

District 2 Meeting  
Craven Community College, New Bern, NC  
August 4, 2015 – 9:30 AM

**Attending:**

Sally Goodman (Director, 2015-16) – Coastal Carolina CC  
Christine Vasica (Vice-Director, 2015-16) – James Sprunt CC  
Maria Fesz (Secretary, 2015-16) – Coastal Carolina CC  
Cathy Campbell (CCCLA Representative, 2015-16) – Craven CC  
Elizabeth Watson – Wayne CC  
Brian Curry – Wayne CC  
Saundra Pinkham – Beaufort CC  
Edie Boesen – Craven CC  
Electra Krelie – Pamlico CC  
Erlinda Leggett – Pamlico CC  
Leigh Russell – Pamlico CC  
Rich Garafolo – Lenoir CC  
Millie Sparks – Pitt CC  
Alana Fisher – Pitt CC  
Susan Basnight – Pitt CC  
Mark King – Craven CC

**Social and Welcome:**

All attendees arrived in such a timely manner that refreshments and hellos were all taken care of by 9:30 AM. The district then took a field trip over to Craven's library, with Cathy Campbell as a lovely tour guide. Upon their return, the meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM by Director Sally Goodman.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Minutes of the March 16, 2015 District 2 meeting were approved via email prior to the meeting.

**Report from the Executive Committee and Library Director's Institute:**

Sally reported that NCCCLA has approved the purchase of a Member Planet subscription to help with membership, communication, and conference registration.

**Presentations:**

Maria Fesz presented on her experiences integrating Information Literacy into DRE and GED classes. Additionally, she described her collaboration with the English department to create a scaffolded library instruction program for the new developmental pathways curriculum. Her schedule for this is attached via email.

Christina Vasica then proceeded to enlighten us with heaps of helpful resources and advice for testing and working on web accessibility. Since libraries have to make this a priority for 2017, it is something all of us are

concerned about. Some colleges have committees in place, others have specific people in charge, and others are still in the process of creating a task force/committee for this issue. Christine talked about what she has done so far with LibGuides, staff training, and documents. She also showed attendees several sites to help determine web accessibility on specific web pages. Her excel sheet with these resources can be found here: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1cQa7OE0Ake7LvIi81VhegnDsbn7TRISDW0e1qIMjXVI/edit?usp=sharing>. For more help, Christine offered these two book titles: *Don't Make Me Think* by Steve Krug and *Accessibility Handbook* by Katie Cunningham. Additionally, Alan Unsworth from Surry CC has a LibGuide for web accessibility to which you can refer: <http://library.surry.edu/accessibility>.

### **Roundtable Discussion (AKA “Fun New Things!”):**

Each community college represented at this District 2 meeting shared new hires, plans, products, etc. Here are the highlights:

Coastal: New Public Services Librarian starts on August 14, her name is Dana Johnson. We have a new EVP for Instruction as well!

Pamlico: The library has absorbed the Student Success Center. The library is now in charge of tutoring services!

Craven: Their planned renovation is still in the works. Mark worked with John from Sirsi to be able to email due dates from WorkFlows! Cathy wanted to share the *Journal of Library Spaces* with everyone. This is a free, online journal from UNCG. Here is the link: <http://libjournal.uncg.edu/jls/index>.

Lenoir: New hires will hopefully be on the way soon! Rich is heavily involved in plans for a library renovation. LCC is hoping to make the library the focal point of campus!

Pitt: New staff, Millie and Alana, attended this meeting! A new director is coming in soon. They are planning for a renovation in January 2016.

James Sprunt: Christine Vasica is officially Library Director!!! She is hoping to start the search for a reference librarian ASAP.

Wayne: New hire Elizabeth attended the meeting! They have SACS accreditation coming up this October...good luck, Wayne CC! We recognize and keep in our thoughts the library staff and all Wayne CC staff regarding the violent incident in April of this year.

Beaufort: The mold issues in the library seem to have been solved. New carpeting and furniture is in the budget now!! The writing center and tutoring is going to be combined to become the LEC...dangerously close to LRC...hmmm...

### **Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at 12:15 PM. Everyone attended a fantastic lunch at Famous Restaurant!

Submitted by: Maria Fesz, 2015-16 District 2 Secretary