

YALSA Board of Directors – Midwinter 2022/LibLEARNX, Virtual

January 21-24, 2022

YALS Editor Report--Midwinter

Topic: YALS Editor Report for Midwinter

Background: Yolanda Hood, the Member Editor of YALS, has provided the Board with a semi-annual report. The purpose of the journal is: 1) to serve as a vehicle for continuing education for librarians and library workers serving young adults; 2) to publish articles of current interest to the profession; 3) to showcase research and best practices in the field; 4) to provide news from related fields; 5) to spotlight significant events of the organization; 6) to offer in-depth reviews of professional literature and resources; and 7) to serve as the official record of the association.

Yolanda Hood, Member Editor

Action Required: Consent

Yolanda Hood continued in the position of member editor on December 1, 2020 the YALS EAB has met on a monthly basis to discuss issue themes, author calls for proposals, and columns for the issues, etc. We worked to develop the themes for the 2021 publication cycle, focusing on issues that are current to the field, reflect the Teen Services Competencies, and YALSA's mission and vision. The open call for authors for YALS themed issues continues to be a successful change over the past year. The following issues have been released since the last report:

The following issues are thus far planned for the 2021-2022 publishing cycle:

Spring 2021: Race(ism)

Summer 2021: Adulting 101—in production w/ guest editor, Tess Wilson

Fall 2021: Teen Health—in production (the call was extended for this issue by 1 month)

Forthcoming issues:

Winter 2022: Endurance

Spring 2022: To be determined by EAB

Summer 2022: To be determined by EAB

Fall 2022: To be determined by EAB

The EAB acknowledges that the journal publication cycle is still off schedule. Tim Clifford has stepped in to help with some of the duties of Anna Lam. In doing so, he has created a production schedule that aims to put YALS back on track. The proposed schedule is included here.

**Young Adult Library Services
2022 PRODUCTION SCHEDULE**

	Fall 2021 Theme TK	Winter 2022 Theme TK	Spring 2022 Theme TK	Summer 2022 Theme TK	Fall 2022 Theme TK
	Vol. 20, no. 1	Vol. 20, no. 2	Vol. 20, no 3	Vol. 20, no. 4	Val. 21, no. 1
COPY DUE (to KWG)	Dec. 22, 2021	Feb.10	April 21	Aug. 3	Oct. 20
ROUGH DUMMY	Jan. 5, 2022	Feb. 24	May 5	Aug. 17	Nov. 3
AD RUN LIST/ MATERIALS DUE	Jan. 7/Jan. 14	Mar. 2/Mar. 9	May 9/ May 16	Aug. 24/ Sept. 2	Nov. 7/Nov. 12
ROUGH DUMMY CX	Jan. 19	March 11	May 19	Sept. 3	Nov. 17
DUMMY R01	Jan. 26	March 18	May 26	Sept. 10	Nov. 24
DUMMY R01 CX	Feb. 2	March 25	June 2	Sept. 17	Dec. 1

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DUMMY R02	Feb. 9	April 1	June 9	Sept. 21	Dec.7
DUMMY R02 CX	Feb. 11	April 3	June 13	Sept. 23	Dec. 9
ISSUE PUBLISHED	Feb. 18	April 10	June 20	Sept. 30	Dec. 16

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ALA/ YALSA Holidays

New Year's Day		December 31, 2021 (observed)
MLK, Jr. Day		Jan. 27
2022 LibLearnX		Jan. 24-28
President's Day		Feb. 21
Memorial Day		May 30
2022 Annual Conference	June 23-28	
Independence Day	July 4	
Labor Day		Sept. 5
Thanksgiving		Nov. 24-25
Christmas Eve		Dec. 23
Christmas		Dec. 26 (observed)

Yolanda Hood has agreed to continue as member editor for the 2022-2023 publishing cycle.