

**YALSA Board of Directors Meeting  
ALA Midwinter Meeting, Denver  
January 23-28, 2009**

**Topic:** YALS Editor Midwinter Report

**Background:** RoseMary Honnold, the 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.

**Action Required:** Consent

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Editor RoseMary Honnold,

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careers in science, space exploration, robotics, artificial intelligence, etc., books that tie into video games & virtual reality.

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**Collaboration with Community Resources**

Focus: The theme will be partnerships between school and public libraries and community organizations, including how to find a partner and ideas of what can be done when agencies collaborate.

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