Leadership & Education Subcommittee  
Thursday, October 8, 10:00am  
Piscataway Public Library: Westergard Branch

Welcome
- In attendance: Erica Solomon ( Chair), Karen Klapperstuck, Melissa Nemitz, Maureen Carroll (by phone)

Planning CE
- Karen will speak with Maureen Sullivan about presenting at our CE workshop. Possible topics:
  - Aspen Institute:
  - Creativity in Leadership
- Discussed having an “Early Bird” registration where only Emerging Leader graduates can register and then opening up registration to any individual that has completed a leadership program in NJ.
- Once we have a confirmed speaker and topic, we will revisit the title and date

CDF
- Video sign ups - [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mm8XsmvC_hOwRdqKMLb969avS832n86khKs9hBZVZ2E/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mm8XsmvC_hOwRdqKMLb969avS832n86khKs9hBZVZ2E/edit?usp=sharing)
  - Length of video: 5-10 minutes
  - Deadlines: 11/16 for writing outline, 12/1 for creating the PowerPoint and script, and 12/15 for completed video with voiceover work
- Karen used PowerPoint to do the voiceover, which allowed her to do the voice for each individual slide.

Conference Proposals
- EL/Leadership social gathering? - Erica emailed Steve Hrubes to see if we can collaborate with Member Services on a social gathering. We will invite and advertise to all past Emerging Leaders.
- We will co-sponsor 2 programs:
  - **Reference Section** - The topic is the ideal library school curriculum. This program would give presenters the opportunity to come up with real classes that they wish were offered or that they had taken in library school. I have assembled a great group of speakers and moderator.
Speakers: Amy Blumenfeld (Paterson), Brett Bonfield (Haddonfield), Amelia Rodriguez (Twin Rivers, Mercer County)

- **History & Preservation Section** - (working title) "Attracting young people to archives and special collections". H&P Section offered this program last year and it was very successful with different speakers to offer a variety of perspectives. Speakers: So far, Sara Minegar from the Morristown National Historical Park has agreed to speak. The plan is to have 2 speakers for this 50 minute program.

  - Melissa proposed “Leadership for Introverts”
    - We are all thinking of possible presenters for this program
  - Karen will work on our panel for CDF - Tips and Techniques for Career Assistance Work in Libraries.
    - The plan: Karen will provide an overview (resources, what to avoid) and we will try to secure 2 presenters to talk about real life experience.
    - We will ask Professional Development and PAC to co-sponsor.

**Website Update**

- [http://njlamembers.org/leadershipeducation](http://njlamembers.org/leadershipeducation) - Please let me know if you have any additional suggestions.

**Other topics**

- Emerging Leaders survey - The survey is ready to go. We will add a section for “General Comments.” Erica and Karen will work on finding out the best way to send it out. Erica has emailed Melissa from the NJLA office asking about SurveyMonkey.

**Next meeting:** Friday, November 13, 10:00am, Location TBA