

Library Director's Report

March 2017

Facility

- Items
 - Facilities will be working on offering suggestions for suitable site for sculpture Foundation is donating. Placement of below ground utilities a major consideration. This will be done in spring.
 - Roof Garden - Planters will be extended further out. That will be handled by Facilities. This will be done in spring.
 - Sound Issues - Facilities will coordinate with sound engineer for solutions.
 - Children's Garden - Final plans have been complete. There are some changes to the site plan that will need to be done which may cause the project to back before the Planning Board

Social Media

- Rachel and Kyle have met with Jason twice to discuss how to improve our social media efforts, especially Facebook and Twitter. We have discussed it at a staff meeting and are working to implement many of the strategies.

Budget Update

- Budget presentation to the Town Council Finance Committee went well.
- Depending on future budget hearings, we may be able to post our two vacant positions by early/mid May.

Summer Events

- Update to come at the meeting

Pollinator Gardens

- I am hoping to create some demonstration pollinator gardens behind the library this summer. It will be a community project with programs around the installation and maintenance. I also hope to add some more native plants to the landscaping in our parking lot. The beds will be maintained by volunteers similar to how Fort Williams runs their garden beds.