

Chair's Report – Oct 19th

Since the last LMC meeting, the Executive have attended the following events:

Meetings attended by LMC Executive

- TRAC Advisory Meeting - May 27th
- NLLS Executive and Board Meeting – June 11th
- Indigenous Focus Group Meeting @ NLLS – June 23rd
- Library Association of Alberta Director's Meeting - June 27th
- Pacific Northwest Library Association 2016 Conference in Calgary - August 3-5th
- Alberta Public Library Administrators Council Meeting in Banff - August 19th
- NLLS Conference – September 16th
- NLLS Executive and Board Meeting – September 17th
- NLLS Executive Meeting – October 3rd
- Library Association of Alberta Director's Meeting in Calgary – October 7th

Your Executive will be attending the NLLS Board/Executive Meeting on Saturday, November 9th and the NLLS Board/Staff PD Day on Saturday, November 19th

Information of interest:

- A big thank you to the NLLS Staff for taking the initiative and attending various Pow Wow and Treaty Day events this past summer. We are happy to see the barriers to providing services to indigenous peoples removed and their commitment to exploring service options for these communities.
- The vacant LMC Executive position will be filled during our February elections.
- Maureen is now the LAA representative on the PNLA (Pacific Northwest Library Association).
- The ALC (Alberta Library Conference) will be hosted in Jasper Alberta from April 27-30th. The theme is Libraries: More Than Ever! Special keynote speakers are already booked for this event.

LMAC Executive

- Maureen Penn, Chair (Lac La Biche County Libraries)
- Jodi Dahlgren, 1st Vice Chair (Wainwright Public Library)
- Vacant, 2nd Vice Chair
- Stuart Pauls, Secretary (Vermilion Public Library)

I look forward to seeing everyone at this special LMC Meeting/training session. Thank you!

Report submitted by Maureen Penn