



WICHITA AREA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Meeting minutes August 25, 2025, 11:30 a.m., Watermark Café and Books & Zoom

Agenda:

- Call to Order (*Hannah*)
- Roll Call (*Hannah*) in attendance: Hannah Adamson, Laura Tharman, Julie Mills, Tom Taylor, Melissa Emo, Nicole Penley, Jeannie Booth, Parker Daniel, Samuel Willis, Eric Gustafson, Samantha Henning, Heather Powell, Cina Shirley
- Treasurer's Report (*Julie*)
- SCKLS Report (*Nicole*)
- Webmaster (*Samuel*)
- Social Media (*Hannah*)
- **Old Business**
 - WALA Annual Meeting & Luncheon Recap
 - Welcomed new & returning board members
 - Summer Gatherings Recap
- **New Business**
 - September Meet & Greet and Membership Drive
 - Location: Central Standard Brewing
 - Date & Time: Wednesday September 17th 4:00-6:00
 - KLA Basket from WALA: a cozy book theme, bring donations to upcoming meetings. Hannah will do the basket and the assembly
 - Legislative Luncheon Location: Advanced Learning Library
 - Date & Time: 11/17
 - Theme: Economic development
 - Speakers: Lily Wu, discussed back up speakers
 - Invitations: discussed inviting city council, but will stick with state legislators
 - Library Tour:
 - Discussed options like Augusta, Westlink or Rockwell
 - Discussed doing a WPL branches tour for 2026 KLA conference. We could charter a city trolley
- Adjournment