



Cataloging the Seed Library



Winnetka-Northfield
PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT



Seed libraries come in many shapes and sizes, with different lending procedures.



Barrington Public Library, Barrington IL



Plymouth District Library, Plymouth MI



Red Bank Public Library, Red Bank NJ



Rochester Public Library, Rochester MN



Why bother cataloging your seed library?

- The seeds are searchable and holdable.
- It behaves like a library in a library.
- You can easily see the movement of checkouts and missing seeds.
- It can be part of your “Library of Things”.
- **STATS! STATS! STATS!**



Control number: 4881985 Owner: Cooperative Computer Services (sys) Items: 12 Record status: Final

Title: Sunflower : Chocolate Cherry : Helianthus annuus

Display in PAC ILL
 Host

Tag	Ind	Data
LDR		nrm 22 a 4500
001		4881985
005		20240121095446.0
008		240112s2024 ilu g rneng d
092		#a581.467
245	00	#aSunflower : #bChocolate Cherry : Helianthus annuus
246	30	#aHelianthus annuus
246	10	#iTitle appears on seed packet as: #aSunflower, Chocolate Cherry
300		#a1 packet of seeds ;#c9 x 14 cm.
336		#athree-dimensional form#btdt#2rdacontent
337		#aunmediated#bn#2rdamedia
338		#aobject#bn4#2rdacarrier
500		#aTitle supplied by cataloger.
500		#aOriginal seed from Baker Creek.
520		#aThe petals range from deep obsidian to rich chocolate and black cherry and burst forth from deep onyx centers like a supernova. Some blooms have a vibrant yellow ring, or corona, around the pollen disk, just to add extra depth! This multi-branching variety stands 6-7 feet in height and the heads average 5-8 inches across. The Winnetka-Northfield Public Library's Seed Library checks out seeds to patrons to grow plants in their home garden. At the end of the growing season, each seed packet will be checked in from the patron's record and the patron can harvest seeds from their crop to return to the library for future lending.
520		#aLevel of difficulty for harvesting seeds: Easy.
650	0	#aFlowers.
650	0	#aFlower gardening
650	0	#aHeirloom varieties (Plants)
650	0	#aSustainable agriculture.
650	0	#aContainer gardening.
945		#bOCLC DO NOT SET





LEADER - BIBLIOGRAPHIC DATA [X]

Record status (05)	n - New
Type of record (06)	r - Three-dimensional artifact or r
Bibliographic level (07)	m - Monograph/item
Type of control (08)	- No specific type
Character coding scheme (09)	- MARC-8
Encoding level (17)	- Full level
Descriptive cataloging form (18)	a - AACR 2
Multipart resource record level (19)	- Not specified or not applicable

OK Cancel Help

008--VISUAL MATERIALS (LDR/06 values g, k, o, r) [X]

Entry date (00-05)	240112
Type of date (06)	s - Single known date/probable date
Date 1 (07-10)	2024
Date 2 (11-14)	
Place of pub (15-17)	ilu - Illinois
Running time (18-20)	
Audience (22)	g - General
Government pub (28)	- Not a government publication
Form of item (29)	- None of the following
Type of visual mat'l (33)	r - Realia
Technique (34)	n - Not applicable
Language (35-37)	eng - English
Modified record (38)	- Not modified
Cataloging source (39)	d - Other

OK Cancel Help



Bibliographic Record 4881985 - MARC21 - Polaris

File Edit View Links Tools Help

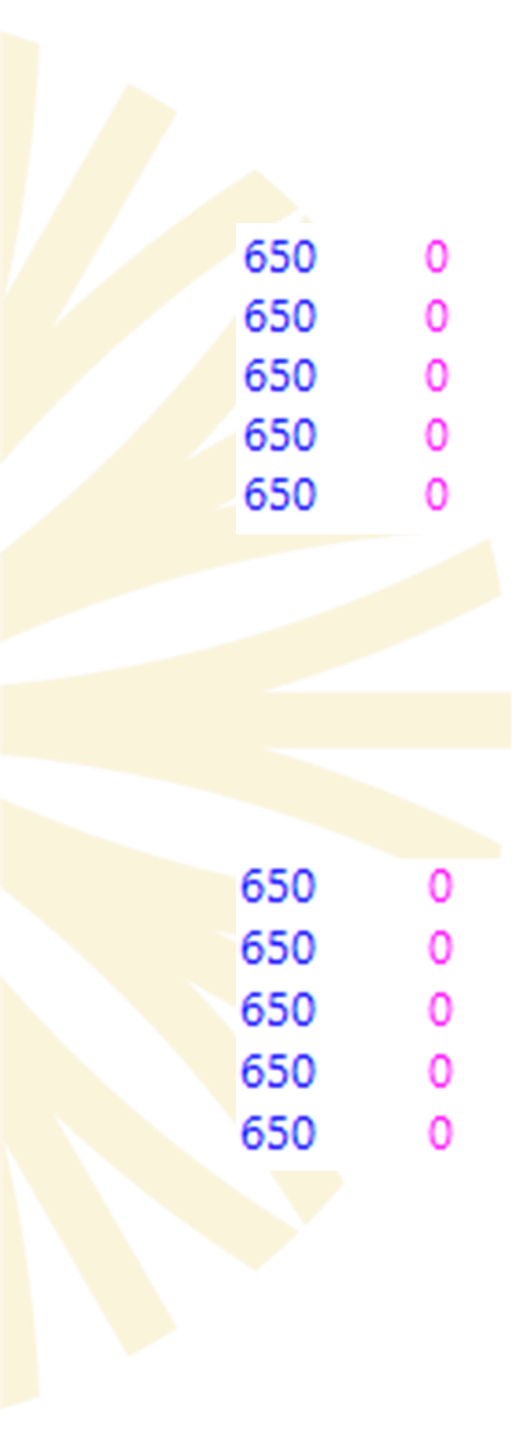
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Bibliographic Record



650	0	#aMelons.
650	0	#aMelons#xHeirloom varieties.
650	0	#aHeirloom varieties (Plants)
650	0	#aSustainable agriculture.
650	0	#aContainer gardening.

650	0	#aFlowers.
650	0	#aFlower gardening
650	0	#aHeirloom varieties (Plants)
650	0	#aSustainable agriculture.
650	0	#aContainer gardening.

650	0	#aHerbs.
650	0	#aHerb gardening
650	0	#aHeirloom varieties (Plants)
650	0	#aSustainable agriculture.
650	0	#aContainer gardening.

650	0	#aVegetable gardening.
650	0	#aVegetables.
650	0	#aVegetables#xVarieties.
650	0	#aVegetables#xSeeds.
650	0	#aHeirloom varieties (Plants)
650	0	#aSustainable agriculture.
650	0	#aContainer gardening.



Item Record 16385325 - Cataloging - Polaris

File Edit View Links Tools Help

Barcode: Record status: ILL EContent Non-circulating Display in PAC

Title: **Bib control number:**

Author: Parent item: Item control number:

Call number: Price: Issue control no.:

Owner: Shelf location:

Assigned: Temporary location:

Collection: Circulation status:

Circulation parameters

Material type:

Loan period:

Fine code:

Renewal limit:

Stat code:

Name of piece:

Call number

Scheme:

Prefix:

Class:

Cutter:

Suffix:

Volume:

Copy:

Request

Loanable outside system Do not mail to patron

Holdable

Limit to:

Pickup at

Patrons from this library and branches

days past first available

Patrons from this branch only

Preferred borrowers

Name	Record Type	Owner	Tota...	Creation Date	Note	Record ...
Seed Library Bibs	Bibliographic Rec...	Winnetka-...	99	1/12/2024		Final ...
Seed Library Items_2024...	Item Record	Winnetka-...	1518	2/7/2024	Created from bibliographic ...	Final ...



Physical Processing





BASIL - BEANS

BEANS

BEANS - BEETS

BEETS

BORAGE - CABBAGE

CARROTS - CILANTRO

COSMOS - CUCUMBERS

DILL - EGGPLANT

LETTUCE

LETTUCE - MARIGOLDS

MARIGOLDS - PARSLEY

PEAS

PEPPER, HOT

PEPPER, SWEET

RADISH - SQUASH

SQUASH - STRAWFLOWER

SUNFLOWER

SUNFLOWER

TOMATO

TOMATO

TOMATO

TOMATO - TORCH

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Questions?



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