Education Report August 2010

RE Activities

Summer program continues

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Converting Black Hole from multi-purpose room to classroom at request of the teachers of the 2nd grade who utilize that room each Sunday during regular programming.

This entails removing the Children's Library, game storage and extra arts and crafts materials. Currently we have no place for these items and they will be moved to the RE office until a permanent location can be found. We are quickly running out of RE space. Options of unused space:

1. Adult RE Room

More shelving in RE office

Reconfigure classrooms to store parts of the library and crafts supplies in each room

- Programming for 2010-2011.
 - We are starting the year with 107 children/youth plus several visitors who will soon be put into tracking.

We could still use another 4 volunteers on Sunday morning in the elementary classrooms.

- We will have the following breakdown for classes at the 9:15 service
 - · Child Space children under 4

Pre-K -1St grade in the Lower Elementary Room

- Teachers; Carol Flanagan (lead), Sonceriae Armstrong, Liza Diniakos, Carol Jones
- 2nd 3rd grade in the Black Hole
 - Teachers; Roni Hooper (lead), Monika & Jeffrey del Bosque, Justine Fischer
- 4th -5th grade
 - Robin Lindsey (lead), Justine Fischer, Becky Zemlyn
- Middle School
 - Dana Ryon (lead), Brian Pletcher, Jessica Safani, Tom Smith
- YRUU 1 (Grades 9/10)
 - Haley Blasman, Ayanna Gaines, Kathleen Holland, Don Venardos
- At the 11:00 service
- YRUU 2 Grades 11 14
 - Ayanna Gaines, Jake and Kathleen Holland, Tom Smith
- Child care in Child Space and Black Hole

Still looking for assistance with two elementary age groups and the second service child care coverage for the upcoming year

OWL

We will have four sessions of Our Whole Lives.

High School – Fall 2010

K-1 – Fall 2010

Middle School -Winter 2011

Elementary Grades 5 and 6 - Spring 2011

Carol Flanagan is replacing Annie Barker on the RE Advisory Committee. Annie is serving on the

MSC. We are still looking for another person for RE Advisory. Current committee is Carol Jones (Group Director), Robin Lindsey (OWL), Carol Flanagan and Brian Pletcher.

Growth Goals / Progress

Board Goals: Grow from 185 members to 370 members by June 2011, with interim goals of an average of 7.4 new visitors per week, a positive welcoming Sunday experience and structured path to new membership for at least 15% of all new visitors.

Goals:

• RE Goal 150 children/youth enrolled by 6/2011. Currently tracking 107.

Current Committee Chairs

RE Group Director: Carol Jones
OWL Coordinator: Robin Lindsey
Adult Library: Sylvia Flores Johnson
Coming of Age: Justine Fischer

Adult RE: Justine Fischer

RE Faith In Action Coord/RE Administrative Assistance: Justine Fischer

Education Metrics

Total Children in RE System: 107

Average Attendance: 60 children per Sunday