INFOhio
OHIO'S PreK-12 DIGITAL LIBRARY

Users Council Agenda
Webinar - Zoom
Thursday, October 14, 2021
3:30 - 4:30 PM

Welcome
- Roster Verification
  - Please notify support.infohio.org of any changes, especially email.
- Tell us what you think!
  - Feedback Survey
- Jamboard for feedback throughout meeting

Updates

- BLUEcloud Course Lists and New Class
  - Course Lists:
    - Cloud based resource tool. Creates a list that can be shared via unique url. Can house books (links to catalog), websites, articles, etc. Only works with SirsiDynix customer automation.
    - Syncs to various LMS products but not Google Classroom (you can *post* the url inside of Classroom).
    - Class available in INFOhio Campus "BLUEcloud Course Lists".
      - 2 contact hours
- School Library Basics Learning Pathway
  - Designed to help new school library staff, especially those who haven't completed MLIS, etc.
  - Contains sections on Advocacy, Fetch, Info Lit, Collection Development (3 contact hours for collection development alone).
  - 11 contact hours for whole course
- Fetch Discussion and Feedback
  - Great feedback so far. Thank you!
  - Maintaining and prioritizing update list (bug fixes, requests, etc) is ongoing.
- Collection Development Guidelines
  - Updated for currency and Management Council policies.
  - Removed reconsideration documents.
    - Will need to be rewritten/revised.
  - No link available yet.
- New & Expanded Resources
  - Pebble Go Next
  - Capstone Interactive eBooks
  - World Almanac for Kids and Kids Elementary
  - Today's Science
  - Ebsco eBooks for HS collection
    - Promo materials are in the document library

- Enhancements:
  - [Storia](#) is now for grades 3-6.
    - Over 1200 ebooks.
    - Access information is on the [(i) page for Storia](#).
  - [Highlights Library](#) is expanded.
  - [Transparent Language](#) now has teacher accounts
    - Must have basic account and [request](#) it be upgraded to a Teacher account.
  - [BookFlix](#) has added more titles.
- [Back to School Presentation](#)
  - Can be used to promote tools to new staff and refresh memories everywhere. ;)
- [Transition to Open Space](#)
  - Replacing Basecamp.
  - Open Space provides standards based content.
    - also collaborative spaces
      - Grade level
      - Subject Based
      - and more
      - Can share materials
  - Will be using discussion feature for more feedback.
  - One question about R4S already posted, [please visit and respond](#).
- INFOhio Listserv to end 12/31/2021
  - Currently leaning toward using the Group/Discussion part of Open Space.

[We Need Your Feedback and Expertise](#)! (link goes to Jamboard feedback)
- Information Page
- Organization of INFOhio Resources
- [IWonder](#)
- Awarding of Contact Hours Discussion
  - Concerns have been raised of people "cheating" and just taking the quizes to get the CEUs, not putting in the time.
  - One LPDC chairperson reports that they don't question the certificates, they take the word of the applicant and their integrity.
  - Another reiterated the same.
  - It was mentioned that the ODE code of conduct requires a Superintendent to turn in those who violate this conduct policy. Points to this action being reportable.

End of Meeting Reminders
- Upcoming events
- Next meeting date: March 3, 2022 3:30-4:30