SCRAP Advisory Group Meeting

Agenda

April 19, 2023

9:30 AM

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1. Proposal to allow Media Tie-In Headings (R. Fischer – 15-20 min.)
   Discuss: Should SCRAP pass a motion to recommend adding these local subject headings to the list of headings that can be used in the database? If SCRAP isn't interested, the library could choose to add the headings as their own local headings in the 691 field.

   John Galdun proposed the following headings:
   - Video game tie-ins.
   - Movie tie-ins.
   - TV tie-ins.

   Attendees at the CAMM meeting had the following opinions:

   - These headings are too broad to be useful.
   - A 7XX field would be more useful, i.e. 730 0 ‡iVideo game tie-in based on:‡aGarfield (Franchise).
   - These headings aren't beneficial since most users use keyword searches.
   - Goodreads has a "Media Tie In" tag. Not a library example obviously but does indicate that it's a useful concept for some readers.
   - We need more evidence of actual discovery failures by patrons before supporting the proposal. It is a broad solution to a problem that isn't clearly defined.

   Attendees at the PAS meeting had the following opinions:

   - Staff are more likely to use the headings than patrons.
   - Patrons may not understand the concept these headings represent.
   - Patrons who were interested in a specific character or franchise would be more likely to search for that character or franchise, and would not use the term tie-in.
   - Patrons may use it only if they are aware of the terms.
2. Review of Backstage customization process (R. Fischer – 10 min.)
3. Plans for next year. (R. Fischer – 5 min.)