

LAKE FOREST PARK LIBRARY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

JUNE 22, 2016

PRESENT: Maureen Kerschbaum (chair), Rita Requa, Catherine Kernan, Daniel Mullen, Denise Bugallo (KCLS), Kathleen Fernandes (secretary)

ABSENT: Shannon McLeod, Diana McQuay

1. KCLS Manager's Report

- a. Denise shared flyers for the KCLS summer reading programs, including a new one for adults http://kcls.org/browse_program/adult-summer-reading/ as well as programs for children and teens. She noted that the Richmond Beach Library will host a "Reading Party in the Park" on July 27 from 6 to 8 pm. Also, special children's programming will be presented throughout the system, with more information at <http://kcls.org/kids/summer>
- b. The Shoreline Library will participate in the Summer Meals program for the first time. This program draws funding and volunteers from throughout the county to provide nutritious lunches to children (to age 18) when school is not in session. The Library will provide shelf-stable meals as well as literacy programming, Tuesday-Thursday, 11:30 am to 12:30 pm. Denise noted that more information will be posted at the "Shoreline School District Cares" Facebook page.
- c. Denise also shared a document about the Northwest Cluster libraries (Lake Forest Park, Richmond Beach, Shoreline) with an overview of the communities, outreach efforts by the library, and community partnerships. She asked that committee members review the document and let her know about any additional information that should be included. Rita suggested that LAC members consider speaking about library programs and partnerships at Lake Forest Park City Council meetings.

2. Farmer's Market

- a. Maureen reviewed staffing of the READS table at the Lake Forest Park Farmer's Market on Sunday, June 26, 2016.

3. READS 2017

- a. Committee members will begin reading possible choices for next year's READS program now to avoid a rush in January and February. Among the titles we will look at are:
 - i. *Black River* by S. M. Hulse
 - ii. *Eruption: the untold story of Mount St. Helens* by Steve Olson
 - iii. *Collecting the Dead* by Spencer Kope
 - iv. *The Wind is not a River* by Brian Payton
 - v. *Under the Stars: how America fell in love with camping* by Dan White
 - vi. *Marrow Island* by Alexis Smith
 - vii. *Before the Wind* by Jim Lynch

- viii. *Hunger Makes me a Modern Girl* by Carrie Brownstein
- ix. *This is Your Life, Harriet Chance* by Jonathan Evison
- b. We will add notification of Amy Whittenberg (Third Place Commons) and the manager of the Farmer's Market to the checklist for next year's program.

NEXT MEETINGS: SEPTEMBER 21, 2016, at 7 PM (CHANGED FROM SEPTEMBER 28) and **DECEMBER 7, 2016**, at 7 PM