

## **Children's Meeting – June 22, 2017**

Present: Anne, Dani, Mary, Emily, Denise

### **Success Stories**

Wirt--Mary will be starting full time at Wirt this Friday—Yeah☺. Cameron Zvara was a great success at Wirt's kick-off party....he stayed an hour longer than he was booked and did many balloon figures for the children.

Anne had different stations at the Stem + Stories (*Fairy Tale Engineering*) program that were a great success with the children.

Dani said that Sage's kick-off party had 549 people attending and everyone enjoyed themselves with lots of fun activities.

### **Committee Updates**

Anne shared updates from Admin Council Meeting minutes. Mark G. will be getting a mobile circulation set-up for checking out books when using the book bike.

### **Summer Reading Program 2017**

Presenter programs having been filling up nicely at the branches. Bookmobile's starter numbers are very high.

### **1,000 Books Before Kindergarten**

We went over Award Prizes....Emily will design a sticker to give out to children for every 100 books and Anne will design the certificates.

### **Early Childhood Workshop In November**

Ideas shared and discussed. Please send presenter ideas to Anne.

### **Lego Ninjago Movie Release Party at the Mall in September**

We will be doing a library program at the Bay City Mall with a Lego theme. Ideas were shared.

### **Sept/Oct System-wide programs**

Anne will need the dates for the Pumpkin Painting programs and Lego Club from the branches.

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Kickoff is on Saturday, September 30 at Auburn and Wirt. The Merry Music Maker will be the performer.

We will be having a Wizard Party in September or October at each branch. Tub/s will be prepped and rotated to each branch with items that can be used for the party.

## **Upcoming Community Events**

National Night Out—Tuesday, August 1 from 5-8 @ Uptown Bay City---Denise will go.

Waterfowl Festival—Weekend of August 5 @ State Park—Elizabeth and ? will go.

## **School Visit Power Point—Emily**

Emily showed us a power point that she put together for SRP presentations to the schools. GREAT JOB Emily.

## **Sharing of books and good ideas**

Anne: Chugga Chugga Choo Choo by Emma Garcia

Dani: Bob, Not Bob! by Liz Garton Scanlon, Rocket Science for Babies and General General Relativity for Babies by Chris Ferrie

Emily: The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl: Squirrel Meets World by Shannon Hale

Mary: First Science Encyclopedia by DK, Ultimate Space Atlas by National Geographic Kids

Denise: Toad On the Road by Stephen Shaskan

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