

## **LLC YS Minutes - Monday, May 6, 2019**

### **Greetings**

**Approval of March 4 Minutes** – Olivia (IB) motioned to approve, Gillian (MADL) seconds.

### **Update from Maranda:**

Maranda welcomed the Air Zoo to give a small presentation. They offer a variety of space and other programs and are still booking for summer.

Maranda handed out a word document with the SR 2019 prizes and what we would be picking up. Carlita will send items not picked up via LLC delivery. Branches to send drawing winners to Maranda by August 5.

- 1 - \$25 Meijer gift card (to be used however branches like)
- 2019 Entertainment book (to be used however branches like)
- Air Zoo Family four pack
- Whitecaps
- Family memberships to JBZ
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### **Grand Prize:** Great Lakes Crossings Shopping Spree

- Gift card to arcade
- Peppa Pig World
- Shopping spree card

### **Air Zoo Second tier prize**

- A behind the scenes tour of Air Zoo
- Family ride on an airplane
- Meijer gas card
- Apple Bee's Gift card

### **Maranda asked some favors of us:**

- Please continue to send thank you cards, the donors love it!
- Reach out if she can take promo video at your branch mid-late May.
- June 10, 9:45 AM she'd like to film live from a willing branch.
- Promote Maranda Park Parties.
- If a winner is picked from your branch Maranda suggest sending a staff person along to document the winner's experience.

**Allison Boyer** – encouraged us to thank Maranda for her 25 years of dedication to summer reading.

**Spring Institute** – Was in late March. Many were able to attend by show of hands. Gillian (MADL) will be incorporating some music & movement concepts into her PJ night. She also let the group know that PDFs from the workshop are still available online at the spring instate website.

### **Round Robin Sharing –**

**Jenny (HN)** – announced she has accepted a part time posting with KDL EGR branch. She hopes to remain as the vice chair and continue work on the summer workshop but will have to confirm with her new manager. She also invited others to help in planning in case she is unable to remain in the group.

**Sarah (NN)** – created a Tween book with her group of tweens. It is a “create your own adventure” book that will be illustrated by the kids as well. Once finished, Sarah plans to have copies available for circulation.

**Hannah (AS)** – began a “sew fun” program for kids grades 2 – 4. She had teen volunteers help a group of around 8 children created small sewing projects for their stuffed animals including, sleeping bags, jackets, ponchos and tiny teddies. *Doll Crafts* book has tons of great ideas.

**Beth (ML)** – introduced Lizzy, their new youth librarian who is “sunshine”. A teen staff person is still needed. The group gave Lizzy a warm welcome.

**Hannah (SW)** – was pleased to announce a grant her branch received for Español adventures immersion camp. She’s excited but terrified.

**Lydia (SM)** – proud to be working on a Harry Potter themed escape room set in the “Astronomy Tower” with fun challenges.

**Lauren (AF)** – is a former art teacher now serving youth at the Fennville Library. The group welcomed her new arrival.

**Janelle (IB)** – had a great experience with a foreign exchange student who became a teen volunteer and also led a tween program about film making.

**Gillian (MADL)** – Recommend a space theme nail wrap for a possible teen prize. Espionage cosmetics online.

**Allison (OL)** – reminded everyone to reach out to LLC youth services email for help or general info as needed especially for new staff. She recommended a Teen Graphic Novel – Kiss # 8 that is a good read about a family secret and how the teen character faces it.

**Next meeting – October 7, 12:30 PM, Fremont Library**

**Summer Reading workshop – Friday, November 22, 12:30 PM, Zeeland Library**

#### **Attendance:**

Ashley Johnson – OA  
Olivia Carlson – IB  
Janelle Franz - IB  
Erin Supri – IV  
Jacqueline Endres – OC  
Sheila Lownsbery – NC  
Lauren Coffan - AF  
Yessenia Carrillo – AF  
Roxanne Landin – NF  
Erica Huysr\* (sp) – SF  
Kaelyn Christian – OG  
Tiffany Ohman – MG  
Andrea Cosier – GRPL  
Lydia Schmidt – SM  
Paige Brandli – BH  
Stefanie Reed – AW  
Jenny Savage-Dura - HN  
Katie Kirk\* (sp) – OH  
Mike Golczynski – IC

Shanni Kerr – IC  
Carlita Gonzalez – KDL  
Mike G – picked up items on behalf of - IL  
Rhonda Burns – AL  
Justine Wiegiers – AL  
Allison Boyer – OL  
Michelle Wittkopp – MADL  
Gillian Streeter – MADL  
Sarah Welch - NN  
Amber McLain – OJ  
Wanda Mesbergen – AB  
Collette Wheelock - IS  
Hannah Mason – AS  
Nicole Schafer\*(sp) – AS  
Amy Binly\* (first name?) – OS  
Bethany Nettleton – ML  
Lizzie Osterman – ML  
Hannah Moalds – WS  
Jess Volkers - OZ