

School Library System
Western Suffolk BOCES
Council Meeting
May 12th, 2016

Council Members: Elizabeth Aitken, Dr. Bea Baaden, Carolyn Burton, Carol Byrne, Jane Herbst, Dawn Koziarz, Linda Lennon, Min Liu, Dr. Vincent Livoti, Dr. Cathy Masrour, Tina Mottl, Dr. Alice Robinson

Dr. Tom DeNicola, Division of Instructional Support Services WSBOCES (Consultant)
Sara Kardaz, WSBOCES School Library System Coordinator

Absent: Jane Herbst, Dr. Vincent Livoti, Dr. Tom DeNicola

- x The minutes from February 24th were approved with a motion

five years!

- x Sara discussed the e-mail she sent on guidelines on running a meeting. General discussion followed and it was felt this is not an issue that needs to be addressed.
- x We discussed members with expiring terms: Carolyn and Bea wish to remain on the council. On a motion by Carol, seconded by Tina, so

C.W. ~~3 R V W s t P~~ (PhD. student) who will speak on the importance of research in the field and librarians helping by completing surveys.

- x The last two Professional Circles were: March 10th ± : discussion about lesson plans, activities, projects, etc. connecting students to people outside their school ± facilitator was Lisa Lindeman. May 10th - discussion about library displays and Pinterest - facilitators were Carolyn Burton and Kim Bronzino. Both Circles were well

- o 2016 LILRC Annual Membership Meeting, Tuesday, June 21st, Farmingdale Public Library, 9:30-12:30 ² Keynote speaker, David Vinjamuri, President and Founder of ThirdWay Brand Trainers: Social Media for Library Marketing & Branding ² how to use social media to empower your library and effectively use a limited budget to promote events.
 - o May 20th, tour of Longwood Public / LEUD News ² expanded 45,000 sq. feet ² 9:30am, free
 - o NYLA ² LILRC reception November 24th, Saratoga, open bar/food
 - o Min recently attended the yearly Streaming Media Conference at the midtown Hilton. This is a free, yearly conference and chock full of information ² virtual reality technology that can stream to You Tube.
- x Dawn mentioned noticing the **μ5 HD**