



TO: Albany Public Library Board

FROM: Eric Ikenouye, Library Director

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**SUBJECT:** Director's Report

Board Members,

This month, we are welcoming a new board member: Scott Kniefel, who the Council appointed.

One decision that requires the Board's attention at this meeting is how to manage our November and December Meetings. In previous years, the Board has voted to have one meeting in late November or early December to avoid conflicts with the Holidays. This year, that would leave you with three options: December 3rd, 10th, or 17th.

LaRee Dominguez will talk to you about the events and activities the Friends of the Library have coming up.

I would like to invite you to Celebrate the Day of the Dead with the library on November 2nd. Join us for festive snacks, face painting, and crafts. This bilingual celebration is for families and all ages. As you may remember, last year, we had to shift our Day of the Dead celebration offsite due to the small fire that closed the Children's section of the library.

Thank you for your service,

Eric