NJLA Leadership and Education Subcommittee

Meeting at Monroe Township Library

Thursday, July 26, 2018 @ 10:00 AM

Members in attendance: Erica Krivopal, Karen Klapperstuck, Marissa Lieberman, Dina Meky, Melissa Nemitz, Susanne Sacchetti and Joan Serpico

Project Updates

Committee Internship Program

- 10 applications so far
- Deadline is July 31, 2018
- Intern Orientation will be in September.
- Second wave of applications 9/1-9/31

Emerging Leaders (October 2018 – March 2019)

- Promotion: Application invitation information has been posted on NJLA site, NJLA Updates, and several NJLA listservs. An email was sent to NJ library directors and a posting request was sent to LibraryLinkNJ and NJLibraries. If application rates are slow, a message can be sent to former Emerging Leaders and library school listservs in the coming weeks. Deadline for application is 8/29. We have three completed applications.
- Sessions
  - October 11 @ Monroe Township Library
    - Theme: Explore leadership styles and What is Leadership?
    - Susanne Sacchetti volunteered to cover “What is Leadership?” sharing her leadership story. Karen will send Susanne slides from past presentations.
    - Karen suggested contacting Deborah Blackwell re: leadership style assessment. Joan will contact her.
  - November 1 @ The Parsippany-Troy Hills Main Library
    - Theme: Climbing the Career Ladder
    - Allen McGinley will provide panel discussion, presentation and Career Con.
    - Joan to reach out to Allen to pass on Karen Klapperstuck and Adriana Mamay’s willingness to be on the panel this year.
  - January 10 @ Jackson Branch, Ocean County Library
    - Theme: Library Organizations
    - TBBC, State Library, NJLA (Pat Tumulty), NJLA Leadership (Leah and Tonya)
    - NJLA Committee Tables (visit in groups of 5?)
    - Susan Quinn – leadership story?
  - February 7 @ Cherry Hill Public Library
    - Theme: partnerships?
• Businesses (Andrea Levandowski?), non-profits, government agencies, township, board, schools (Dena Meky?)
• Outreach and partnerships (Laverne Mann?)
• Unconference?
  o March 7 @ Monroe Township Library
    • Theme: Sharing Your Success
    • Joanne Roukins will give program on Effective Presentations and Panel Participation – 2 hours
    • Joan will contact Cara Berg about a 15 minute presentation on creating an effective poster and how to get a proposal accepted at the national level.
    • Idea: contact other poster presenters to display theirs during lunch?
    • Invite MentorNJ for presentation about the group and wrap-up event.
• Joan will continue contacting speakers. Updates will be sent via email.

Conference - May 29-31 – Harrah’s Resort, Atlantic City

• Karen suggested a program based on the The Happiness Advantage by Shawn Achor. She will look into it.

Next meeting in August – Doodle Poll to come.