



Alta Report to NLLS – NLLS May 2023

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**ALTA 2023 AGM – May 31, 2023, via zoom at 6:00 pm – 7:00**

Our AGM is scheduled. As members of ALTA, we request your attendance to review our current and upcoming financials and be informed regarding all things ALTA for the coming year. The time commitment for this is under 1 hour and attendees will be the first to hear some exciting news coming out of ALTA. You won't want to miss it!

Registration is required: <https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0lf-iupzgtE9Mp7aSrAXjWMzb7M3ZDQOYj>

**Area 8 Alternate**

Currently we need an alternate for the area 8 director. Commitment is less than 2 hours, every other month. This is a great opportunity to support fellow trustees across the province and lend your voice to a phenomenal board of professionals with extraordinary passion for libraries. Please consider joining the board.

**ALTA Membership fees:**

Membership fees are officially past due. A membership notice of fees has been sent out which include a link to pay directly through our website. Member fees are due now.

**ALTA Webinar Series:**

Our most recent webinar “So You’ve Been Appointed to the Board” is available for trustees to view. This webinar covers all you need to know after joining a board. Vic Mensch, Chair of Chinook Arch Library Board and Kirk MacLeod, Past-President of the LAA, answer questions about Board ethics, how boards make decisions, what to do if you disagree and more. We hope you enjoy our webinars as much as we have enjoyed creating them.

**ALTA Coffee Chats:**

ALTA has an amazing network of members, and we want to provide opportunity for our members to engage with and mentor one another in an ever-changing landscape. Knowing people within the library community who have experience they are willing to share is an asset.

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Please keep an eye on your email for your invitation to join us. An ALTA board member will be hosting an informal 45-minute virtual chat monthly. We will be limiting attendance, and space will be reserved on a first-come first-serve basis. We look forward to the opportunity to get to know our members better. Coffee Chats are available to current members only.

### **In person/Video Training**

Curious what ALTA is? Get in touch and arrange a meeting with one of our directors and see what ALTA can do for you and your library board and assist trustees in becoming confident stewards of their library services.

REMINDER: ALTA Trustee Forum is a great tool that allows you to connect with trustees across the province.

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Please continue to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

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