## Making Chromebook & Hot Spot Distribution Easy!!

Aaron A. Carlin, MLIS

(Soon-to-be-Former) Assistant Director: Branch Services, Outreach, & Maker Lab Montague and Special Projects Manager <u>acarlin74@gmail.com</u>

217-418-8444



### Storage Plan for it!

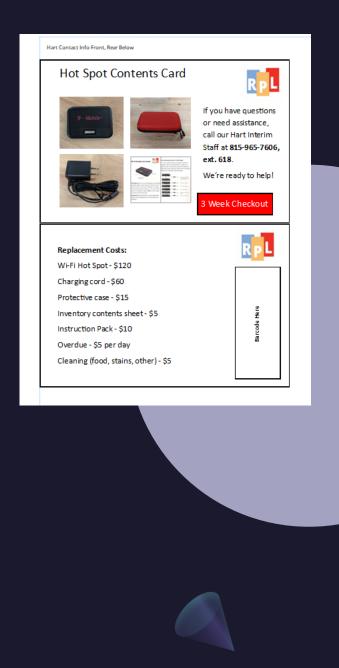




Inventory Control Issues?



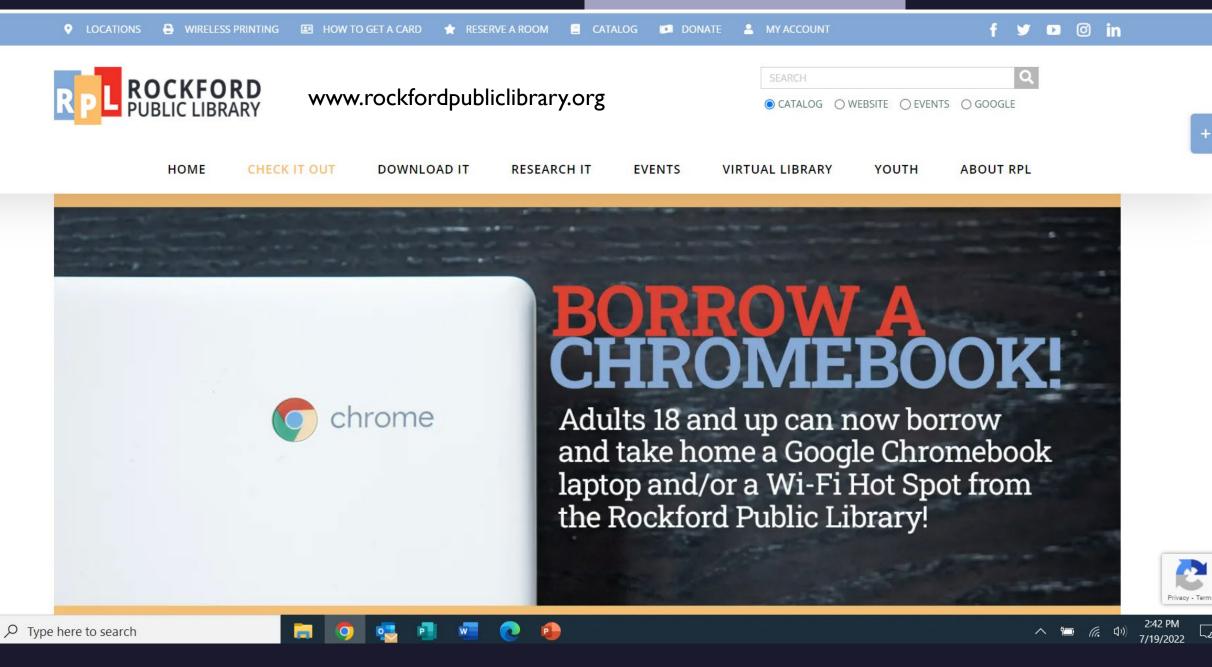








# Marketing the Chromebooks!



F

Adults 18 and up can now borrow and take home a Google Chromebook laptop and/or a Mobile Wi-Fi Hot Spot from the Rockford Public Library! They are available for checkout at the Montague Branch Library, on RPL's Mobile Library, and at the Hart Interim Library!

Are you an adult student, an entrepreneur, or someone who's working on a longer-term project? Most of our Chromebooks are loanable for up to 90 days! Some can be reserved for a shorter, week-long borrowing term. Most of our Wi-Fi Hot Spots check out for up to 3 weeks, with select Wi-Fi Hot Spots structured to be quick-checkout versions for one week.

At the point of checkout, our staff will mentor you on how to use the devices. We'll perform a visual inventory with you of all the parts included such as the Chromebook itself and or the Wi-Fi Hot Spot, the carrying case, the charging cord, and some included instructional items. Once all that is complete and you sign our lending agreement, you'll be on your way to exploring the internet; and all Chromebooks and Wi-Fi Hot Spots have to offer!

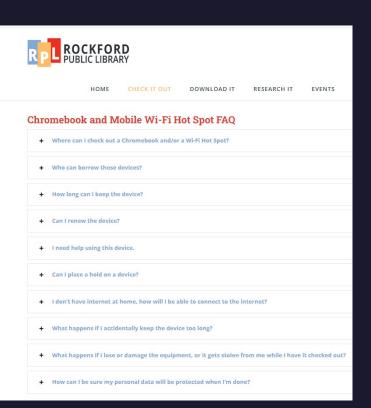
When you're ready to return the Chromebook or Mobile Wi-Fi Hot Spot, please bring the items back inside to the same location and check it in with a staff member. We'll perform the visual inventory of the kit again with you to confirm everything is in proper working order and then ensure it is cleaned and ready to go for the next customer.

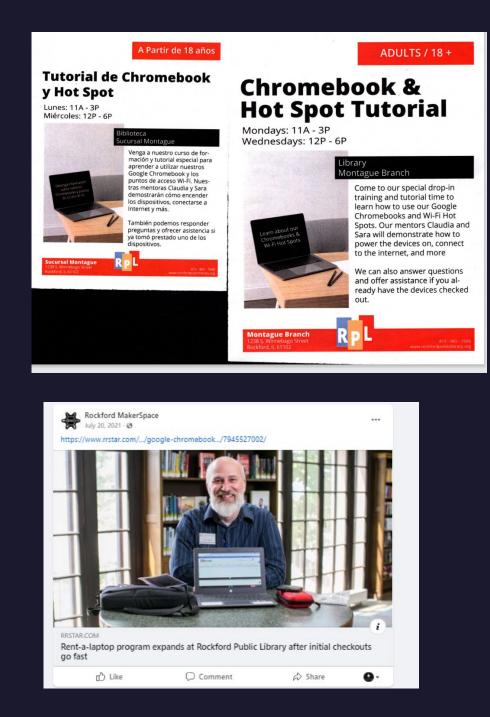
We want you to feel confident in using these devices wherever you are, so we're happy to arrange mentoring opportunities with you. Call or email today!

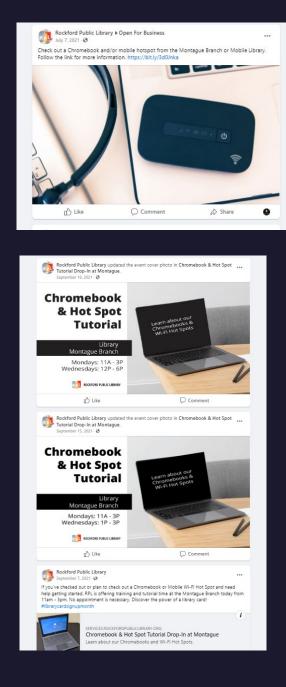
Hart Interim Library 815-965-7606 Montague Library 815-966-2740 Mobile Library 815-966-2741

info@rockfordpubliclibrary.org

Chromebook & Hot Spot Tutorial Drop-In Classes







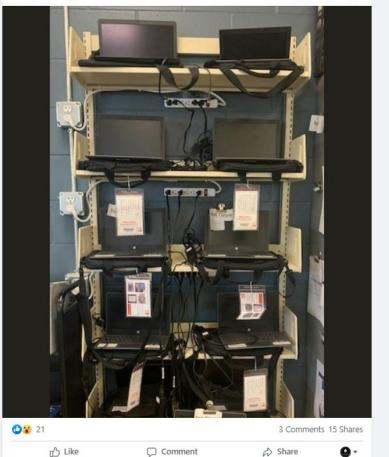
### C) LIKE Comment

...

6 Snare

Rockford Public Library Rockford Public Libr. June 23 at 9:54 AM · @

Did you know RPL offers loanable Chromebooks & Mobile Wi-Fi Hot Spots? These in demand devices are available at the Hart Interim Library, Montague Branch and on the Mobile Library. Loan periods range from 7 to 90 days. Follow the link for more information. https://bit.ly/3HTssy7



### Challenges, Damage, Loss, etc.

Lending agreements with signature

Verbally informing client

Snail Mail reminders



## Metrics – Surveys tracked through Microsoft Forms (see attachments)

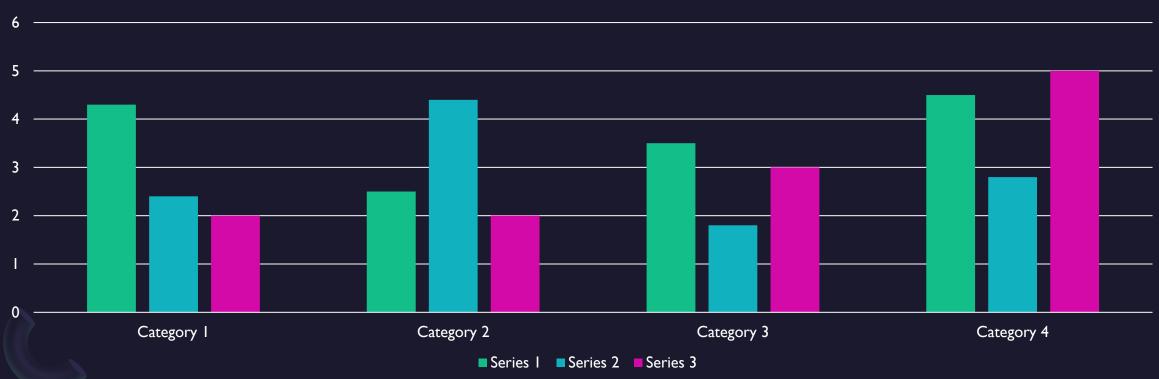


Chart Title

## Thank You

Aaron A. Carlin, MLIS (Soon-to-be-Former) Assistant Director: Branch Services, Outreach, & Maker Lab Montague and Special Projects Manager Rockford Public Library acarlin74@gmail.com 217-418-8444

