REACH: Leading Learning in Libraries
February 9, 2011
Minutes

Location:
Colorado Talking Book Library (CTBL)
180 Sheridan Blvd
Denver, CO 80226

Attendees:

First	Last	Affiliation
Elaine	Burritt	Poudre River Public Library District
Robin	Dean	CLiC
Michelle	Gebhart	CDE – State Library – Library Development
Christine	Kreger	CDE – State Library – Networking & Resource Sharing
Eileen	McCluskey	High Plains Library District
Sharon	Morris	CDE – State Library – Library Development
Lisa	Priebe	CLiC
Joseph	Sanchez	Red Rocks Community College
Crystal	Schimpf	CDE – State Library – BTOP
Clara	Sitter	DU / CAL CE Committee
Kelly	Visnak	Emporia

Roles
- Facilitator – Sharon Morris
- Meeting minutes – Michelle Gebhart
- Participants – All involved in CE for Colorado library staff

Minutes:

1. **Tour of CTBL**
2. **Round robin – what you're working on, what you want to do/are excited about**
   a. Eileen
      i. Mentoring pilot
      ii. Self directed learning module
   b. Christine
      i. Presenting at CLiC on PLEs
      ii. CALLI – goals for mentor
   c. Robin Dean
      i. CE coordinator goals for year
      ii. Statewide eBook training
   d. Eileen
      i. Co-facilitator on LO team
   e. Crystal
      i. BTOP
   f. Clara
      i. CAL readers advisory
      ii. Autism workshop
   g. Kelly
      i. Just started group Colorado 11. Looking at policy of small groups, informal learning that takes place.
   h. Sharon
      i. BTOP. Adult learning theory. Roll out culture of learning.

   ii. Innovation and creativity conference in 2012 with Shelley Walchak. Innovative programming in libraries, libraries as go-to place for creativity.

   iii. School library update: new, tiered standards. Revamping Power Libraries Program in conjunction with new academic standards.

 i. Joseph

   i. Recording studio up and running.

   ii. eBooks and content. Publication with Jamie Larue, No Shelf Required.

 j. Lisa

   i. Spring workshops

    1. eBook session

   ii. Rural school librarian training, partnered with DU and will bring in Becky Russell (School Library Consultant) from State Library

 k. Michelle

   i. Early Literacy-based Storytimes workshop in Durango in April

   ii. Additional videos will be produced for www.StoryBlocks.org

3. LEO usage

 a. Peaks Jan-Mar

 b. Not being used as much for seeing what type of CE is out there

 c. Misconception that LEO is just for CLiC events

4. Brainstorm, select 2011 priorities

 a. Keep in mind the Libraries 2.0 model. Are there things we can add in to the already existing template?

 b. Are any of these things that could be used for a CAL conference topic?

    1. **Creating learning environments organizationally: Manage and build solid team** (suggestion from CAL 2010)

    2. Pre-conference

   ii. Interested: Christine, Kelly, Robin. Also Sharon for literature review and to inform thinking. Can bring in other people outside Reach as well.

   iii. Will see if it is accepted by CAL first, and then go from there.

 c. Topics For Staff Learning (bold items are ones we will focus on)

   i. Device-neutral plan for how-to (High Plains)

   ii. e-Books/e-Resources

   iii. Screencasting / Jing for reference e-services / Videos including competencies

    1. Online, 3rd party created

    2. Library would create for staff and patrons

   iv. Tech training for the public

   v. Advocacy – marketing library to non-users

   vi. New tech in reference services

    1. How to include more visual literacy in library services

   vii. **Time management – include time for learning**

    1. Possible CAL topic – Active learning, Crystal, in lab

 d. Collaboration (bold items are ones we will focus on)

   i. School library training (rural and para focus)

   ii. **E-books**

   iii. DU – collaborate with partners to use Ruffatto Hall for delivery - august

   iv. **Blended learning topics**

    1. April meeting at CLiC

   v. CAL CE committee – wide range of members

   vi. Sharing public tech training resources/materials

   vii. CAL divisions/associations

   viii. Online customer service

   ix. DU students – helpers, for the experience

   x. Conference on creation and innovation (beyond LIS)

 e. Tools (bold items are ones we will focus on)

  i. LEO
  ii. DU – multiple technologies, e.g. teleconferencing (Clara, August)
  iii. Online tutorial development tools, e.g. Captivate, Prezi (Eileen)
  iv. Workshop to make video shorts with production as goal – June (Joseph, Red Rocks)
  v. Area to share training from us and others – e-tutorials
  vi. Statewide learning center for e-tools
  vii. Google Apps for nonprofits

 f. Topics For Us To Learn (bold items are ones we will focus on)
  i. DRM, DMCA
  ii. Mentoring
  iii. Creating online tutorials – multimedia skills
  iv. Building mobile apps – for staff- Robin?
  v. eBook – delivery/CMS mechanism(s)
  vi. Integrating active learning into training – make it fun

5. Set future meeting dates – Check in to e-books, e-services, learning org
 a. The Wednesday of every even month from 11am-2pm
  i. April 13, CLiC, Discuss blended learning options
  ii. June 1, Red Rocks Community College
   1. Video train the trainer with Joseph
   2. Bring 5 minutes of footage you shot on a Flip camera
  iii. August 3, D.U.
  iv. October 5, Prep for CAL, TBD
  v. December 7, TBD