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Business owners, startups get free help during Drop-in Business Mentoring at Deer Park Library

Spokane, WA | April 9, 2024 – Spokane County Library District (SCLD) is partnering with SCORE Spokane to bring free assistance to small business owners, entrepreneurs, and startups in northern Spokane County.

During **Drop-in Business Mentoring**, people can get answers to their questions about starting or expanding their business from SCORE business mentor Ron Barkley. Entrepreneurs and business owners can also get free assistance with a range of topics, including:

- Writing a business plan
- Completing financial projections
- Analyzing financial statements
- Preparing loan requests before meeting with lenders

Mentoring help is available on a first-come, first-served basis on the third Tuesday of each month, 1:30–4pm, at Deer Park Library (208 S Forest Ave).

Upcoming sessions for **Drop-in Business Mentoring** are April 16, May 21, and June 17.

For more information about these and other business workshops provided by SCLD, visit www.sclld.org/business-events.

To connect with a SCORE business mentor at a different time for free assistance with business questions, you can visit www.score.org/find-mentor to request this service.

Spokane County Library District provides resources, experiences, and places that empower people to learn, explore, and succeed. The District operates 10 libraries that include Airway Heights, Argonne, Cheney, Deer Park, Fairfield, Medical Lake, Moran Prairie, North Spokane, Otis Orchards, and Spokane Valley as well as the mobile library LINC. District library cards are free to Spokane County residents.

For more information about our libraries and programs, please visit www.sclld.org or call 509.893.8200.

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