OLS Updates

- The Public Library Operating, Pay Equity, and First Nation Salary Supplement Grants Program (PLOG) applications have not yet opened for submissions
- The OLS website now includes a calendar feature on the Meetings & Webinars page
- An email was issued by the OLS on Friday, June 25 in relation to the move to Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen plan and its impact on public libraries

COVID-19 Snapshot of Library Services

- CEOs in attendance were polled on a variety of current service levels at their libraries
- See COVID-19 Snapshot of Library Services document for results
- Poll to be repeated at upcoming chats and document to be updated for sharing in the chat summary notes

Roadmap to Reopen Plan – Step Two

- CEOs discussed the recent provincial news release about Ontario Moving to Step Two of Roadmap to Reopen on June 30
- An email was issued by the OLS on Friday, June 25 in relation to the move to Step Two of the Roadmap to Reopen plan and its impact on public libraries

COVID-19 Protocols

- CEOS discussed topics related to library operations during the current time, including the use of masks in the workplace, masking outdoors, vaccinations, sanitation and cleaning protocols, well-being and stress levels, curbside usage, capacity limits, contact tracing and screening, health unit communications, and more
Accessibility and AODA Audits

- CEOs discussed a question related to library experiences with AODA accessibility audits

Programming Successes

- CEOs shared recent programming successes and good news stories

We look forward to seeing you at our next scheduled Informal Library Chat:

Date/Time: Thursday July 8, 2021 - 2:00PM (1:00PM CT)
Connection details to be provided via email