

YA Meeting 05/07/2008

Festival of Books – Emily Williams

- October 30th \$80

Writing Camp -- Al Serradell

- Works with both teens and adults
- Encourages them to publish
- Each course is two hours, two block workshop
- Workshop is around \$500 but will work with you

Introductions

- Everyone introduced themselves to Cyndi, the new YA programmer at Choctaw

Summer @ the Library-- Stacy Schrank

- Passed out materials
- The materials are the same as last year only the prizes are different
- Summer Reading training is on the internet and can be accessed on library computers
- To display the training use the library laptop and projector or it will be burned to a DVD
- Everyone, both staff and volunteer, must watch
- Janet has a reading list the covers books on metamorphosis

Volunteers – Heidi Port

- T-shirts should be arriving soon
- Order staff t-shirts now
- Volunteer timesheets have changed
- To learn about the new timesheets go to “Employee” on the intranet home page and go to “Trainng.” Then go to “Task Guides & Tools” and open Volunteer Timesheet Training
- Timesheets need to be routed and emailed to Heidi twice. Once by June 30th and then by August 1st
- Make sure to think about what color your volunteers are and how they can best help.
- Be supportive to your volunteers

Herd any Good Books – Stacy Schrank

- Promoting audio books for Summer of Reading
- Stacy has a sheet to help explain Overdrive

Free Comic Book Day -- Emily Williams

- A rack display seemed to work well for Edmond
- Putting the address on posters of participating comic book stores would help direct people to area stores.

Teen Read Month – Emily Williams

- Pass out copies of “Sucks to be You” to TAG and teens
- Possible programs to do include:
- Vampire/Zombie sock puppets craft program
- Graffiti Art program
- Twilight Party
- Monster Movies Makeup

Sharing – Everyone

Downtown: Film program went well

Edmond: Wizard Rock coming up

Village: Improv Group

Warr Acres: Music video- Myspace is better than your space

Del City: New tables for teen area

Choctaw: Movie night

Belle Isle: Bug cookies, Cupcakes and insect mazes for Summer of Reading

Midwest City: Chess tournament

Ralph Ellison: Poetry slam

Southern Oaks: Photo project