Library Resources and Services Committee Meeting

CLRC via Ready Talk

January 20, 2010 at 1 PM

Present: Beverly Choltco-Devlin, Mid-York; Peg Elliot, OCPL; Sara Hills, CLRC; Nancy Howe, CLRC

Absent: Christine Kucharski, Upstate; Mike Poulin, Colgate; Diana Wendell, OCM BOCES

The meeting was called to order at 1PM.

Catalog and policy webpage:

* The images will be a table of contents – hyperlinks to the different sections of the webpage.
* Peg and Bev liked the groupings.
* Target audience: patrons
  + More access points on the page, the better and easier to use for patrons.
  + Provide roll-over definition of the different types of libraries (i.e. special), and the different libraries (i.e. OCPL, SUNY IT)
* Mid-York Library System wants a link to their member page because the ILL/borrowing policies are different across the system.
* Spell-out the names of the libraries.
* The different hyperlinks need to be in a consistent order: Catalog, Borrowing Policies, and Interlibrary Loan Policies.
* If a library does not have a policy webpage, perhaps link a pdf with the policy spelled out and appropriate contact information for more questions. Where no policy is available, provide contact information for questions.
* The committee will help create marketing materials to promote the new webpage.
* The page needs a counter.
* Send out revised copies of the website as needed.

RBDB:

* RBDB applications have been accepted by the Board.
* CLRC will be charging $50 per FirstSearch authorization beginning in July.
* NewsBank ends in June or July of 2011.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Hills