

ALA Meeting

Date: October 25th, 2017

Time: 12:00pm

Place: SLAIS Lounge

Members Present: Claire Williams, Kellen Malek, Lara Maestro

Last Meeting: September 21st, 2017

Minutes Approved: Yes

YAACSALA Scavenger Hunt

- Google Docs with YAACS for scavenger hunt planning
- Must make clues for Scavenger Hunt (3-5 per library, 5-7 for Education Library)
- Will contribute money for prizes
- Will have another meeting with YAACS to plan

Scholarships

- Will send out details with newsletter

Staff Advisor

- Check in with Lucas to see if he has talked to Richard Arias-Hernandez to take over staff advisor position from Aaron

Trip to University of Washington ALA

- December sometime
- Rent a car

ALA Socials

- ALA Retreat? (Perhaps to Bowen?) - perhaps for Reading Week
- Stress-busting colouring event
- February - University of Western Washington - Children's Literature Conference
- Storytelling Night (with YAACS?)
 - Rent a legion

Interesting links to send out with Newsletter

- ALA Midwinter (Denver) - <http://2018.alamidwinter.org/>
 - <http://www.ala.org/news/member-news/2017/10/tackling-societal-challenges-view-two-generations-conversation-patrisse-cullors>
- ALA Annual (New Orleans) - <http://www.ala.org/conferencesevents/ala-upcoming-annual-conferences-midwinter-meetings>
- <http://www.ala.org/news/press-releases/2017/10/tackling-fake-news-american-libraries-live-webcast>
- <http://publiclibrariesonline.org/2017/10/a-day-in-the-life-of-a-prison-librarian/>
- <https://today.yougov.com/news/2017/10/23/politics-play-when-banning-books/>
- <https://bookriot.com/2017/10/24/sexual-harassment-library/>

Goals

- Have two more meetings and one social before end of term

Next Meeting

- November 8th, 12-1pm