SWRLS CIO MEMBERS’ DAY, Friday 27th April, 2018, 10.30 -15.30
Meeting Room, Taunton Library, Paul Street, Taunton, TA1 3XZ

This is a new approach to the twice yearly SWRLS meetings. We want to focus on sharing practice and networking, updating on projects and ways of working in different SWRLS libraries.

PROGRAMME

Refreshments available from 10.30

11.00 Welcome, housekeeping and introduction by SWRLS CIO Chair, Jackie Chelin.

11.10 Inspire in Cornwall. Doreen Pinfold, Director of Library and Academic Skills, FX Plus, Falmouth University and the University of Exeter, Penryn Campus. Inspire in Cornwall was set up to bring together library staff from across the sectors to share best practice and co-ordinate joint initiatives. The session will focus on how working together has forged lasting partnerships and developed an understanding of each others’ sectors.

11.30 Knowledge Management in the Health Sector. Carol Giles, Library and Knowledge Services Manager, Royal Devon and Exeter NHS Foundation Trust. Knowledge for Healthcare is a policy created for NHS Library and Knowledge Services by Health Education England. The session will cover the Knowledge Management workstream within the policy and include a demonstration of aspects of the KM toolkit, which has been created to assist NHS Library staff in aiding knowledge sharing within their own organisations and beyond.

11.50 South West Region of Readers. Medi Bernard, Library Service Manager, Bournemouth and Poole libraries. The session will report on this Arts Council funded initiative and how the Reading Passport is evolving into a digital app as part of the project.

12.10 Peer Assisted Learning in the academic sector. Member(s) of the PAL team at UWE. An overview of the roles, activities and outcomes of Peer Assisted Learning within a university setting.

12.30 Lunch and networking

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13.30 **Word on Tour.** Cat Large, Tour Manager, Word on Tour, Literature Works. Literature Works’ Word on Tour is an Arts Council funded 26-date live literature tour of regional libraries, showcasing the very best of South West writing talent. Tour Manager, Cat Large, will present its aims and reflect on its successes and challenges.

13.50 **World café.** An opportunity to network and broker services/resources/ideas in relation to key elements of the SWRLS offer, namely, training/workforce development, grants, interlibrary loans and partnerships.

15.10 **Open Forum** - an opportunity to ask questions, raise issues and share news.

15.30 **Closing remarks** and date of SWRLS CIO Conference and AGM.

Uniting, inspiring and collaborating across libraries, information services and cultural organisations in the South West.