

FAIRMOUNT COMMUNITY LIBRARY ASSOCIATION  
DIRECTORS REPORT  
APRIL 18, 2018

COMMUNITY ROOM

- Piano Recital April 7<sup>th</sup> Instructor Joan Lyons, fifty people attended, fourteen students participated.
- Organization meeting of Camillus Park Pickleball group

ADULT PROGRAMS

- Bagels with BIOs “Prince Harry” meets May 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Woodcarving for Beginners with Sam Lupo, first meeting is April 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Pizza and Pages, April 30<sup>th</sup> 6PM
- Recovery Book Club First and Third Mondays
- Adult Coloring April 19<sup>th</sup>
- Program facilitated by Kate Wolfe Lyga “Building Resources for Caregivers and Allies of Trans and Gender Non-Conforming Youth

Fund Raising

- CAMS Pizza Promotion raised \$57
- Bottles for Books raised \$25.90
- Book sale kicks off on April 27<sup>th</sup>, (10-5) ends April 28<sup>th</sup> (10-2)

CHILDREN PROGRAMS

Little Movers K 102 A 95

Creative Kids K 66 A 61

We have seen an increase in our toddler programs. Lots of new people are coming to each and every story time. A new play program has been added “Playtime” which provides children with a fun place to get their energy out as well as learning sharing and cooperation. During April break we will be offering “Drop in Crafts”. Kids at Work (Stem building for ages 4-7), and “Music is Magic” a preschool music program.

PAWS of Central New York April 24 (6:30 PM) offers reading to a furry friend in a non-judgmental atmosphere. Program has been shown to improve children’s reading skills and increase their self confidence.

OUTREACH

During National Library Week anyone who signs up for a library card will be given a ticket to Wonderworks at Destiny.

Brenda Shea will be working a table at a Health and Wellness For Camillus Kids where people can ask questions about books, immunizations, exercise, nutrition, staying safe and activities in Camillus

Book sale April 27<sup>th</sup> 10-5 April 28<sup>th</sup> 10-2 The Boy Scouts will bring all the books up to the Community Room on Wednesday at 6:30 PM. After the sale the Friends of the Onondaga Free Library will pick up all the unsold volumes for their own book sale May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Contacted the Syracuse Utah Public library to form a "sister library" program to share ideas and programs.

Created a mascot "Fairmount Freddie" who will travel around the country like "Elf on a Shelve"

#### HOME LEARNER

Gathering photographs and art work for display in the library.

Working to create a newsletter which will incorporate home learners' writing and pictures.