

YALS Meeting
Exeter Public Library
01/28/10

Spring Meeting:
[Rochester Public Library](#)
Rochester, NH
April 22, 2010

IN ATTENDANCE:

Alex Estabrook (Merrimack); Amy Friedman (Hills Memorial); Jean Grout (Exeter); Ann Hoey (State); Jenn Hosking (Nashua); Nancy Lang (Dunbarton); Kate Norton (Manchester City); Kathy Watson (Kimball); Gail Zachariah (Keene); Donna Hynes (Rochester); Lisa Houde (Rye), Sally Nelson (Londonderry).

GENERAL

NEWS FROM THE STATE / ANN HOEY:

NHSLMA (formerly NHEMA) Conference in Nashua Thursday May 20th and Friday May 21st. There will be a Flume Presentation by Lisa Houde (Rye) and Sally Nelson (Londonderry).

<http://www.nhema.net/conf2010/conference.htm>

CHILIS Conference is 3/25/10. Register though CHILIS website. Attendees are eligible for \$300 door prize.

<http://www.nhlibrarians.org/chilis/>

Flume Nominations: Submit reviews to Wiki. Every title needs two comments and should be submitted by 3/31/10. 1-2 meetings will be held to pair down nominations to final list. Teens will vote in April.

<http://flumeaward.wikispaces.com/>

NHLA CONFERENCE MAY 2010:

Kathy Watson is YALS representative on programming committee. YALS will have just 6 time slots this year to avoid early morning driving.

For list of programs visit: <http://www.nhlibrarians.org/springconference2010.html>

TREASURER REPORT:

Alex Estabrook, Treasurer reported that we have \$1949. YALS brought in \$90 in memberships in the past month.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COLLECTION

Jenn Hosking presented professional development website that she created. YALS will investigate titles to donate to state library for their professional collection.

[YALS/ProfessionalTeenBooks.htm](#)

OTHER PROGRAMS:

TAB – teens choose books, plan their own programs.

Test Prep – through Sylvan (they have been known to contact students after program). Keene has local Orthodontist to pay for test prep program.

Professional Organizer – Sue West

Disaster Preparedness – Red Cross

FBI – offers programs

Puppets – with magazine cutouts and photos of patrons

Beading – work with local bead store

Mario Kart – play online with another library