

Book 28 Library

Meeting Minutes

Date of Meeting: 30 November 2020

Present: Isadore Auerbach George, Justin South, Darelle, Michael, Vik

Next meeting: 21st December, 6pm GMT

1. **Announcements**

- Not heard anything about the bank account, Isadore/Rebecca should chase
- Rainbow Friends: Lloyd and Isadore been in touch, he is aware money not currently available but will be ringfenced, happy to process and think about workshop meantime
- Outside In been having problems with emails, in current contact about that
- Vik updated website according to first steps
- Justin has a list of books that he could donate

2. **Agenda**

- "currently reading" live talks on socials
- Instagram Story literary quizzes
- library theory
- meatspace volunteering
- NaNoWriMo wrap-up
- Darelle holiday dates
- Re-balancing responsibilities
- LGBTHM

3. **Discussions and Actions Taken**

- Michael talked about Instagram opportunities and what help they need from us
- We discussed the idea of creating a free library theory folder for people to browse (and Michael to use as part of their internship reading)
- Discussed that there was a possibility for volunteering IRL again, and that Isadore will investigate that more and then feedback about concrete possibilities
- Re-balanced how responsibilities were distributed: Justin shifting to one-off events, everyone feeling okay
- Legal, community and health information are main sections we want to develop in Quick Facts
- Talked about LGBTHM and how there is a central website to promote events on, and how it is a big deal in libraries

4. **Actions to do**

- Michael set up document for sign-up for 'currently reading' live talks fortnightly

- Michael to set up quiz template (questions for contribution, monthly quiz session)
- Isadore going to make resource folder for library theory on the drive
- Darelle to DM Isadore about dates for Twitter takeover
- Darelle to chase in a week or so about setting up sistah dictionary talks, Rebecca to help
- Isadore to continue discussions about meatspace volunteering and feedback opportunities
- Justin to pass on Facebook responsibilities to Vik and Darelle, who will split up Facebook responsibilities between themselves
- Rebecca to report back on chasing up leaflet sources
- Michael: investigate / write to GALOP, Stonewall, Terrence Higgins Trust, CliniQ/56T, GIREs, NHS England LGBT Health, TUC (Trade Union Congress) LGBT, enquiring about getting ongoing health information, team PREPster, Teen Vogue articles + flagship information from intersectional organisations like Hidayah, Sarbhat, Keshet
- Everyone: come with ideas for LGBTHM events next time and start asking about being part of programmes
- Isadore: liaise with Rebecca about wrapping up NaNoWriMo: promote what went on and look for feedback

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