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CLX April 16th Virtual Meetup Notes Page

ROLL CALL -- ____ folks in the house!

Who's on the call? **Put your name, org, and Where do you work most frequently from at home? Your office? Your kitchen table? The backyard? Your bed?**

0. Name, Organization, Response

1. Kiara Hardin, Chicago Learning Exchange, Living room table (soon to be my DIY closet office)
2. Nachele Pugh, John Walt Foundation, my bed
3. Olivia Hutto, Free Spirit Media, my living room
4. Holly Kelsven, Homewood Science Center, kitchen counter, outside when possible
5. Rebecca Connie, Experimental Station/Blackstone Bicycle Works, bedroom
6. Kris Beck, Chicago Public Schools, I have been working in my bedroom.
7. BJ Allen, CHICAT Chicago Center for Arts & Technology, kitchen or liv rm couch
8. Jaclyn Carmichael, CPS - Lake View High School, kitchen table
9. Cheryl Rodgers, Chicago GEAR UP webmaster,
rodgers@marcopolo-networking.com
10. Adam Lemke-Bell,
11. Carole Robertson Center for Learning, sun porch-type area
12. Andy Weber, Lincoln Park Zoo. On our kitchen table
13. Jeremy Dunn, Chicago Public Library - Den and bedroom
14. Keenda Mims- Burt, Chicago Architecture Center - Living Room & Backyard (sans snow)
15. Marcus Jackson, After School Matters, I alternate between my couch and dining room table
16. Ali Karbassi, We All Code. I'm lucky enough to have a home office but the backyard is my breakout space, even if it's snowing!
17. Aaron Cortes, Center for College Access and Success of Northeastern Illinois Univeristy. Director, STEM Initiatives.

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18. David Bild, Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum, pre-covid = couch; now = desk/table that I never really used (except for storing boxes of junk)
19. Shoshi Shapiro, Field Museum, my dining room table in the seat facing my windows
20. Jane Castro, Future Founders, A foldable desk...by the window!
21. Germania Solórzano, CCAS at NEIU, my pseudo office/craft/everything space
22. Polly Mills, Center for College Access and Success, GEAR UP, NEIU
23. Micheal E. Tyler II, Camelot Education (Excel Academy of Southwest) Robotics teacher and Project Exploration. Working remotely all of the apartment as necessary during this time. Contact info: mtyler@camelotforkids.org
24. Edie Dorbrez, Homewood Science Center
25. Chelsea Pfeifer, Shedd Aquarium
26. Savannah Brown, CLX
27. Kaitlyn Ferris, Outlier Research + Evaluation, UChicago STEM Education
28. Mike Tyler, Camelot Education
29. Cheryl Rodgers, N/A
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Breakout Session Choices:

1. Summer Collaborations w/ Shoshi
2. Hack the Pandemic w/ Aaron Cortes

Breakout Session Selection:

1. Name, Breakout Session Choice by Number
2. Kiara Hardin, 2
3. Andy Weber 1
4. Maura Flood 1
5. Cheryl Rodgers Session 1, rodgers@marcopolo-networking.com
6. Holly Kelsven 1
7. Nachele Pugh 1
8. Tiffany Lane Both, i'm really interested in Hack the pandemic
9. Jane Castro, 1 but have to run - excited to hear more!

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10. Olivia Hutto, Session 1
11. Adam Lemke-Bell, 1
12. BJ Allen, 1
13. Rebecca Connie, 1
14. MarcusJackson 2
15. Mike Tyler, 2
16. David Bild, I want to do both! Pick for me :) --2
17. Natasha Mijares, 1
18. Polly Mills, 1

19. Chelsea Pfeifer, 1
20. Matt Woods,1
21. Maalik McClinton, 1
22. Maria Hibbs, 1
23. Kennda, 1
24. Germania 1
25. Kathleen Beckman 1
26. Shoshi Shapiro, 1
27. Marnie Boyd, 1
28. Jeremy Dunn,1

QUESTIONS:

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RESOURCES:

- **CLX 2020 Meetup Library -**
<https://communitywiki.chicagolx.org/home/clx-meetup-library/2020-meetups>
- **CLX Slack Channel:**
https://join.slack.com/t/hivechi/shared_invite/zt-cfrjuyjl-a1M3G3llzkPnDkMm6W_WFLA
- **CLX COVID-19 Resource Guide:**

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https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1F4NifGa2hx9Hl0N08_9tm4V0g8wvAX3e86vfQem_Q0/edit#gid=1885436460

- **Youth Worker Survey:** <https://forms.gle/WaLA9KjfBM3XFXQ86>
- **Jackbox.tv** <https://www.jackboxgames.com/drawful/>
- **JQBX.** Similar to Netflix Party but for Spotify: <https://www.jqbx.fm/>
- **Shedd Aquarium Teen Learning Lab Virtual Earth Day Event** Join us for an Earth Month Virtual Teen Lab event on Saturday, April 18th from 1PM- 4PM. Hear from Shedd experts about the ways the Shedd Aquarium supports our environment, and ways that you can support the earth from your home. Led with Shedd's Teen Council, this interactive event provides a space to share and learn about the earth, climate action and how our passion for the aquatic animal world unites us. Just like Shedd Aquarium's Teen Learning Lab, only high school age teens are eligible to register for this event. Registration: <https://forms.gle/HRbFoo4wo4bgg6Em6>
- **The Dandelion Seed Blog** Hi Everyone, here is the link to The Dandelion Seed Blog that Outlier Research & Evaluation is hosting. We are always looking for folks to author blog posts that can be shared through this platform. The focus of the blog is about deeper learning practices and how organizations/programs spread their practices to create more equitable opportunities for youth in in- and out-of-school time settings. However, we welcome innovative and insightful contributions on a number of topics within these broader themes. For example, we recently shared a post reviewing how COVID-19 is impacting education research and partnerships between schools and researchers. The more creative the better! :) Here is the link: <http://outlier.uchicago.edu/readytochange/blog/> Here is my email address if you have any questions: kferris@uchicago.edu
- **CHICAT, Chicago Center for Arts & Technology**
ONLINE Afternoon Art Classes for youth grades 6-12
4PM Tuesday - Friday
No Cost, each class is a single session
For more info, please check our social media
<https://www.facebook.com/CHICATCHICAGO/>
<https://www.instagram.com/chicagocenterforartstechnology/>
BJ Allen, digital arts instructor (feel free to contact me with Qs!)

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- **Chicago Public Library - YOUmedia**
 - Check out a short list of virtual programs and activities on YOUmedia' IG page: <https://www.instagram.com/youmediachicago/>
- **Homewood Science Center Virtual Programming**
www.homewoodsciencecenter.org
 - Wednesday 1pm: Brain Breaks K-5 art exploration
 - Saturdays 1pm: Family Yoga
 - #Silly4Census Facebook photo contest
www.homewoodsciencecenter.org/census

Breakout Session Notes:

[Summer Programming](#)

[Happy Hour](#)