

LACONI YSS General Meeting
*Morphing into the Future:
What's New in Technology?*
PLUS
Special Collections
Arlington Heights Memorial Library
Friday, April 21, 2006

President Kristi Howe called the General Membership Meeting to order at 10:05, welcomed everyone, read the LACONI YSS mission statement, thanked the Arlington Heights Memorial Library for hosting the program, and invited participants to become acquainted with the Library during the lunch break.

Board members introduced themselves.

The Secretary's Report was read and approved.

The Treasurer's Report was read and approved, with an ending balance of \$4,562.

Vice President Mary Adamowski announced the September 22, 2006 program: *Author Kate Klise AND a Fall Extravaganza of Books with Anderson's Bookshop* at the Orland Park Public Library.

Lucia Khipple announced the proposed **Slate of Officers and Board Members for 2006/2007**. There was a nomination from the floor by Susan Westgate proposing that Rose Taylor, from LaGrange Public Library, fill a vacancy from the Metropolitan Library System. The proposed slate, with the addition of Rose Taylor, was accepted by a unanimous voice vote.

Kristi Howe presented the proposed **By-Laws**, highlighting several changes. The new **By-Laws** were accepted by a unanimous voice vote.

There was no old business. There was no new business.

Mary Adamowski introduced Brian Smith and Alex Tyle who presented a program on *What's New in Technology*. The afternoon program consisted of multiple *Special Collections* presentations: *Parenting*, by Suzanne Lippencott (Indian Prairie Public Library;) *Foreign—or, World Language Collections*, by Shireen Tyberg (Woodridge Public Library;) and three totally different and interesting *Graphic Novels Collections* presentations by Amanda Blau (Downer's Grove Public Library,) Lisa Korajczyk (Richton Park Public Library,) and Kelley Nichols (Grande Prairie Public Library.)

The general meeting adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

The purpose of LACONI YSS shall be to provide Youth Services Librarians, and other interested persons working with youth, an opportunity to network at three informational workshops per year. Networking will allow the sharing of experiences, discussion of problems, consideration of solutions, and a chance to promote continuing education and cooperation through topics of current interest.