

## Chair's Report – May 17<sup>th</sup>

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### Meetings attended by LMC Executive

- LAA Board Meeting – March 13<sup>th</sup>
- PNLA Board Meeting – March 21<sup>st</sup>
- LAA Board Meeting – April 10<sup>th</sup>
- ALC 2017 (Jasper) – April 27-30<sup>th</sup>
- NLLS Executive and Board Meeting – May 13<sup>th</sup>

### Upcoming Meetings & Conferences

- TRAC Advisory Meeting – May 26<sup>th</sup>
- Blue Quills Cultural Camp – May 29-June 2<sup>nd</sup>
- LAA Meeting – June 9<sup>th</sup>
- 2017 PNLA Conference (Post Falls ID) - August 2-4<sup>th</sup>
- NLLS Executive Meeting - August 14<sup>th</sup>
- NLLS Executive & Board Meeting – September 9<sup>th</sup>

### General Updates

The LAA announced the formation of the **United Voice for Alberta Libraries Working Group** at the 2017 ALC. This Working Group will work together to explore the vision of creating one strong, united library association that will be an effective, unified voice for the whole Alberta library community. The new and united Alberta library association would unify several existing Alberta library organizations under one umbrella association.

Members of the Working Group include:

- Alberta Association of Academic Libraries (AAAL) - Dan Mirau
- Alberta Association of Library Technicians (AALT) - Theresa Remtulla
- Alberta School Learning Commons Council (ALSC) - Karen Belter
- Alberta Library Trustees Association (ALTA) - Laura Ross-Giroux
- Alberta Public Library Administrators Council (APLAC) - Allison Stewart
- Library Association of Alberta (LAA) - Maureen Penn

### Upcoming Library Manager's Council Meetings:

Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 (Morning of NLLS pre-conference)

### LMAC Executive

- Maureen Penn, Chair (Lac La Biche County Libraries)
- Jodi Dahlgren, 1st Vice Chair (Wainwright Public Library)
- Amber Fehr, 2nd Vice Chair (Three Cities Public Library)
- Isabelle Cramp, Secretary (Morinville Public Library)

*Report submitted by Maureen Penn*