Summary of Summit Evaluations

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1. Please rate presentation of the information and quality of round table discussions.
   4 34
   3 12
   2 0
   1 0
   NA

2. Please rate the materials and handouts provided.
   4 34
   3 12
   2 1
   1 0
   NA

3. Please rate the facilities.
   4 45
   3 2
   2 0
   1 0
   NA

4. Overall, how would you rate this summit?
   4 39
   3 8
   2 0
   1 0
   NA

5. Would you recommend this summit to a colleague?
   6 42
   5 4
   4 1
   3 0
   2 0
   1 0

6. Did the summit meet your expectations?
   4 40
   3 3
   2 0
   1 0

7. Which session did you like most and why?
   • National Board Certification 1 (2)
     o Informative talking with other colleagues who have been through this process
   • National Board Certification 2 (2)
   • National Board
     o No handouts-rather vague
• Marketing Your Media Centers
• Build your Virtual Collection: Tips and Tricks for free from LEARN NC (5)
  o It was so informative and had info I could take back to my school
  o Got great resource ideas.
• 21st Century (3)
  o Challenged my thinking.
  o Made us think outside of the box ➔ move from proficient to outstanding using technology
• What’s New--NC Wise Owl (3)
  o On the website—informative because I use it in school.
• LSTA Grant Writing
  o More relevant to me
• New Librarian (3)
  o This was very relevant
  o It offered very practical advice for new people entering the profession.
  o Discussion
• New Librarian Part 1 (2)
  o It was good to hear the ideas of a group because they had the same problems I have.
• New Librarian Part 2
  o It was good to hear the ideas of a group because they had the same problems I have.
• Having Ron here was great! Talking with Jerry Solomon about collection DEV also
• Infusing Storytelling into the K-12 Curriculum (4)
  o Could listen all day
  o Outstanding.
• Multimedia in the Library: Digital Cameras (2)
  o Useful, and fun
  o Will be able to use in teaching
• They were all exceptional. I learned something in each session. It was hard to make a decision as to which session to attend.
• Making a Difference: Building Relationships with Community Organizations & Agencies
  o Terrific
  o Mrs. Reddish is great.
• Super Heroes to the Rescue! (Graphic Novels and Reluctant Readers for Grades 6-12) (4)
  o Welcomed middle/high school focused sessions
  o Handouts, gave concrete suggestions for incorporating graphic novels, hands on exhibit of graphic novels
  o Lots of example books—good discussion
• Smooth Talking: Booktalking Styles to Use with Middle Through High School (8)
  o Students welcomed middle/high school focused sessions
  o Outstanding
47 Responses

- Good new method
- Fantastic
- Was very good also-enjoyed the examples she presented
- Because it updated my knowledge on some of the current YA books recommended for my students
- Dr. Clark models booktalking so well
- Ruth Clark→she is amazing and always tells about different books.

- IMPACT and the Media Center
- IMPACT
  - Because our school is beginning to implement.
- Swap Meet
- Swap Shop
- There's Always Money For Good Ideas (2)
  - Michele Oros –grant info
  - Lots of helpful hints. Good presenter.
- Students and Families of Mexican Descent: A Holistic Approach to Providing a Better Education
  - Angela Foss was so well-informed, I would love to listen and talk with her for a much longer session. Outstanding.
- Copyright Conundrum (3)
  - Copyright facilitator addressed many questions---and advised us that there were not many answers that fit all situations. Discussion of mutual problems was especially lively in this session, however.
- Collection Development (2)
  - It was good to have the ideas of a group because they had the same problems I have.
- Ask Frances? (2)
- The Eastern NC Digital Library: An NC ECHO Project
  - Super! Enjoyed the most!
- All were very good

8. Which session did you like least and why?
- LSTA Grant Writing (2)
  - Good for State Grants. Would love to have seen other grant offerings.
  - Better for people actually filling out grants.
- Swap
  - I forgot to bring my ideas.
- Infusing Storytelling into the K-12 Curriculum (2)
  - It just wasn’t what I expected it to be
  - Love more on how to get young children to use storytelling more in sharing books.
- There's Always Money For Good Ideas
  - Could have had more grant website information.
- New Librarian Part 1
47 Responses

- Not very focused with the discussion
- Hear it Firsthand from an IMPACT Model School
  - Focused to much on confusing handout-once discussion shifted away-
    session improved. More discussion on what works at Impact Model
    Schools
- Advanced 21st Century Skills (2)
  - Not the class itself---just that I should have taken the beginner instead of
    the advanced one.
  - It was not suited for my grade level.
- National Board (2)
  - Felt the session was not organized well enough
  - It was unorganized. Didn’t last the entire time. I was very confused.
- What’s New--NC Wise Owl
  - Not enough time for exploring
- Multimedia in the Library: Digital Cameras Part 1

9. How can we improve future summits?
- I signed up for sessions that were relevant to my situation. I did not get assigned
  to some of these. Is there a way to fill more requests?
- More diet friendly snacks.
- Needs to vary so much from Elementary to Middle School. Perhaps tailor some
  session to each area.
- Last year I received a great ceramic mug-any chance of one next year?
- Find out librarian websites or internet addresses—school systems.
- You must always have LEARN NC
- Problem downloading/printing second page of session selection form.
- Make sessions slightly longer.
- Directions should be given so you can get to the library. The directions sent out
  got you to campus---actually on other side of campus but nothing to get you to the
  library. Drinks in more central location.
- No suggestions. It was terrific.
- Wish we had more time!
- Give expectation of level of discussion feedback
- I would like to have a middle school session.
- A description of what the session will include on the summit website would be
  helpful. For example, I didn’t know who Frances was to know what to ask. (I’m
  a new librarian.)
- Continue to do the summit and stay current.
- Let us know ahead of time what sessions we were able to get. Or, allow us to
  change our minds if we realize we would rather attend another on the day of.
- Classrooms closer together. Have handouts on all classes accessible to everyone.
- Could this possibly be done on a school day?
- Continue to expand choices.
- Faster pace.
47 Responses

- I’m in elementary school—like to see more on K-5 level.

10. Please share any ideas for future sessions you may have.
   - I didn’t get to all of these!
   - I would like to see it extended because I wanted to go to several sessions that were scheduled at the same time.
   - Programming on IMPACT@ the high school level.
   - Cataloguing at the school level.
   - Maybe more sessions about the extra-curricular activities of a librarian. Such as Battle of the Books.
   - Research Processes
   - Swap Meet-not enough participants-but the ones who came had excellent ideas.
   - Have the New Librarian session again!
   - Future trends.
   - Programming for high school media centers.
   - Can’t think of anything right now.
   - Middle and Elementary school battle of the books
   - Perhaps include info. in a general session concerning the “state of library science”—or role, vision, future of school libraries—a “where we’ve been and where we’re going” overview
   - Give us choice of session instead of assigning them.
   - Booktalking again

11. Please feel free to share any additional comments.
   - Nice-very enjoyable!
   - I usually hate giving up my Saturday but I will gladly give it up next year.
   - Thanks so much, it was great to network with so many people.
   - Friendly check-in; very informative. Great speakers (opening session) and each session I attended.
   - Room 1426-better directions on how to get to it.
   - Very Professional. Great Work. Go Pirates!
   - I have attended both summits and it has been a great resource for a new librarian. Target more to current MLS students.
   - This was very well organized.
   - Good job everyone!
   - Being new, I would have liked to have had a veteran librarian give an example of “week or month in the life of…!” I would like to have had a specific example for the grade level that I work with. (i.e. All elementary together, all middle together, all high school together)
   - Greatly organized! Thanks for hosting this!
   - Fabulous!! Thank You! Staff and students were very helpful, positive and welcoming! Linda was delicious!!!
• I feared that coming 2 years in a row, I would find repetitive things. I was happy to see new things. Thanks
• Perhaps register at 8:30-9:00---Getting up so early on a Sat. AM is no fun!!
• I enjoyed it. It was very informative.
• Some bathroom and classroom doors were locked.
• Better instructions to the library from Raleigh and all on one sheet.
Summary of Summit Evaluations for Facilitators
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7. Which session did you like most and why?
- Copyright Conundrum
- Super Heroes to the Rescue! (Graphic Novels and Reluctant Readers for Grades 6-12)
  - I went to sessions 3 and 4. The sessions addressed many questions I had.
- Students and Families of Mexican Descent: A Holistic Approach to Providing a Better Education
4 Responses

- Very enlightening.

8. Which session did you like least and why?
   - LSTA Grant Writing Opportunities
     - I only went to 2 sessions-so I’d have to say LSTA Grants. I’m already writing one and little new info was introduced that I could use.

9. How can we improve future summits?
   - Please list topic descriptions on website.
   - Was hoping for coffee on arrival.

10. Please share any ideas for future sessions you may have.
    - Evaluations the media program.
    - I’ve signed up and to do Digital Storytelling if possible.

11. Please feel free to share any additional comments.
    - Facilitators/Presenters should be allowed to get door prizes.
    - Thank you for all of your work for putting on this workshop!