

MLA-APLSS Minutes
Thursday October 1, 2009

In Attendance: Tammy Taylor, Pat Turkos, Lou Sica, Sharon Proakis, Gina Harris, Barb Hoddinott, Bettie Ewell and Nicole Mclain.

Executive Board Report-Lou Sica

- ARLD is now ACRL (Association of College Research Libraries).
- Auditor's consider MLA to be the best organization to work with, never any problems.

MLA Annual Conference 2009 Committee Report-Gina Harris

- Conference Theme: *Libraries: Essential, Library Staff: Priceless.*
- APLSS Co-sponsoring a Program with ACRL titled: Survival Guide for the Un (Under) Employed Library Professional.
- APLSS Sponsoring a Program titled: Working With You Is Killing Me.
- Confirmed Speakers for Conference: Rafael Alvarez and Alan Zweible
- Please submit any Pub Quiz questions to Lou Sica.

Future Meeting Dates

- December 3, 2009: White Marsh Library
- February 4, 2010: North Point Library
- April 1, 2010: Essex Library
- June 3, 2010: Loyola

Future Stand Alone Program Ideas

- Dealing with Difficult Co-Workers
- Stress Relief
- Team Building/Morale Boosting
- Health Issues
- Nutrition

Fall 2009 Program:

- *Postponed until further information can be gathered on finding interested Speaker(s) and acceptable location sites.*

Respectfully submitted by: Tammy Taylor 10/16/09