

Erie 1 BOCES School Library System Meeting  
Council & Communication Coordinators Minutes  
February 11, 2014

## Attendees

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Laura Penn, Nancy Lucow, Heather Dimenco, Catherine McMasters, Julia Taggert, Colleen Goodwin, Dawn Piette, Ann Marshall, Tonya Bulas, Stephanie Pritchard, Megan Moelbert, Nancy O'Donnell, Sue Palumbo, Mary Jane Gangloff, Joanne Schoenle, Heidi Mussachio, Lydia Wrobel, Michelle weber, Lyn Binszkiewicz, Marie Clark, Joyce Pontrello, Sharon Moore, Judy Slawinski, Leslie Occhiuto, Aga Chen

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### Absent

Rachel Brew, Jane Kershenski Nancy Mueller, Kathy Goodrich, Beth Stencil, Christine Stockslader, Pam Weinrieb, Angela Lukas, Cheryl Greene, Barb Heine, Antoinette Shriver, Steven Koniarczyk, Kristie Filonczuk, Gary Schulenburg, Denise Cronyn

## Agenda

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### Welcome-Alicia Thompson

**Professional Development Opportunities:** Alicia Thompson asked members to share out one material or tool they are using to implement the Common Core

- Google doc was created for all to share out the tool and
- handout of article Inquiry & Research, Common Core Style
- Reminder of the free webinar the Music is in You to promote and connect the arts into the library curriculum
- Reminder that Summer Reading Lists collaboration should be starting and final lists be sent to Erie 1 and the BECPL

### Online Resources :

- The online resources available for 2014-15 were reviewed. Noted that it is a tentative draft just to give some general idea of pricing.
- Discussed the participation process and the ordering of of the material for 2014-15
- Mike Shotz from Overdrive presented on how the subscription service can be beneficial for



accessibility to common core needs, for different devices.

### **Union Catalog Library Automation** Alicia Thompson Informed all that

- Erie 1 SLS have been approached by several districts who are interested in OPALS as a third library automation service.
- Alicia Thompson will contact the districts that expressed interest and send out to all if they would like the OPALS vendor to present a demo of the product.
- Erie 1 Union catalog titles were successfully imported into the OPALS Union Catalog.
- Suggested that the Fill email for a request be sent daily until the requestee has acknowledged the ILL request.
- Ann Marshall requested a want list listserv Sharron Moore agreed. Erie 1 will contact the vendor to request a subject search and work to get a listserv for the request.

### **Conference & Workshops**

- SSL Annual Conference , April 22-26,2014
- ALA Annual Conference , June 26 12014 in Las Vegas,
- Megan Moelbert shared out that Hamburg CSD hosted a Family fun Night

### **NYSED**

- No new guidelines for APPR
- No news regarding the "Regents Research Paper"being accepted by the Board of Regents
- The Summer Read theme : Fizz! Boom! Read!

### **Around The Table**

- Possible staff opening at Amherst due to retirement
- Possible temp. staff opening at Ken-Ton due to maternity leave
- Possible short temp.staff opening at Cleve Hill

## Next Meeting

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Next meeting: Wednesday, May 21, 2014 – at Erie 1 BOCES Education Center



# Adjournment

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**Adjourned the meeting at 2:40.**

