The meeting began at 9:15am, preceding our program *I Still Don’t Want to Talk About*. Outgoing President Rebekkah Smith-Aldrich welcomed everyone, noted that LAMS is the youngest NYLA section (officially established in 2003), and introduced the members of the LAMS Board:

- Incoming President—Julie Hamrah Johnson
- Vice President-President Elect—Tim Burke
- Secretary—Pat Kaufman
- Treasurer—Mary DeBellis
- Members-at-large—Claudia Depkin, Ed Falcone, Richard Naylor, Frank Rees

Rebekkah described what we do—learn from and share with each other as evidenced by:

- *Handbook for New Directors* which is on the LAMS website and
- *JLAMS*, our electronic journal which celebrated its 40th article.
- This year’s programs which, using the conference theme *The Library: YOUR Story Starts Here*, focus on how you can get your staff to share/buy into your story.

Rebekkah showed everyone the socks that will be available at the booth and invited everyone to consider joining LAMS since the section is not just for directors.

The meeting was adjourned