



Oneida/Herkimer School Library System Advisory Council

March 27th Agenda Minutes

2023-2024 MEETING DATES

September 21st 2:20-3:20 502 Court St. Utica

November 14th 2:20-3:20 502 Court St. Utica

March 27th 2:20- 3:20 502 Court St. Utica

May 13th- Admin Breakfast - Main Campus

SCHOOL LIBRARY SYSTEM ADVISORY COUNCIL

Janice Murray, OHM BOCES Brienne Bello, Herkimer Fred Berowski, HCCC Diana Cassulis, MidYork Megan Dellecese, Whitesboro	Leeann Dooley, Little Falls Tanya Gadziala, Mt Markham Julie Horwat, Holland Patent Steve Inzer, Central Valley Jocelyn Ireland, MVCC	Ryan Perry, CLRC Sheri Perry, Herkimer BOCES Carole Rahme, Utica Christina Warner, OHM BOCES Karen Zaleski, Clinton
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Agenda

- I. Call to order
- II. Approval of Minutes from November 2023
- III. Annual Report Update
- IV. Plan of Service Updates
- V. Other



Attendees

Jan Murray, Brianne Bello, Megan Dellecese, Tanya Gadziala, Steve Inzer, Jocelyn Ireland (virtual), Ryan Perry (virtual), Fred Berowski (virtual), Carole Rahme, Christina Warner, Julie Horwat (virtual) Karen Zaleski, Jennie Clarke

Minutes

Meeting called to order 2:36 pm by Steve Inzer

Approval of minutes from November 14th – Megan, motion to approve, Karen, seconded motion, all in favor

Plan of Service -

- Element 1 - Resource Sharing
 - CCD money is spent. Olivia and Patti have been diligently working with vendors and ordering.
 - Renewing Noodle Tools for digital resources.
 - Digital Access Collection – CCD monies can be used to purchase digital resources including Sora.

- Element 2 - Special Client Groups
 - More requests for other languages (Spanish, Arabic and Ukrainian)
 - Audiobooks in other languages were also discussed. FactCite 123 Lingo has resources for Spanish & English-language learners of all ages and discussed possibly adding it.

- Element 3 - Professional Development and Training
 - There is a plan for professional development during the summer.
 - Jan attended PD with MOBOCES about how to identify fake news and AI- presented by News Literacy Project on December 8, 2023.
 - March 15th: Maura Madigan from Virginia talked at the PD about the paradigms in the library.

- Element 4 – Consulting & Development Services
 - Karen Horodnick and Jan Murray went to Watson Williams Elementary School to help in the library.

- Element 5 - Coordinated Services for Members
 - Attempting to get everything in SSO.
 - Sue, Jan and Julia meet once a month to plan Leatherstocking. Tentative date is 10/24/24. Speaker is Pablo Cartaya and there is a soft hold on the Delta Hotel.



● Element 6 - Awareness and Advocacy

- Liz Deskins is the speaker for the Admin Breakfast on May 13th.
- Jan Murray, Aileen Judd and Megan Dellecese attended the legislative breakfast and the legislators seemed responsive.
- Jan has been going to the Principal meetings, primarily Elementary.
- NOVEL NY – It's in the budget and is looking like it will be funded.

● Element 7 - Communication Among Members

- Inviting newer librarians during August & September to show them how to use resources.
- Jan talked about the Weekly'ish email she sends out and all in attendance stated they loved those emails
- 4 Librarians will be attending NYLA with the grant.

● Element 8 – Collaborative Efforts with Other Library Systems

- MORIC has offered to get 2D contract for MediaFlex.
- Olivia is in charge of ILL/EILL
- Battle of the Books went great at MVCC.
- MidYork – Diana Cassulis came to talk about resources that are available to use with a library card, including the upcoming Eclipse on April 8th.

● Element 9 – Other

- No updates.

Around the Table

Meeting adjourned by Carole, seconded by Megan at 3:16 pm