



CITY OF OREGON CITY

LIBRARY TEEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

Community Room (1st Floor), Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St, Oregon City
Sunday, February 18, 2024 at 2:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

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MINUTES

Community Room, Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St, Oregon City
Meeting
Sunday, January 21, 2024 at 2:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

Cara Stasiewicz called the meeting to order at 2:08 PM.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: DiAnna Efendi Blanchard, Cara Stasiewicz, Elliott Ray, Granton (Tad) Iltis, Julia Neilsen, and Ben Snyder, Elizabeth Stedman, and Lily Hillstrom

Staff Present: Sabrina Tusing, Teen Librarian

Members Absent: Adalie Verdon, Holly (Eli) Coreson

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Minutes were not approved from November & December 2024 meeting. Elliott Ray made a motion to approve the minutes, DiAnna Efendi Blanchard seconded the motion and Cara Stasiewicz, Tad Illits, Julia Neilsen, Ben Snyder, Elizabeth Stedman and Lily Hillstrom voted in favor.

TEEN LIBRARIAN REPORT

1. January Updates
 - a. Help creating February Creative Kits and Decorations at the next Workday
 - b. Lunar New Year Celebration Reminder
 - c. Planning has started for May the Fourth
 - d. Juneteenth Citywide celebration taking place at the library
 - e. Manga Group has postponed planning due to scheduling conflicts but will pick back up hopefully this summer
 - f. TAC will be voting on the Teen Summer Reading Art Contest

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Per "Discussion Items" on the Agenda Packet

1. Spring Break Activities
 - a. Game Night, video games or board games.
 - i. Possibly create a survey to see what the community would like.
2. Summer Reading Program
 - a. Still interested in having 9-12 graders do the Teen Book Subscription Boxes
 - b. Possible recycling themed arts and crafts programming
 - c. Movie Night
 - d. Friendship bracelets
3. Teen Room Refresh
 - a. Biophilic Library Design
 - b. Concern over bright sunlight especially near the computers
 - c. Presented MyWay Lounge Seats and Jubilee Seating from KI Designs
 - i. Group unanimously voted in favor of MyWay Lounge seats
 - d. Shared new designs for possible hanging divider between DVD's and Teen area.
 - e. Will be reaching out to local community member regarding vertical garden/plant wall.

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Lily Hillstrom will be attending YTAC next Saturday for their quarterly meeting
2. Request was made for anyone who wants to contribute to the Newsletter by way of artwork or writings
3. We are currently waiting for word from City IT on WordPress progress updates.

ADJOURNMENT

Cara Stasiewicz adjourned the meeting at 3:34 PM.



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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: 02/18/2024

SUBJECT:

TAC Liaison-Lisa Oreskovich Introduction

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Lisa Oreskovich has taken over the roles and responsibilities as our TAC/Library Board Liaison.

BACKGROUND:

Heidi Blackwell was our first Board Member/TAC Liaison and has stepped out of that role which was established in 2022.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A



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Agenda Date: 02/18/2024

SUBJECT:

Teen Game Night

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

TAC will need to decide if the Spring Break Teen Game Night should be board games, video games or both.

BACKGROUND:

TAC expressed interest in hosting a game night during Spring Break 2024. Tuesday, March 26 was identified as the best possible date by Sabrina, due to other events happening that week.

OPTIONS:

1. Board Games
2. Video (Switch) Games
3. Both

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A



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SUBJECT:

Teen Project Prioritization

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Start getting into finer details of each element of the Teen Refresh Project, TAC will need to identify and agree to a priority list. This will help manage the project, the budget, and will help identify high and low priorities.

BACKGROUND:

The last several months we have talked about themes, looked at furniture, and talked generally about possible projects that we'd like to see happen in the teen room.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A



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SUBJECT:

Vertical Garden Update

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Sabrina has spoken to several community members, library staff and city staff about installing a Vertical Garden/Plant Wall in the Teen Area. Sabrina will be sharing that feedback and possible options for the wall.

BACKGROUND:

One of the main brainstorming and theme components to the Teen Room Refresh project was the interest in having live plants in the space.

OPTIONS:

1. N/A

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: N/A

FY(s): N/A

Funding Source(s): N/A



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From: Teen Librarian Sabrina Tusing

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SUBJECT:

Future Agenda Items

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

n/a – Informational only

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

TAC will review the current list of anticipated future agenda items.

BACKGROUND:

The following items from the “Future Agenda Items” list will be discussed at the 3/17/24 Regular Meeting:

- Summer Reading Program-Reading Challenge
- Summer Reading Program- Prize Options

OPTIONS:

1. n/a – Informational only

BUDGET IMPACT:

Amount: n/a

FY(s): n/a

Funding Source(s): n/a