

Waterboro Public Library
Ruth's Circle Meeting Thursday September 1, 2011

Present: James Bouley, Linda Stapleton, Lynn Bilodeau, Brigit McCallum, Ruth Blake,
Librarian

Discussion of future programming
Children's Room

Develop a calendar of a children's craft program series
Children's Game Nights have been popular – led by Dave ?
Possibly one program a month
Perhaps alternate one game night one month, and a craft the next
Ideas:

James and Char – tie dye
Brigit – bead necklaces or bracelets
Mosaics
Lynn –various craft ideas

Adult Room

Book group – maybe start with Humanities series
Scrapbooking – afternoon group already planned
Maybe add an evening group
Lynn – beginning scrapbooking project – holiday orientation
Other program possibilities:
Genealogy?
Wills?
eBay class
Photography
Organization (home)

Budgeting for programs:

Grantwriting to pay for craft supplies

Family Dollar
Walmart
Grantwriting office at USM
Family Fun Magazine
Silent Auction
Grants office at the Glickman Family Library on Forest Avenue

To do lists:

Brigit

Send first draft of Calendar

Send the Link to Maine Humanities Book Groups List

Send List of books read by former WPL book group

Lynn

Look at site

Develop project for NOV Dec activity for adults

Approach farms re pumpkins

James

Look through craft books

Find others for craft programs

Linda

Look through craft books

Talk to school librarian – what are they offering?

Next meeting will be Thursday Sept 22

Postscript: A couple of years ago I talked to Pat Packer at Saco river Grange Hall about co-running a drama club or camp at WPL. This was in conjunction with the new library. I recall Linda's mention of Ian's love for dramatics. Might this be worth re-visiting?