

**LAC Networking Committee Meeting
Minutes - 09/12/16**

Present: Rebekah Randle, Susanne Perkins, Victoria Barbero, Kathryn Sterbenc, April Harper
Absent: Ain Bailey

Members of Public: Mallory Shaw, Linda O'Brien

S. Perkins moved to approve 7/11/16 minutes, April Harper seconded. All approved.

Newsletter

- send out newsletter advertising new calendar and Facebook page, ask your candidates in your district if they will support library funding, the sent out ASAP

Social media:

- New Facebook page for OPL advocates, LAC Facebook page still exists
- new gmail address for advocates as well opladvocates@gmail.com
- New site: saveoaklandlibraries.org: with a link to OPL advocates gmail calendar, tabling events
- Mayor's infrastructure initiative: known as Measure KK

Mixer Plans:

- When is AAMLO available? 12/4 is best date
- Youth Poet laureate to speak?
- Memorial for Rudy and other recently decreased volunteers or library employees
- "Celebrate the commission and our allies"
- reuse some fall decorations, but this time more "holiday" rather than "fall" theme
- Victoria B and April H to organize mixer
- Use brownpapertickets.com for invitations and save the date

New Committee names

- Sustainability/Outreach/Facilities AD HOC
- email to be sent out - commissioners can say which committee you want to be on
- action items for 9/26: Review/discuss committee structure and call for motion, approve strategic plan

Branded Merchandise:

- Table throw with logo for events, "OPL Advocates" "ask us why we <3 OPL" Can be bought at Bookmark Bookstore, Lakeview, Piedmont
- Vinyl sign "keep OPL strong" to be hung above booth, double sided with grommets
- Make a flyer with photo of t-shirt that can be circulated put on branch's message boards, places listed where you can purchase OPL advocates T-shirt