

May 2, 2024 9 am – 3 pm in person, Zoom meeting May 6 12:30 pm – 4 pm, 4 CE credits

The Nebraska Library Association Public Library and Trustees Annual Spring Meeting was held at Kilgore Memorial Library in York, Nebraska on May 2, 2023. A virtual session was held via Zoom on May 6, 2023 for those that could not attend in person.

PLTS Chair, Monica Tidyman, opened the meeting with announcements and updates from the Nebraska Library Association then introduced our morning speakers, Jennie Garner and Kellee Forkenbrock of North Liberty Library, Iowa. Jennie and Kellee's talk, "Policies of Yes" was an inspiring talk on creating inclusive environments in our library communities.

After lunch, Dr. Melissa Cast-Brede presented fascinating information and research on the different types of play personalities and how incorporating those types into our library programs can assist the adults who attend "maintain adult brains, bodies, and spirits." For the Zoom program, Erica Rose, who was not able to attend the in person session but had partnered on "Adults Need to Play Too!" with Dr. Cast-Brede, presented.