

TIF MEETING December 4, 2014 and Holiday Party

Get into the Cloud Program will be discussed at SCLS December 16 at 10am  
-will be discussion of the cloud and moving the cloud and collaborative work in Office 365

Discussion of Sierra implementation and social media. There has to be some modification if libraries use Alpha 2 links with social media (Like Pinterest, Facebook and twitter)

Alpha 2 is going away and there is a question about when those links will die with Sierra implementation

Blogs may be impacted as well (Wordpress etc) Steve Ingram is going to create a "Sierra Survivor" instruction sheet.

There is an issue with Innovative calendaring programs. The port 2081 that they port to does not exist anymore

There may be a new calendar released at some point but the existing calendar needs to be cleared up

There was extensive discussion of 3d Scanning to then print and scanning on a turntable with a printer or using a hand held scanner that does not limit size

There were 2 video presentations on the hand held Structure Scanning tool that clamps to the ipad

FOOD BREAK

Thanks you to Connetquot Library for hosting

We discussed scheduling for the new year with Sachem being in February

LI Library conference will have at least 1 technology slot

NYLA wants TIF at the next conference

Ellen Druda is doing a new project with iBeacon  
it works on bluetooth like RFID

It is a way to send bluetooth messages directly to peoples smartphone or tablet

HHHL is starting with 3 and if successful, they will expand the project

Patron has to have an app and bluetooth capability

range is 100 feet or so

Going to work through Sierra API and the patron needs to enable and authorize so the customized messages can be pushed to their devices

The price is \$100 per 3 units

They run on batteries

There may be limitations with wifi and structural penetration

The company that manufactures this product is Estimote

It is a considered a "nearable"

Patrons will register the app with their library card information

Bob asked members to please join SCLA and check off CATS as a member so we can keep the meetings free and open

Another meeting with the Nassau people is important as are other important topics