How to Download eBooks from the Spring Lake District Library to your iPad

If the Overdrive Media Console app isn't on your iPad yet, first go to the App Store to download it. If you've already downloaded Overdrive, skip to the bottom of page 2.



In the App Store, click in the search box in the upper left hand corner and type in 'Overdrive.'



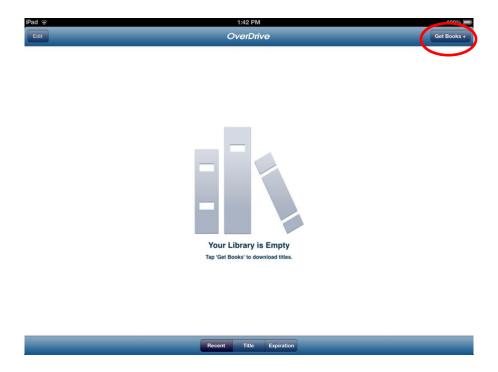
When the search results come up, you'll see the Overdrive app – it's free to download and install! Click on the button that says 'Free' then again when it says 'Install." (Here the button says 'Open.' If it says that, you know that Overdrive is already installed on your iPad!)



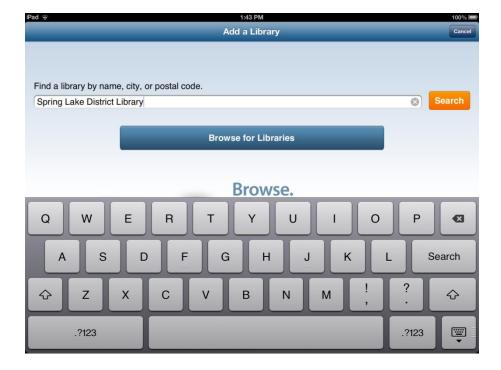
Once the app has installed itself, you'll find it on one of your homescreens. Touch it to open it up!



Now you have Overdrive open. Touch 'Get Books' in the upper left hand corner.



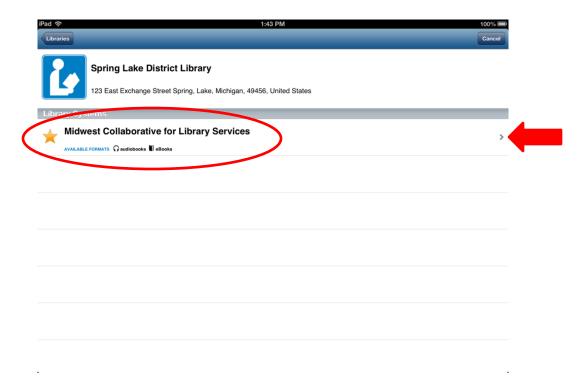
When 'Add a Library' screen comes up, type in Spring Lake District Library or 49456 to search for SLDL.



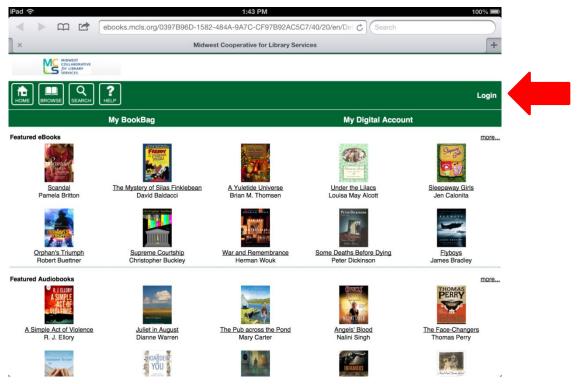
When Spring Lake District Library comes up, touch it to choose it.



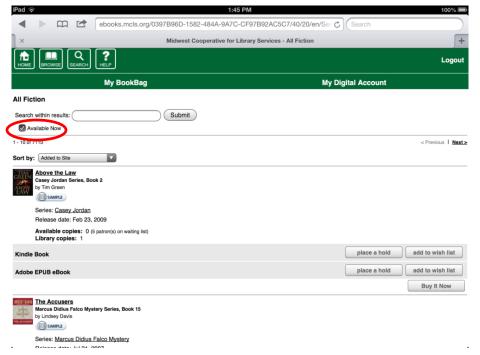
The next screen will show the Midwest Collaborative for Library Services. That's SLDL's eBranch. Touch the star on the left side to save it as as favorite library. Then touch the arrow on the right to go to the eBranch.



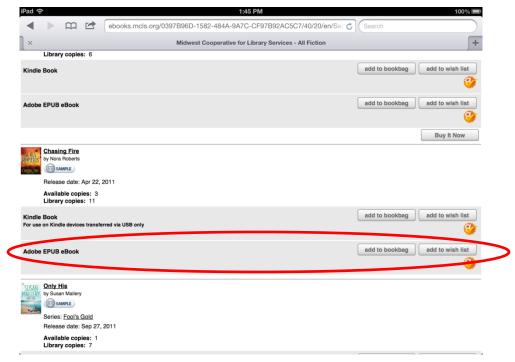
You'll be taken to our eBranch – from here you want to login using your library card and then browse for books.



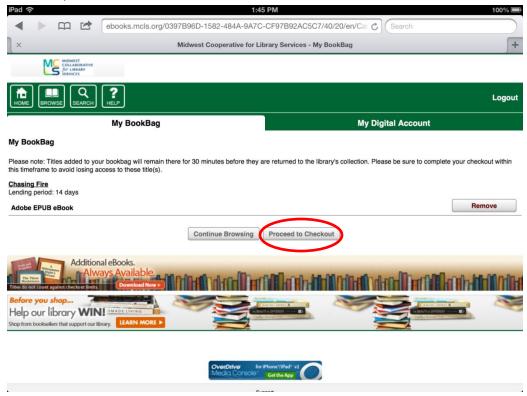
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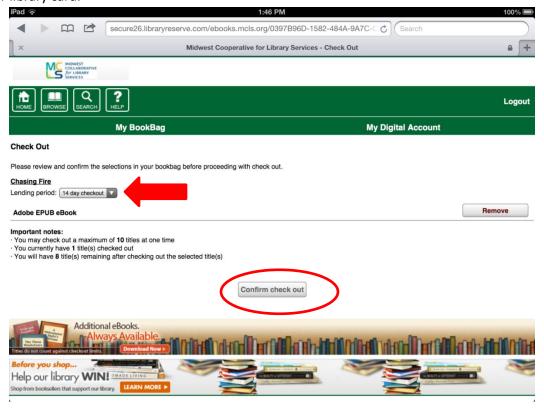
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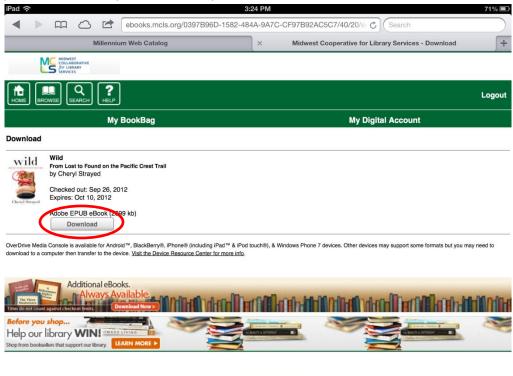
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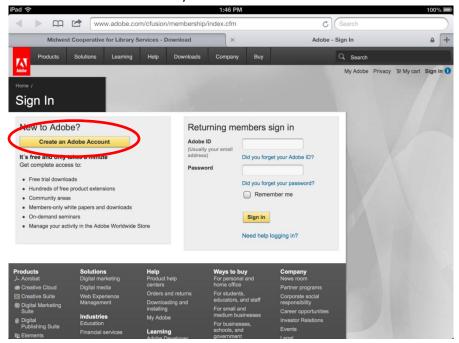
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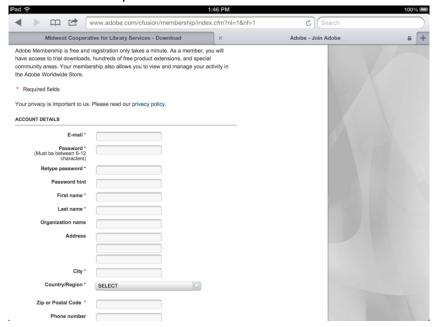
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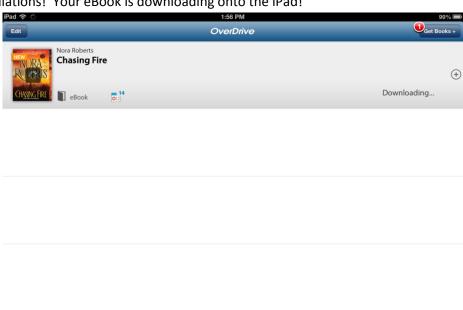
To create the account, you need to fill in all the options marked by a red asterisk. (You can fill in the others too, but it's not necessary). An Adobe ID manages the digital rights and allows the book to be returned when it's due automatically.



Once that ID is set up, you can go back to Overdrive, enter your new ID and password and click 'Authorize.' Remember – you only have to do this once!







And congratulations! Your eBook is downloading onto the iPad!

After the book has downloaded, it will automatically open. You can turn pages by swiping the screen. Tap in the middle of the screen to see the options including changing the text size, turning the background sepia to be easier on your eyes, and adjusting the brightness.

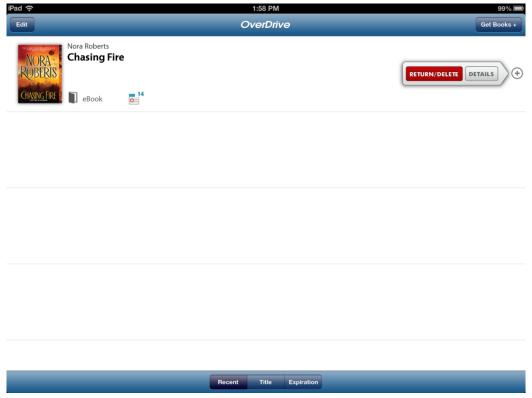


clear at a casual glance that Finley & Figg was not prospering. There was another boutique firm directly across the street—hated rivals—and more lawyers around the corner. In fact, the neighborhood was teeming with lawyers, some working alone, others in small firms, others still in versions of their own little boutiques.

F&F's address was on Preston Avenue, a busy street filled with old bungalows now converted and used for all manner of commercial activity. There was retail (liquor, cleaners, massages) and professional (legal, dental, lawn mower repair) and culinary (enchiladas, baklava, and pizza to go). Oscar Finley had won the building in a lawsuit twenty years earlier. What the address lacked in



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