.13/index.php/Main_Page

We hope that all of you who know and love the area will contribute your knowledge to the wiki and all our visitors may learn more about Stevens County. If you like this site, please tell your friends! The more people who get involved, the better this guide will be.

- Welcome to the Blogging Libraries Wiki

[http://www.blogwithoutalibrary.net/links/index.php?title=Welcome to the Blogging Libraries Wiki](http://www.blogwithoutalibrary.net/links/index.php?title=Welcome_to_the_Blogging_Libraries_Wiki)

The purpose of this wiki is to collect links to library blogs.



Wikis

Choosing a Wiki Provider

Wiki Providers

- www.mediawiki.org
- <http://pbwiki.com/>



Wiki Sites

- Allegheny County Library Association
 - <http://aclayouthservices.pbwiki.com/>
 - Wiki is linked to the blog
- ATN Reading List by Nancy Keane
 - <http://atn-reading-lists.wikispaces.com/>



Libraries are Evolving