

Approved Meeting minutes

Date: October 12, 2022

Time: 10 a.m.

Location: SCLS Blue Room (in-person) & Zoom

Attendees: Anthony Giansante, Mary O'Grady, Michael Bartolomeo, Chris DeCristofaro, Alison Mirabella, Stephen Burg, Debbie Antolini, Nicole Parisi Eberle, Danielle Bliss, Sally Stieglitz (LILRC)

Non-Attendees: Chris Sarubbi, Julia Sukhu, Sara Fade, Roseann Mammina

Call To Order: 10:04 a.m.

Approval of September minutes:

• Corrections: None

Approved by:

Nicole Parisi Eberle

Stephen Burg

Treasurer's Report:

- Anthony reported: \$315.38 spent on refreshments for Women & Technology in Libraries Program.
- CATS balance is \$634.62

President's Report:

Anthony reported.

- SCLA bylaws & handbook approved and will be distributed at the SCLA dinner. Anthony will
 forward PDF of materials to CATS executive board members.
- SCLA Annual Dinner: October 20th, 6-10 p.m. at the West Sayville Country Club, upcoming CATS board members will be announced.
- SCLA will begin accepting dues again in January. Discussion regarding availability of institutional memberships.

Archives: Send documents for archives to sclacatsarchive@gmail.com.

Technology Information Forum (TIF):

- Alison reported. September 8, 2:30 p.m. meeting via zoom had 46 attendees. Joint meeting Nassau/Suffolk.
- Next meeting: October 13, 10 a.m. via zoom.

Topics: Princh demo; ransomware/security updates; Ultimaker & Makerbot's metal printing add-on; faxing/wireless printing solutions; Chromebook lending; tech on-on-ones

Hospitality:

• Debbie reported. \$7 receipt for meeting refreshments.

Membership:

No change.

Newsletter:

• Alison reported. Fall/Winter edition, draft will be available by next meeting.

Publicity:

No update.

Programs:

- Maker Faire, hosted by CATS, CLASC & YASD, November 9, 10-11:30, Middle Country Public Library, open to all librarians, focus is on teen/tween patrons.
- CATS speaker for annual meeting: James Hutter of Port Washington Public Library, Tim Spindler
 of LILRC, or Kristina Holzweiss of Syosset School District. Anthony will reach out to them.
 Motion made to approve \$200 speaker fee for annual meeting:
 - Approved by Nicole Parisi Eberle
 - Seconded by Danielle Bliss

Motion made to approve \$300 for annual meeting refreshments:

- Approved by Debbie Antolini
- Seconded by Stephen Burg

Web Site:

• Stephen reported. Coding the Cosmos program flyer posted.

Old Business:

- Women & Technology in Libraries Panel, September 22, 65 registrants, 41 attended.
 Possible program series (4 installments) for next year.
- Coding the Cosmos with NASA's Dr. Kimberly Arcand, October 5th, 53 registered, 29 attended.

New Business:

- CATS basket for SCLA Dinner: Anthony & Chris will create hot toddy basket.
 - Nicole will create & contribute CATS mugs.
 - Other basket contributions can be sent to Anthony.
- CATS Facebook page. Mary will delete Stephen Ingram and reach out to Anthony, Chris S., Stephen, Alison & Julia to allow manager access. Chris D. currently has manager access.
- CATS Constitution: reviewed updates to constitution and suggested a few modifications. Newly updated constitution will become effective January 1, 2023.

Next Meeting:

- Motion made to move November 2nd meeting to November 16th due to NYLA conference:
 - Approved by Chris DeCristofaro
 - Seconded by Mary O'Grady

Adjournment: 11:23 a.m.

- o Approved by Stephen Burg
- o Seconded by Nicole Parisi Eberle

Respectfully submitted,
Mary O'Grady, Recording Secretary