

My Reading Log Privacy Statement

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Confidentiality of Records

This site is intended for individuals to keep track of materials they have read and/or would like to read. There is no link between library patron records and this database. Users are assigned a number/letter combination for username and create their own password. There is no information link regarding specific individuals and their username or library account within this database. Library records and My Reading Log accounts are protected from disclosure to unauthorized individuals under the Library Privacy Act.

Subpoenas or Court Orders

Although MyReadingLog.org is intended for the private use of patrons of TLN member libraries, user records may be subject to release to and examination by authorities pursuant to the USA PATRIOT Act and/or other statutes. The Library Network is legally bound to comply with properly executed subpoena, court order or other legal process. Therefore, any information you would not want to be disclosed to legal authorities should not be kept in your account.

Cookies

A session cookie is used while you are logged in to your account, but no information is gathered from this cookie and it is removed automatically when you log out.

Public Lists

Information, such as book titles and author's names, may be compiled from user accounts at a future date in order to provide a "recommended reading list" or other anonymous list that would be viewable by all visitors. Such a list will not be compiled until there is a sufficient membership and number of entries to ensure anonymity.