Ruth's Circle/AKA known as the "unofficial trustees"

January 9, 2012

Present: Linda, Lynn, Brigit, Ruth

Absent: Bobbi - in Florida, James - in bed

Fall programs report

Linda's workshop creating yarn baskets had 11 children – hugely successful!

James's Pumpkin painting had 22 children – mega successful!

Lynn's Paper bag gingerbread house workshop had 11 children – fantastico!!

We had a great fall for children's programming between workshops, game nights, and story hours.

News:

Furniture – Ruth bought a second low table, and is now looking for small chairs Lynn will talk to her mom about furniture from Cousins School building in Lyman.

WPL has joined the Maine Library eReaders program. We'll – get into figuring out how it works and publicizing it in Jan. Create an info packet for patrons on how to use it and maybe hold a workshop.

Winter-Spring Programming

January

Brigit – brief on book group to Kate at the Reporter tonight (done)

Brigit email James re tie dye date (done)

February – Patron Appreciation Week – Feb 6-11

Card-making workshop – Saturday Feb. 11 10 – 3 Lynn

Extra cards to be donated to Meals on Wheels – **Linda** to deliver

Feb. 18 10 am Saturday Story Hour

March – March 5 – 29 Silent Auction (to raise \$ for audio book for adults and children)

March 5 – Children's Game night 4-5 pm Preschool – 2nd grade

Sat. March 10 Kid's craft 10 am Hand puppets (**Who leads? Linda and Lynn?**)

March 17 10 am Saturday Story Hour

April 2 Monday – Children's Game night 4-5 pm Preschool – 2nd grade

Kids' craft - Flower pots and bouquets Sat. April 14 (who leads?)

May 7 Monday – Children's Game night 4-5 pm Preschool – 2nd grade

Kids' Craft – tie-dye **James need to settle date**

May 19 10 am Saturday Story Hour

June 4 game night
Kick-Off of Sumer Reading Program – June "Dream Big – Read"
Craft – Dreamcatchers June 16 10 am Linda call her Micmac friend

Please let me know details of questions I have asked and if I have mis-stated or left anything out!

Thanks all! Brigit