Center for Communal Studies

Completing Laura Johnston Kohl's collection, scanned photographs and some documents, building an online gallery; should be finished by the end of the month. Small article in "Jonestown Report" on Laura's donation.

Working on articles for CSA newsletter & Communities Magazine.

Anyone wanting to write small pieces about communities in the collections is welcome.

In final negotiations with Dancing Rabbit – working on donation language and timetable for completion of digitization. May get a Graduate Assistant to make sure we can process this collection in a timely manner.

Presenting at the National Communications Association Conference.

Radio dramas by Leigh Ann Howard's class - Daniel Wright, Padanaram.

Circulation: 7 requests from collections (July-present);

- Harison reviewed the schedule of activities for the Center for the rest of this semester and the start of the spring 2019 semester. These include publicizing annual prizes and travel grant; recruiting judges for prizes and travel grant; publicizing new Communal Studies minor; creating new required class for the minor ("Roots of Communalism"); organizing a public presentation for spring 2019; and continuing with a variety of projects on Marilyn's desk.
- Some members of the Board attended the morning's ground-breaking for the Minka model home (part of the Magic Project described at the spring 2018 Board meeting).
- Special thanks to Marilyn Thielman for her work in organizing this meeting.

Harison thanked all who were able to come to today's Board meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 1:10 pm.