

INFOhio Users Council

June 16, 2020

Virtual Meeting, recorded Minutes

- **INFOhio Team Updates**

- New Director: **Erica Clay** starting July 1, 2020
 - Vast experience behind the scenes at INFOhio
- New Assistant Director: **Lori Lee**
 - 27 years at Zanesville
 - Ties with OELMA
- Technical Team: **Kamile Shed**
 - Allen Co Auditor's Office
 - Working on End User Support
- Technical Team: **Derek Moore**:
 - From RICO Design
 - Working on web development
- Instructional Team: Sarah Mowery
 - From Gahanna Jefferson Schools
- Central Office: Tanya Dulay
 - First line of contact for UC, ITCs, etc

- **Retirements:**

- Bonnie Blachly, INFOhio Technical Services Specialist
- Gayle Geitgey, INFOhio Instructional Team Manager
- Terri Fredericka, Director, INFOhio

- **Spence White Award**

ITC Director and INFOhio visionary

Award recognizes exemplary service provided to the INFOhio community

- **Judy Benner**-META Solutions, Marion
- **Janah Shumaker**-previously of META, serving INFOhio since 2018
- **Terri Fredericka**-INFOhio Director

- **Difference Maker Award: Terri Fredericka**

- Recognizes public an official who has demonstrated foresight and tenacity in advancing education in Ohio, with emphasis on recognizing the opportunities, and importance, afforded by the implementation of information technology for academic, career, and administrative pursuits.

- **A Special Thank You to Terri Fred**

- **OELMA President Brandi Young**
 - Virtual Town Hall meetings since April
 - Open to OELMA members
 - Next: Weds June 17, 10am
 - 2020 Vision Conference will be virtual
 - Month long, including pre-conference & awards
 - Sessions will be recorded
 - Attendees have access to recordings until next conference
 - Preconf: Sep 28-Oct 3
 - Conference Oct 12-Oct 31
 - Registration July 1
 - Schoology
 - Teaching and Learning team put lessons on how to implement AASL standards in classrooms/libraries, talk with admin, etc
 - Offering book study with Susan Yutzy and Frank Baker for credit
 - Town Halls posted here
- **Technical Team Updates**
 - Catalog platform update (Mike Ridinger)
 - Keeping Cat & Cat Jr for 20-21 school year, just to reduce amount of change during these difficult times
 - Cat Jr Replacement Pilot (Enterprise for Kids)
 - Initial pilot finished April 2020
 - Statewide pilot 20-21 available for anyone wishing to use it
 - Button will be in the bottom corner of the Cat Jr selection box (just as you can access Cat from the ISearch box)
 - Both Enterprise and Cat Jr will remain for this next year
 - ISearch (Mike Ridinger)
 - Possible enhancements for 20-21
 - Customize colors
 - Library logo & name at top right
 - INFOhio Tools moved to bottom right and visible on all pages
 - ISearch for Librarians Class (Janah Shumaker)
 - In BLUECloud Learning Pathway (@ INFOhio Campus)
 - Help teach librarians on how to implement BLUEcloud, working with students and staff
 - Would love feedback on it
 - BLUECloud
 - 197 instances up and running
 - Let your ITC know if you are interested in using it

- There are classes in the BLUEcloud Pathway on circulation and cataloging
 - Last Update changes:
 - Session timeout extended to 60 min (not 27)
 - Patron notes display in Alert Pop-up (Along with fines, etc)
 - Ability to search for Patron by name *by specific library*--helps limit search
 - Don't forget wildcard search SMI\$ finds smith, smiley, smithers, etc
 - MobileCirc changing name to MobileStaff at end of June
 - Bugs fixed
 - Class in BLUEcloud pathway being developed
 - Get login from ITC
- **Instructional Team Updates**
 - Resources for 20-21
 - Many unknowns until the state budget is revealed (end of June?)
 - Hoping to renew current Libraries Connect Ohio and INFOhio resources *that show strong use*
 - Updates posted to list-serv, Twitter and other social media
 - Libraries Connect Ohio: (renewals through 2023 contingent upon LSTA continued funding and state continued funding)
 - EBSCO, Gale,
 - INFOhio Resources: (renewals through 2023 contingent upon state continued funding)
 - Scholastic, Book Nook, Science Online, DVC videos)
 - How long will trial resources be available?
 - Scholastic Flix series, Highlights, World Book
 - Through June 30, 2020
 - If you are interested in these, start with OhioNet to get best prices
 - [Summer Curriculum Building Road Webinars](#) (Mary Rowland)
 - 4 webinars:
 - Establish you team, purpose, process
 - Pick the right platform for you stuff
 - Curate Standards aligned high quality content
 - Curate quality digital texts videos and other digital content for Ss
 - INFOhio Webinars (Emily Rozmus)
 - Blogpost: "Tune in for Bingeworth On-Demand Viewing: Learn with INFOhio Webinars to Prep for Flipped, Blended and Hybrid Learning"
 - Share with staff who may be prepping for fall

- INFOhio ICart Pilot
 - If interested in joining contact rozmus@infohio.org or rowland@infohio.org
 - Curated collection of quality digital content to support a standard, unit, or topic to be taught 20-21
 - Training for your team on using INFOhio's Educator Tools and ISearch to curate materials for other curriculum areas
- **Breakout Groups: Not Recorded**
 - Supporting Hybrid Learning with INFOhio Library Services: Janah Shumaker
 - How to Use INFOhio's Digital Resources to Help Transition to a Digital Curriculum: Mary Rowland
- **Breakout Groups Takeaways** padlets will be posted as pdf in basecamp
 - Using holds to reserve Ss and Ts materials
 - Promoting ebook resources
 - Concern for overwhelming Ts with much info

Updates and Users Council 20-21

- **Kim Hamlin** UC Chair for 20-21 (outgoing Laura Rochte)
- **Vice Chair for 20-21**
 - **Emily Colpi, Mariemount**
- **Library Guidelines Update**
 - Comments are being read by advisory committee members for recommendations to working group
 - Writing group will meet late July or early August
 - Brandi Young, Lori Lee and Laura Rachte all helped on this

Closing:

- **INFOhio Celebration June 25th**
 - Online 30 year tribute <https://2020infohiotribute.eventbrite.com>