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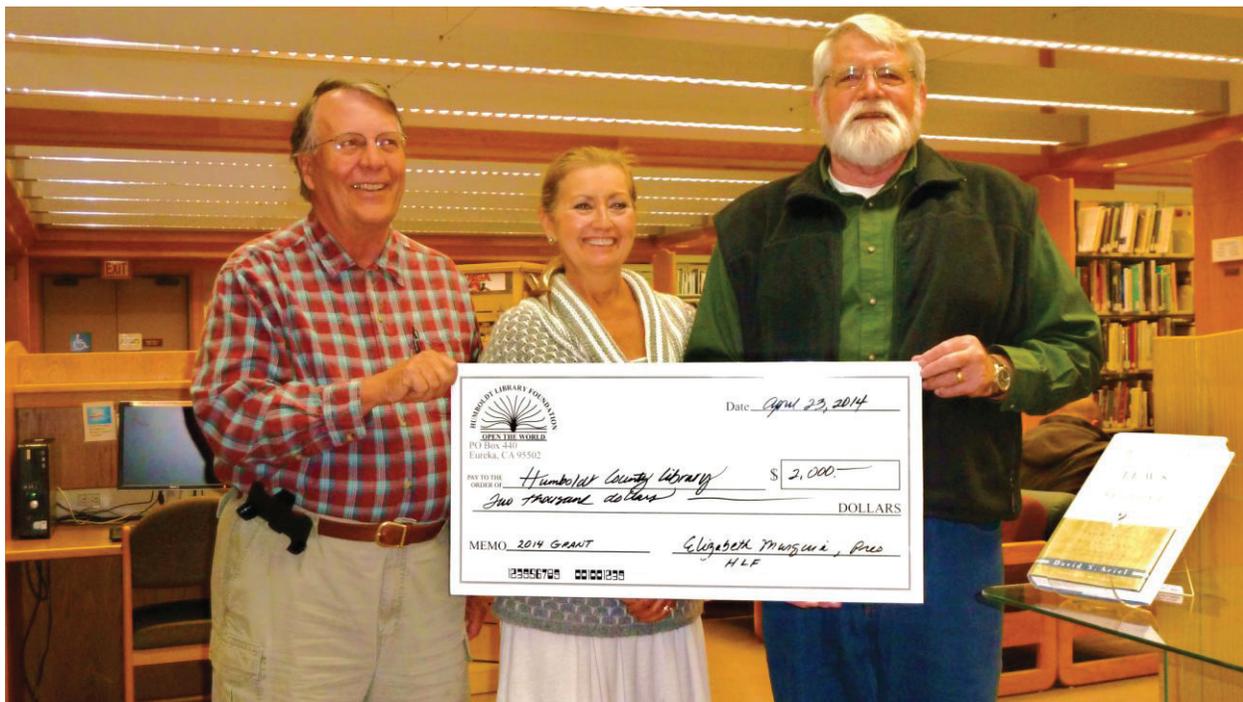
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## *Sports and Recreation Collection*

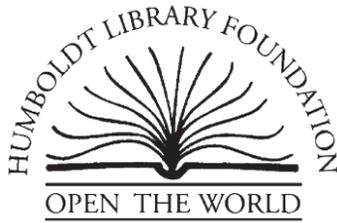
### HLF Matches \$1000 Received From Humboldt Sponsors



Peter LaVallee, HLF Board; Kitty Yancheff, Humboldt County Librarian and Jeff Todoroff, HLF Board

The Humboldt Library Foundation received \$1000 in April from the Humboldt Sponsors which HLF matched to upgrade the Library's *Sports and Recreation Collection*. The library estimates that's the amount needed to update the collection.

"We are indebted to the Humboldt Sponsors for supporting the needs of children and families in our community. They do impressive work and help make our community a better place," said board president, Elizabeth Murguia.



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The *Sports and Recreation Collection* was recently ‘weeded’ of outdated materials and is in dire need of restoration. This is an important and popular part of our library’s collection, especially for youth and young adults with an interest in sports, as well as parents, coaches and others. Sports how-to-books, biographies, DVD instructional material and updated rule guides will provide important instruction for all ages. Titles will focus on rules and techniques, operating equipment and coaching. The new materials will address interests as varied as bocce ball, skate boarding, baseball, kayaking, martial arts, archery, horseback riding and every sport interest in between.

Because the county library’s book and materials budget is woefully underfunded, HLF contributions make up one third of the county’s annual materials budget. There are over 90,000 active library card holders across the county, over 16,000 are cardholders 0-18 years of age.

The new collection will include a wide range of subject areas that will be circulated through the main library, the ten branch libraries, the Bookmobile and through the on-line catalogue.

For more information, contact HLF at 269-1991, ‘friend’ us on Facebook and visit our website at [www.humboldtlibraryfoundation.org](http://www.humboldtlibraryfoundation.org).

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