



CITY OF OREGON CITY LIBRARY TEEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA

Community Room (1st Floor), Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St, Oregon City
Sunday, April 14, 2024 at 2:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- [1.](#) March Meeting Minutes

TEEN LIBRARIAN REPORT

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DISCUSSION ITEMS

- [3.](#) Summer Reading Classics Book Selection
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- [5.](#) Summer Reading Challenges & Prizes
- [6.](#) Youth Mental Health Campaign Poster/Sticker Survey

COMMUNICATIONS

ADJOURNMENT

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LIBRARY TEEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

Community Room, Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St, Oregon City
Meeting
Sunday, March 17 at 2:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Cara Stasiewicz called the meeting to order at 2:03.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Cara Stasiewicz, Elliott Ray, DiAnna Efendi Blanchard, Tad Iltis, Ben Snyder, Lily Hillstrom, Elizabeth Stedman.

Staff Present: Sabrina Tusing, Teen Librarian.

Members Absent: Charlie Coreson and Julia Neilsen

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Tad Iltis made a motion to approve the minutes, DiAnna Blanchard seconded the motion and Cara Stasiewicz, Elliott Ray, Ben Snyder, Lily Hillstrom, Elizabeth Stedman voted in favor.

TEEN LIBRARIAN REPORT

- Addie Verdon has decided to step away from her role in TAC effective February 15.
- Upcoming Library and City events:
 - Game Lounge, Tuesday, March 26 from 3:30-5:30PM
 - May the Fourth, Saturday, May 4 from 4-6pm
 - Juneteenth Celebration held Saturday, June 15.
- Reminded Decoration Committee that we still need an April decoration/book display theme, provided possible suggestions:
 - Middle Eastern and North African (MENA)
 - Poetry

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Per "Discussion Items" on the Agenda Packet

1. Summer Reading Prize Books
 - a. Approval of book selections. Sabrina will send out a form to vote for the Classic selection.

2. Vertical Garden Update
 - a. Viewed the Wallygrow planter sample. Group agreed it was a good choice because of its versatility. The ability to keep wall mount on wall but move the planter off to water and move plants around if needed. TAC agreed the stone color is the best one to go with.
3. Lounge furniture upholstery
 - a. Provided swatches of upholstery for the MyWay Lounge Furniture. Group used rank voting with the following results:
 - i. First choice for high arm chair was solid "Char"
 - ii. First choice for L/R high arm chair was contrasting upholstery
 1. "Char" arms
 2. "Hint" body
 - b. Will be working with Library Director & Operations Manager on purchasing of furniture.
 - c. TAC requested a budget excel sheet and timeline to keep track of spending and to help stay on target.

COMMUNICATIONS

- Sabrina met with The Friends of the Library to request for funding to help start "The Stacks" newsletter online. During the meeting Sabrina read a statement written by TAC Member Julia Neilsen regarding the importance and impact of moving to an online platform. Request was approved for \$300.00 to obtain domain name and hosting costs.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Summer reading challenge

Book prize basket

ADJOURNMENT

Cara Stasiewicz adjourned the meeting at 3:30 PM



Teen Librarian's Report April 2024

1. Upcoming Dates-Volunteer Opportunities

- a. May the Fourth – Saturday, May 4 from 4-6pm, looking for volunteers. Who is interested?
- b. Ukrainian Spring Celebration – Saturday, May 11 @ Gardiner Middle School 12:00-3:00. If you're interested in volunteering, let me know and I'll get you connected with Heidi!
- c. Juneteenth Celebration – Saturday, June 15, from 2-5pm, volunteer form has been sent-we will be helping with the sidewalk chalk art station.
- d. National Night Out – Tuesday, August 6 from 5pm-7pm.

2. Lounge Chair Order Update

3. Summer Reading In-Person Teen Programs

- a. Stained Glass with SoulFlags (Friday, June 14 3:30-4:30; 4:30-5:30)
- b. June 27- Friendship Bracelet Making (Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30)
- c. July 10- Coiled Newspaper Coasters (Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30)
- d. July 24 – Tentative program plans in progress (Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30)
- e. July 31 – Carnivorous Plants or Harry Potter Party or Combo (Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30)
- f. August 14 – Tie Dye(Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30)

4. Creative Kits

- a. May: Pressed Flower Bookmarks
- b. June: Friendship Bracelets
- c. July: Tarot Card Pendant Necklaces and Keychains



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Staff Report

625 Center Street
Oregon City, OR 97045
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To: Library Teen Advisory Committee
From: Sabrina Tusing, Teen Librarian

Agenda Date: 04/14/2024

SUBJECT:

Summer Reading Classics Book Selection

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Cara will share the results of the classic book voting.

BACKGROUND:

Each summer we offer prize books when teens sign up for Summer Reading, among the book selection is at least one classic. We took the decision to a vote.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A



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SUBJECT:

TAC & Youth Advisory Commission Gathering

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

TAC will provide feedback to see if Sunday, June 9 is a good day to meet with the Youth Advisory Commission.

BACKGROUND:

The Youth Advisory Commission (YAC) was created to provide local students a voice in their municipal government, build an understanding of governance and leadership and to provide opportunities to engage and serve the community. This meeting will be a chance for two youth councils to get together and share their accomplishments and goals.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

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FY(s): N/A

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Summer Reading Challenges & Prizes

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

We will brainstorm the 2024 Summer Reading Challenges and prize options.

BACKGROUND:

OCPL participates in a Summer Reading program each year, this year's theme is "Read, Renew, Repeat". Typically, teens participate in a bingo card challenge via Beanstack with print options available, each square is a different genre/challenge that they must complete to qualify for prizes.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

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Youth Mental Health Campaign Poster/Sticker Campaign Survey

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Youth Mental Health Campaign and would like your feedback! The campaign was created by student leaders at OCSLA and Oregon City Together is seeking other youth leadership input. We will take 15 minutes so TAC can fill out their survey.

BACKGROUND:

Oregon City Together works to prevent youth substance use and abuse in Oregon City and has reached out to the Youth Advisory Commission for input. This information was also passed along to get more information from TAC.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A