

RECAP

- Building club on 3rd Saturday
- Crafts with Briana on the 2nd and 4th Saturday
- Family Storytime every Thursday at 3pm
- Leprechaun Trap STEAM Kits
- New Nonfiction books added to the collection
- One Book, OWWL Kids
- Read Across America Classroom visit at PCSD
- Spine Label project underway

Programs

One Book, OWWL Kids: a Community Read Program sponsored by the Pioneer Library Program.

- 3/30/2022 Worry Free Wednesday

Patrons in grades K-12 were invited to come to the library to hear Ruby Finds a Worry by Percival, talk a little about coping with the stress, and make Guatemalan Worry dolls. We had a mix of families, tweens, and teens attend. (7 participants)

Leprechaun Trap Kit: a Make and Take STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) kits

- These were a big hit. We ran out before the 16th and had several posts to Facebook.

| <u>Program</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Attendance</u> |
|----------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Worry Free Wednesday | 3/30 | 7 |
| Leprechaun Trap STEAM Kits | 3/1-3/16/2022 | 15 |
| Family Storytime | 3/3/2022 | 3 |
| Family Storytime | 3/10/2022 | 4 |
| Family Storytime | 3/17/2022 | 2 |
| Family Storytime | 3/24/2022 | 4 |
| Family Storytime | 3/31/2022 | |
| Crafts with Briana | 3/12/22 | 4 |
| Crafts with Briana | 3/26/22 | 0 |
| Building Club | 3/19/2022 | 7 |
| Make and Take craft kit | Rainbows | 7 |
| Make and Take craft kits | Lambs | 5 |
| Craft with Cocoa | 3/1/2022 | 2 |
| Craft with Cocoa | 3/9/2022 | 2 |
| Craft with Cocoa | 3/16/22 | 2 |
| Craft with Cocoa | 3/25/22 | 2 |

FACILITIES/ COLLECTION

- The new non-fiction books have been barcoded and processed.
- Collection display: Women's History Month
- The OPAC station and ethernet connection are installed. The computer utilized a mouse but it has been observed that young patrons do not know how to use a mouse as they have spent the past 2 years primarily using Chromebooks with touch screens and pads. When the time comes to update this station, we should consider moving to a touchscreen tablet to save space, reduce the number of cords within our youngest patrons' reach, and eliminate the need for a mouse increasing its accessibility.

OUTREACH

- Perry Elementary School classroom visits
 - 3/1/2022 Read Across America: I read Do Not Open This Book by Andy Lee and "The Great Fuzz Frenzy" by Janet Stevens and Susan Stevens Crummel to Ms. Dills' kindergarten classroom.
 - 3/21/2022 Perry Elementary Classroom visits (2)
Ms. Patridge's and Ms. Reagan's classrooms each enjoyed a read aloud of Ruby Finds a Worry by Percival, made Worry Dolls, and received a classroom copy of Ruby Finds a Worry.
- Youth Services Advisory Council meeting 3/15/2022
- Newsletter
 - The newsletter is gaining views with a total of 196 views in March.
- Worked on Friends of the Perry Public Library mailer
- Facebook
 - If you have Facebook, please consider inviting your Friends to Like our page.
 - Please continue to check our page frequently, Like, Share, and Comment our content. This really helps spread the word.

FUTURE PLANS

- Virtual Storytime launches on our YouTube channel
- More classroom visits
- Homeschool Group program
- Make Your Own Water Bottle Stickers for grades 5+

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 4/1/2022: Summer Reading kick-off workshop at the Pioneer Library Headquarters
- 4/3/2022 - 4/9/2022: National Library Week
- 4/14/22: Egg-stra Special Easter Storytime with read aloud, egg hunt, craft, and coloring pages
- 4/30/22: Get Ready for Mother's Day: Family event to create a present for mom

WORKSHOPS/ TRAININGS/ SERVICE to the PROFESSION

- ReadSquared
- Youth Services Advisory Board



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