ULA Reference and Adult Services Round Table Meeting

Thursday, July 30, 2015 West Jordan Library Conference Room

Attending

Jason Cornelius (Logan), John Spears (SLCPL), Anita Albright (SLCC), Maggie Mills (SL County), Holly Whistler (SL County), Christian Weaver (Provo), Dan Berube (SL County)

New Officers

The following are the officers for 2015-2016. The Chair and Vice-Chair were approved on the ULA annual ballot.

Chair: Jason Cornelius Vice-Chair: Dan Berube

We are looking for volunteers for the secretary and member-at-large positions for the current term. There was a discussion about possible duties for members-at-large. These could include: attending round table meetings, attending ULA events, and helping with projects. Jason mentioned the possibility of starting a Facebook page or working with social media.

ULA Conference Discussion

2015 ULA Conference

• Jason talked about the success of the programs sponsored by RASRT and the good turnout for the social we hosted at the Saint George Library.

2016 ULA Conference

- The conference will be held in Layton. We would like to host another social, probably on the pre-conference night. John will talk to Chris Sanford, the Davis County Library Director, about holding the social at the Layton Library.
- Jason encouraged everyone to think about possible conference programs, topics, and potential presenters.

Backspace

John discussed a ULA workshop called Backspace that is being planned for early 2016.
Backspace will focus on failures that lead to success and is tentatively scheduled for February 15-16 at the Salt Lake City Main Library. Maureen Sullivan will be a keynote speaker.

Discussion on Best Ways to Fulfill our Mission

Jason brought the RASRT mission description from the ULA policies and procedures manual. We discussed different ideas for revising this document. Jason will work on a rough draft of a new statement/document.

Next Meeting

Thursday, September 24 at 2:00 pm at the West Jordan Library or online (TBD)

Jason is interested in holding a meeting online or remotely. We talked about different options including google hangouts and skype. Jason will contact the State Library to see if they have any technology in place that we could use.