

RSA Day 2026 Meeting Minutes

August 5, 2025 at Fondulac at 9:15 am

RSA DAY 2026 will be held at Macomb on April 8

In attendance: Larisa Good, Alissa Williams, Michael Baumann, Sara Naslund, Jenny Sevier, James Campbell, Laura Warren

1. RSA Committee Status (Genna B.)

Approached the RSA board to become an official committee. Alissa drafted a committee charter. The charge will be approved/voted on at the board meeting 8/7. Larisa is interested in being the RSA Board appointee. 7 person committee, subject to OMA, point the agenda, official meeting minutes with staggered terms for 2 year. Will need to set a meeting schedule.

Larisa (board member)

Sara (RSA liaison)

Alissa 2 year (chair)

Michael 2 year

Jenny 1 year

Laura 2 year

Open position 1 year Alyce Jackson?

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2. Schedule for the Day – discussion topic

Reserved meeting space in Macomb. Do we want to start earlier to give people travel time?

Could we look into a bus to shuttle people? Meet somewhere in town? Charge libraries \$10/20 per staffer to “reserve a seat”? Mileage out of pocket would be about \$100 from Peoria area

Peoria Charter has reduced rates on Wednesdays

Michael is going to talk to his staff to get a list of buses they checked out for a program.

James will call a couple of bus places

10 am to 4:45 pm	OPTION 1
10am-10:30	Registration
10:15-10:45	Vendor Fair; no compete time
10:45-11:45	Keynote
11:50-12:30	LUNCH
12:35-1:30	Breakout 1
1:35-2:35	Breakout 2
2:40-3:40	Breakout 3
3:45-4:45	Breakout 4

9:30 am to 4 pm 3pm	OPTION 2
9:30 am-10am	Registration
10-11	Keynote

11:05-12:05	Breakout 1
12:10-12:55	LUNCH
1-2	Breakout 2
2-3	Breakout 3
3-4	Breakout 4

9:45 am to 4 pm	OPTION 3, 45 min Breakouts; 30 min lunch
9:45 am-10:15 am	Registration
10:15-11:15 am	Keynote
11:15-12 pm	Breakout 1
12-12:45 pm	Breakout 2
12:45-1:15 pm	Lunch
1:20-2:05 pm	Breakout 3
2:10-3:55 pm	Breakout 4

3. Keynote Speaker Brainstorming

a. What ideas?

Sirsi will be attending to discuss web based Workflows.

We can do up to 6 sessions per breakout and computer lab

IMRF – put in conference room since know will be popular?

Grant writing?

RAILS

Emily Knox - book banning?

Dis/Misinformation

HR Source – microaggressions

Has a large lobby. Instead of official vendor fair, set up interested people in lobby for people during breaks and registration? Sirsi and Baker and Taylor? eRead?

4. Session Topic Ideas

a. Call for programs – Dates & Deadlines

b. Any changes to the call?

c. Do we want a theme

d. Vendor Fair Again?

e. Put these ideas in the call?

Special Needs Patrons

Summer Reading

Programming

STEM & Makers Spaces

Patron Behavior

Marketing

Collection Management

Genealogy

Lunch will need to be catered in. We will want to go see the meeting space. We are already on their calendar. Macomb Outreach Center with Spoon River College.
2500 E Jackson, Macomb, IL 61455

This is the 10 year anniversary

Will need to issue a call for programs. Update from last year and send it out Monday the 11th close Friday Sept 19th.

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Remove info about reimbursement. Remove check box and add "these are the categories we are looking for..." to the intro

Next Meeting: October?

Meeting schedules:

First Tuesday of the month, Aug-March except Jan.

Sept 30th

Oct 28th

Alissa look at room contract to see when we can visit/if we can visit Nov 4th?