

## TLN Adult Services Committee Meeting

Monday, February 1, 2021

Zoom Meeting

Meeting called to order by Katie Rothley at 10:00 am

### **Approval of Minutes**

December minutes approved – Amy Lee made motion and Cherie Edmonds seconded.

Agenda approved - Vicki from Baldwin, Laura from Chelsea seconded

### **Old Business**

Call for volunteers for the Spring Workshop Committee – Danielle from Westland (William P. Faust ) Public Library, Alison Sartwell from Rochester, and Laura from Chelsea Library volunteered. Barbara Keresztury from Southgate Public Library volunteered to observe the meeting.

Spring Workshop is dated for May

### **New Business**

Jeff Jimison from Baldwin gave a presentation on Baldwin's Idea Lab – a 3D printing lab available to patrons.

### **Around the Co-Op**

Brigette Felix from TLN discussed updates to website.

Kristen Wellman from Wayne Public Library – Library has been open for a while, going well. Booked Veg Michigan to do a cooking demo for March via zoom, Pencil Topper take home kit for felt and foam crafts.

Rob Butler from Dearborn Heights -- Starting today, opening to the public for just the computers. Recent budget program did well. Upcoming Trivia night, Cut the Cord, Lying about History programs planned for February.

Vicki from Baldwin Library -- They are still doing curbside. Tentative opening planning for a week or so. Craft kits are doing well for both adults and kids. Doing a subscription service for library books delivered to their door.

Cherie Edmonds from Commerce – The library has recently reopened with strict guidelines, but going well. Adult craft kits are doing well. Adult birdwatching program/teen bird feeder building. Edsel Ford and Henry Ford programs also did very well.

Laura from Chelsea -- Library Book clubs doing well, Adult programming also doing well. Programming included trivia night and a collaboration with the Purple Rose Theatre troupe. They are still doing curbside pickup, but people can briefly enter the building because of the cold weather. Beginning opening on Saturdays.

Darlene Hellenberg from Ferndale Library -- Adult craft kits and adult book bundles have started, doing well. The adult department has been partnering with the youth department to make adult/teen bags. They were doing two a month but have slowed down to one a month in 2021. Cookbook club virtually doing well this month. Curbside only still.

Karla Gibson from Wixom Public Library – They have been open since June, but closed again in November. Just reopened last month. Programming is virtual - book clubs and grab and go kits only right now. Circulating hotspots and Chromebooks. Doing printing curbside as well.

Amy Lee from Canton Library – Has been open since September for limited browsing and computer use. Has met with mild resistance from patrons, but otherwise okay. Book clubs and writer's group have been virtual only and are doing well.

Danielle Hansard from Westland – They are partially open for picking up holds and computers and browsing. They recently acquired a new print and time management system. In April, programming will include Jarvis Richardson about shipwreck history. Book bundles are doing well.

Lynn Riehl from Hamburg Township – They have been curbside only. Today, starting partial open. Currently doing a fundraiser called Stay at Home and Read. Storytime with Author Deb Deeson. Historical fiction author in March. Dave Coverlee columnist. DIA and Detroit historical museum program. Cocktail Classes. Adult Craft Kits are doing well.

Allison Sartwell from Rochester Hills Library -- Open for grab and go, no issues so far. Craft kits are doing well. Genealogy club is popular. Doing short little fliers for movies and recipes via email. Doing well.

Cecile from SSLD -- Open for 30 minute grab and go, craft kits are doing well, virtual programming they've started, big valentine's day concert coming up via zoom.

Katie Rothley from Lyon Township Library - They are doing virtual craft class for Valentine's Day with kits that patrons can pick up. Doing painting classes via zoom. Virtual retirement talks. Craft kits are doing well for youth.

Tekedra from Taylor Community Library – Currently open only for curbside but discussing partial reopening plans and opening the computer labs for March. New floors being installed, due

to be done in a couple of weeks. Plans for Summer Reading, doing a Marathon reading project for patrons, also starting Adult Book Club virtually.

Barbara Keresztury from Southgate -- Library is partially open. Doing Winter program bingo sheets. Doing well.

Meeting Adjourned at 11:30am

Minutes submitted by Tekedra Lofton from Taylor Community Library