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# News - Libraries are Such a Drag Calendar

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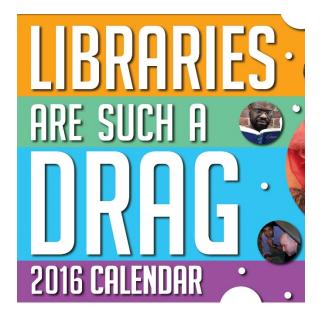
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### Libraries Are Such a Drag!

A 2016 Calendar Fundraiser for the Beard Scholarship



If you love libraries then get yourself, your family, and your coworkers a new 2016
Libraries Are Such a Drag calendar! All proceeds are donated to the Beard Scholarship for library school students in Georgia.

The Beard Scholarship is made possible by friends and colleagues of the late Charles Edward Beard who served libraries and the library profession for almost forty years. The scholarship provides financial assistance toward completing a master's degree in library science

for candidates who show strong potential to inspire and motivate their peers in the profession and in professional associations.

Each month of this fun calendar has an image of a library patron posing in book drag with their favorite book and sharing why they love the library. The calendar runs from January 2016 to May of 2017.

Calendars are twenty dollars each and can be purchased at Java Monkey, 425 Church St, Decatur, GA 30030 or online for twenty-five dollars via PayPal at:

www.facebook.com/LibrariesAreSuchADrag/info.

For more information on the calendar, visit <a href="https://www.facebook.com/LibrariesAreSuchADrag">www.facebook.com/LibrariesAreSuchADrag</a> and to learn more about the scholarship, visit: <a href="http://gla.georgialibraries.org/scholarship.htm">http://gla.georgialibraries.org/scholarship.htm</a>.

#### **About the Calendar Organizers:**

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