Staff Work Life Minutes January 8th, 2020 8:45am – 9:45am in Lipson's Lounge

Attendance: Pat Huntington, Laura Putnam, Benny Thomas, Rita Mannelli, Stacey Stehle, Valerie Wilson, Ann Knaak. Ex Officio: Cynthia Cusimano, (HR Representative) Minda Hugh. Not In Attendance: Patrick Richey, Cathy Stevens

Discussion:

- 1. Minutes approved.
- 2. Wreath event. Library won and is getting a pizza party. Jazzmyn got second place and was given a "it's your day" jar as an award.
- 3. Plans for February event: New idea –inter-departmental secret valentine. How do we get people away from their desks? A "Tunnel Crawl." Scavenger Hunt. As a way to build community, take a break, get your steps in, get to know your colleagues. Pat Huntington will spearhead this effort.
- 4. Tuesday, February 4, 12:10pm to 1:05pm, Outreach representative from Lifespan will come and present "Medicare 101." Open to Faculty and Staff. Free. 255 York. Light Refreshments will be served. Laura taking care of room and refreshments. RSVP requested. Rita will assist with the promotion of the event.
- 5. Request to reinstate the Tuesday and Thursday lunch hour Yoga. We'll look into what is happening with it. Perhaps 4:45pm?
- 6. "It's Your Day" "Above and Beyond" "Appreciation Station" "Flyers Soar Above and Beyond" "Golden" Celebrate the whole department. Not one winner each month. Get it up and running. Laura to create a form and start working on it. Nominations being taken all the time on the website?