

November 2016 Director's Report

❖ Staff

- Kate was elected President of ITS section of NHLA.
- Nancy, Marcia and Devin went to the Children's Book Review at the State Library. They get to look at all the new books and then each person can choose 5 books for their library.
- I am following the budget closely and paying as many bills as we can so it's easier at the end of the year and we spend our budget down to zero.
- I attended the Town Department Head's meeting. Discussion was mostly about the health insurance changes.
- Kate attended the Joint Loss Management Group meeting.
- Merrily set up a library table at the annual health fair.
- There were 333 attendees for October adult programs.

❖ Building

- Carpet project completed over the Veteran's Day weekend. Other projects done include cleaning of all the upholstered chairs; re-upholstering of wooden chairs that have the fabric back; and we moved computers around just to make better use of the space between the new book shelves. We will have a display in that area for older books. They go out more if they are put on display. The one computer there will be a stand-up for quick print. YA new books will be incorporated into the new book area.
- The oil tanks will be replaced on December 19th.

❖ Miscellaneous

- New stronger access points were installed for wireless.
- Bob Turner built a "Free Little Library" for us. We talked about it and decided that a good place for it would be outside of Town Hall.