New Members Round Table Virtual Meeting July 15, 2019

Attendees:

Holly Hampton (Chair)
Autumn Johnson (Vice Chair)
Mary Block (Secretary)

Discussion of Roles in NMRT

- How do you all feel about your role so far? Do you have any questions?
- o Chair: attends executive meetings, oversees NMRT accomplishes all tasks
- Vice chair: can attend executive meetings, steps into other roles when necessary, shadows chair in order to prepare for Chair role next year
- Secretary: keeps minutes, provides/updates documentation
- Programming Coordinator: acts as middleman between NMRT and AEL & CGLC;
 assists with GLC NMRT & IG social event and buddy program

Improving Communication between NMRT and CGLC & AEL

- Ensure minimum requirements are being met
- Receive communication when an event is scheduled
- Receive communication post-event with stats/result
- Autumn agreed to provide CGLC stats/communication and reported that CGLC events are well-attended
- Autumn asked if we can coordinate the call for new leadership between AEL, CGLC, and NMRT
- Include a method during transition of new leadership to pass tips on from past leaders of groups?
- AEL is required to have 4 events/year: 1 informal, 1 formal, 1 library tour, 1 Meet w/Admins (they are on track)

ALA Emerging Leaders

- Intent to Sponsor Form completed by Autumn Johnson
- o Deadline is August 30, 2019

NMRT Newsletter

- Quarterly newsletter was sent out on April 9, 2019
- Next newsletter will be put together by Mary and sent Friday, August 16
- Pull topics from GLA website, GLA Listserv, and CGLC, AEL, & GLA Social Media pages and send to Mary
- o Include small write-up of CGLC/AEL event in newsletter Mary will reach out

• NMRT GLC Scholarship 2019

- Third presentation will be sponsored by NMRT (GLA membership presentation)
- NMRT members will attend sessions at GLC

- Scholarship covers 1 registration 1 group of presenters have asked to split cost.
 Holly in the process of reaching out to see if this will work.
- NMRT will introduce the 3 presentations at GLC to give context/info about NMRT and hopefully inspire new membership
- o Autumn brought up the idea of including a slide at beginning w/ info about NMRT

NMRT & IG Social

- Funding catering
- o IG finds location & NMRT pays for it
- o Thurs, Oct. 10, 7-9 PM at Ocmulgee Brewpub (484 2nd St, Macon, GA 31201)

NMRT GLC Buddy Program

- o Provide meeting space ideas: registration table, NMRT & IG Social
- Make a sign for registration table meeting spot
- Feedback from last year from people who didn't participate: they were unclear on what the program was and did not have enough time during the conference
- Autumn volunteered to take on rethinking the buddy program
- Last year, NMRT discussed using SignUpGenius.com to match mentors and mentees. We agreed to research another option and to match people by career similarities/schools/interests
- Contact past mentors to see if they want to do it this year
- Send call for mentors by 1st week of August

GLA Midwinter brainstorming notes:

- Incorporate it into registration and allow people to join on registration form
- Designate a meet-up spot? Provide signage? Meet at GLA Table?
- Include clear expectations for mentees and mentors
- Define roles better: "An ideal mentor would look like"
- More transparency in how people are matched career trajectories, etc.
- Include a personal aspect question?
- Mentors choosing their own mentees? Getting responses can be difficult
- Fixed choice compatibility quiz send answers to person they're paired with

• GLC Executive Board Meeting - July 19th

- Holly updating report for meeting
- Autumn may take over for Holly during meeting

Action items:

Newsletter will be sent on August 16 - Mary

- Send items/events for Mary to add by August 12-14 All
- Mary will reach out to AEL/CGLC for small write up of events
- Create NMRT slide for GLC presentations Holly?
- Follow up on 3rd presentation (sponsor, no scholarship) & splitting of registration for scholarship presentation - Holly
- Send revamped call for mentors by **August 1** Autumn
- o Reach out to IG to start selecting catering choices for NMRT & IG Social Holly
- o Finish NMRT Report and send in for Executive Board Meeting Holly
- Send out Call for Officers Holly
- o Promote ALA Emerging Leaders Holly