

Partners Meeting October 2nd
Missoula Public Library 4:00 pm

In attendance: Marilyn Trosper, Polson City Library; John Finn, Hearst Free Library; Guna Chabernek, Mineral County Library; Claire Morton and Honore Bray, Missoula Public Library; Sonja Wood, Miles City Public Library; Kim Crowley, Flathead County Library; Gloria Langstaff, Bitterroot Public Library; Steve White, Frenchtown Schools; Jemma Hackbarth and Ken Adams, Montana State Library; Renee McGrath, North Valley Public Library; Anne Rutherford, Miles Community Library
Visitors: Donna Worth, Carly Delsing, Carrie Hearn, Carrie Terrell

Sonia called the meeting to order with Roll call @ 4:00 pm
Visitors include:

Any additions to agenda? No
Approval of minutes – no changes

Unfinished business?

Partner Reports and procedures? Is everyone doing okay with process long overdue? Should they be cumulative? Jemma will run cumulative PLO report every two weeks.

By-laws update Ken: we operate as a subcommittee of the main MSC so we do not need by-laws.

Colored Label Templates for transit slips (Jodi) after chatting with Karl at MLSA, colored labels don't sound like a good idea but a template would be good; label and library to which it was sent.

(Jodi was put on hold at this point, to call in Sarah and Claire could not get her back)
Unresolved change in ILL stats from Partner Holds: why were the numbers lower this year for Partner transits? Sarah McHugh was called in to talk about this and assured us that Mike Price ran the report the exact same way as it always has been run. The theory is that those transactions that happened in the MTSC pilot project were not included in the in-transit statistics.

New Business:

New book labels/indicators (tabled until next meeting)
ILL Legislation—Sonia asked if the ILL reimbursement was repurposed, would it affect the ability of any of the Partners to stay in the partner group.

Next Meeting December 9th, noon. Jodi will take minutes.