ALA @ UBC Student Chapter Meeting

February 4, 2014 Trail Room, 1:00pm

Attendees: Anna Ferri, Carolyn Heine, Matthew Murray, Mark Christensen, Hedda Monaghan, Chelsea Shriver, Matthew Root, Sadie Tucker, Lauren Washok, Krista Paham, and Rebecca Lahr

Agenda:

- 1. Seattle Recap
 - a. Purpose of the trip: to forge ties with the University of Washington ALA Student Chapter. They are the closest viable student chapter
 - b. Trip went well.
 - c. Tours: included the Law Library, Odegaard (undergrad) Library, Suzzallo Library, Allen Library, and Seattle Public Library
 - i. tours conducted by student workers
 - d. Resulted in several invitations to present/attend conferences, including the iYouth Conference in early February and the Washington Library Association Conference.
 - e. Matthew M. is publishing weekly blog posts about the trip
 - f. Need to coordinate for a possible reciprocal trip
 - i. Mid-late April
 - ii. Volunteers needed to host students and plan tours and a pub night
- Freedom to Read Week
 - a. BCLA/CLA has spearheaded the event
 - They will send a google doc around so people can sign up for reading times and/or proctoring times
 - 1. Update: Chelsea will send Kaja (our liaison) last year's google doc as a template
 - ii. Posters will be created by the end of the week
 - iii. Bookmarks will be distributed
- 3. Publishing Panel
 - a. Doodle Poll: Students want to focus on Academic Libraries (how do libraries and publishers interact?)
 - b. Chelsea is in contact with Morgan G. to secure panelists
 - c. Each panelist: 5-10 min. introduction about themselves and what they do
 - d. Open Q+A at the end
 - e. Possible Google Doc for students to submit Q's?
 - f. March 25th: tentative date
 - i. Carolyn will attempt to book the Dodson or Lilloet Room from 12:00-2:00

4. T-shirt Design Contest

- a. Members are interested in doing something besides t-shirts
- b. Suggestions include buttons, patches, stickers, mugs, and tote bags
- c. Chelsea will create and distribute a doodle poll to decide what type of paraphernalia will be used

5. Next Meeting?

- a. LASSA has asked us if we can move our meeting so we are not in conflict with their event
- b. Wednesday, March 5th @ 12:00pm (Sadie will book the room)