

# BANNED BOOKS WEEK : CENSORSHIP RESOURCES

## MVCC LIBRARIES

Books/Videos/Web sites

\*Every year a week in September is set aside by the American Library Association to explore censorship issues and to celebrate intellectual freedom and the freedom to read: Banned Books Week.

### BOOKS:

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- American Library Association. Office for Intellectual Freedom. Intellectual Freedom Manual. 6<sup>th</sup> ed. (Z711.4 .I57 2002)
- Bald, Margaret. Literature Suppressed on Religious Grounds. (Ref Z 657 .B35 1998)
- Bauder, Julia, ed. Censorship. (Current Controversies) (Z 658 .U5 C395 2007)
- Becker, Beverley C. Hit List for Children 2: Frequently Challenged Books. (Ref Z 1019 .B38 2002)
- Boyer, Paul S. Purity in Print: the Vice-Society Movement and Book Censorship in America. (KF 4775 .B6 2002)
- Burruss, Lee. Battle of the Books: Literary Censorship in the Public Schools, 1950-1985. (Z 658 .U5 B87 1989)
- Censored: the Top 25 Censored Stories. (PN 4888 .P86 C46) (Library has 2000, 2003-2007)
- Childs, Elizabeth, ed. Suspended License: Censorship and the Visual Arts. (N 8740 .S87 1997)
- Cohen, Karl F. Forbidden Animation: Censored Cartoons and Blacklisted Animators in America. (NC 1766.5 .C45 C64 2004)
- Dadge, David, ed. Silenced: International Journalists Expose Media Censorship. (PN 4736 .S55 2005)
- DelFattore, Joan. What Johnny Shouldn't Read: Textbook Censorship in America. (LB 3045.7 .D45 1992)
- Doyle, Robert P. Banned Books Resource Guide, 1997. (Ref Z 658 .U5 B37 1997)
- Foerstel, Herbert N. Banned in the Media: a Reference Guide to Censorship in the Press, Motion Pictures, Broadcasting, and the Internet. (Ref P 96 .C42 U654 1998)
- Foerstel, Herbert N. Banned in the USA: a Reference Guide to Book Censorship in Schools and Public Libraries. (Ref Z 658 .U5 F64 1994)
- Foerstel, Herbert N. Free Expression and Censorship in America: an Encyclopedia. (Ref Z 658 .U5 F644 1997)
- Houchin, John H. Censorship of the American Theatre in the Twentieth Century. (PN 2044 .U62 H68 2003)
- Jackson, Holbrook. The Fear of Books. (Z 1003 .J13 2001)
- Karolides, Nicholas J., ed. Censored Books: Critical Viewpoints. (PS 65 .C46 C46 1993)
- Karolides, Nicholas J., ed. Censored Books II: Critical Viewpoints, 1985-2000. (PS 65 .C46 C45 2002)
- Karolides, Nicholas J., ed. Literature Suppressed on Political Grounds. (Ref Z 657 .K37 1998)
- Karolides, Nicholas J. 100 Banned Books: Censorship Histories of World Literature. (Z 658 .U5 K35 1999)
- Knuth, Rebecca. Libricide: the Regime-Sponsored Destruction of Books and Libraries in the Twentieth Century. (Z 569 .K58 2003)
- LaRue, James. The New Inquisition: Understanding and Managing Intellectual Freedom Challenges. (Z 716.4 .L37 2007)
- Lehr, Susan S., ed. Battling Dragons: Issues and Controversies in Children's Literature. (PN 1009 .A1 B36 1995)
- Lesesne, Teri S. Hit List for Young Adults 2: Frequently Challenged Books. (Ref Z 1019 .L48 2002)

- Marsh, Dave. 50 Ways to Fight Censorship and Important Facts to Know About the Censors. (Z 658 .U5 M37 1991)
- Monks, Merri M., ed. Hit List: Frequently Challenged Books for Young Adults. (Ref Z 1019 .H68 1996)
- Nakaya, Andrea C., ed. Censorship: Opposing Viewpoints. (Z 658 .U5 C433 2005)
- New York Public Library. Censorship: 500 Years of Conflict. (Z 657 .C4 1984)
- Noble, William. Bookbanning in America: Who Bans Books?—and Why? (Z 658 .U5 N6 1990)
- Oboler, Eli M. Defending Intellectual Freedom: the Library and the Censor. (Z 711.4 .O26 1980)
- Pistolis, Donna Reidy, ed. Hit List: Frequently Challenged Books for Children. (Ref Z 1019 .H63 1996)
- Polastron, Lucien X. Books on Fire: the Destruction of Libraries Throughout History. (Z 721 .P5613 2007)
- Scales, Pat. Teaching Banned Books: 12 Guides for Young Readers. (Z 1019 .S33 2001)
- Simmons, John S. School Censorship in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: a Guide for Teachers and School Library Media Specialists. (LC 72.2 .S56 2001)
- Soley, Lawrence C. Censorship, Inc.: the Corporate Threat to Free Speech in the United States. (JC 591 .S65 2002)
- Sova, Dava B. Banned Plays: Censorship Histories of 125 Stage Dramas. (Ref PN 2042 .S68 2004)
- Sova, Dava B. Forbidden Films: Censorship Histories of 125 Motion Pictures. (Ref PN 1995.62 .S67 2001)
- Sova, Dava B. Literature Suppressed on Sexual Grounds. (Ref Z 657 .S68 1998)
- Sova, Dava B. Literature Suppressed on Social Grounds. (Ref Z 657 .S69 1998)
- Thomas, Cal. Book Burning. (Rome Z 659 .T48 1983)
- Wallis, David. Killed Cartoons: Casualties From the War on Free Expression. (E 743 .K55 2007)
- West, Mark I. Trust Your Children: Voices Against Censorship in Children's Literature. (Z 1037 .A1 W38 1988)
- Wiegand, Shirley A. Books on Trial: Red Scare in the Heartland. (KF 221 .P6 W54 2007)

## **VIDEOS**

This Film is Not Yet Rated. (Educational DVDs PN 1993.5 .U65 T45 2007)

## **WEB SITES:**

American Library Association: Banned Books Week

<http://www.ala.org/ala/oif/bannedbooksweek/bannedbooksweek.htm>

Amnesty USA Banned Books Week

<http://www.amnestyusa.org/bannedbooks/>

Banned Books and Censorship

<http://www.booksatoz.com/censorship/banned.htm>

Banned Books Online

<http://digital.library.upenn.edu/books/banned-books.html>

Banned Books: Yahoo

[http://dir.yahoo.com/Arts/Humanities/Literature/Banned\\_Books/](http://dir.yahoo.com/Arts/Humanities/Literature/Banned_Books/)

Censorship in Fiction

[http://www.mvcc.edu/academics/library/censorship\\_fiction\\_guide.pdf](http://www.mvcc.edu/academics/library/censorship_fiction_guide.pdf)

First Amendment Center: Banned Books

[http://www.firstamendmentcenter.org/Speech/libraries/topic.aspx?topic=banned\\_books](http://www.firstamendmentcenter.org/Speech/libraries/topic.aspx?topic=banned_books)

Forbidden Library: Banned and Challenged Books

<http://www.forbiddenlibrary.com/>

The Freedom to Read Statement

<http://www.ala.org/ala/oif/statementspols/ftrstatement/freedomreadstatement.htm>

Freedom to Read Week (Canada)

<http://www.freedomtoread.ca/>

Frequently and Prominently Challenged Children's Books (compiled by MVCC Librarian Krista Hartman)

[http://www.mvcc.edu/academics/library/challenged\\_childrenbks.pdf](http://www.mvcc.edu/academics/library/challenged_childrenbks.pdf)

The Library Bill of Rights

<http://www.ala.org/ala/oif/statementspols/statementsif/librarybillrights.htm>

Student Association for Freedom of Expression (SAFE)

<http://www.mit.edu:8001/activities/safe/home.html>

When Books Burn

<http://www.library.arizona.edu/exhibits/burnedbooks/>

Why Johnny Can't Read: Censorship in American Schools: an essay by Suzanne Fisher Staples.

<http://scholar.lib.vt.edu/ejournals/ALAN/winter96/pubCONN.html>

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