

Programming & Makerspace Librarian Report  
October 2023

Programs:

9/14: Little Makers (15)

9/18: Silly Acorn Take & Make (60)

9/19: Chess Club (9)

9/20: Storytime (15)

9/21: Baby Play Date (8)

9/21: Maker Club: Magnet Painting (12)

9/25: Mindful Mondays Book Club (10)

9/26: Key Club Book Club (0)

9/26: For Teens: Squeegee Art (0)

9/27: Storytime (17)

10/2: Love. Family. Freedom presentation with Kim Simes (50 in-person; 18 virtual)

10/3: Bizarre History of Wisconsin with Chad Lewis (31)

10/4: Storytime (15)

10/4: Reflect & Realign Guided Journaling with Katy Wimer (8)

10/5: Baby Play Date (13)

10/5: Read or Treat with Zeta Sigma Chi sorority (25)

10/9: Wisconsin Pride Documentary Screening (27)

Upcoming Programs:

10/10: Chess Club

10/12: Little Makers

10/13: Fiber Friday

10/17: Family Science Expo

10/18: Family Craft Night with Latinos Unidos

Every other Thursday: Baby Play Date

10/19: Maker Club: Halloween Science Edition

10/23: Halloween take/make craft for kids

10/23: Mindful Mondays Book Club

10/24: The Victorian Undertaker

10/31: Teen Spooky Movie Night

11/1-12/13 on Wednesdays: Storytime

11/3: Fiber Friday

11/6: Understanding Whitewater's Effigy Mounds Preserve

11/7: Kao Kalia Yang Book Discussion

11/7: Chess Club

11/14: "Pearl" Film Screening

#### Makerspace Use:

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| • 9/16: Craft supplies | • 9/24: Craft supplies | • 9/29: Craft supplies |
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| • 9/24: Craft supplies | • 9/29: 3D printer     |                        |

Makerspace Training Appointments: 4.25 hours

#### Equipment & Technology:

- I created a Leather Tools kit for Makerspace use (patron request)

#### Donations:

- Embroidery hoop and floss from Jessica (staff)
- Chad Lewis donated two of his books for our collection

#### Other Updates:

- Recorded "How to get a library card" video with Jessica S. and Zach P. for the city station
- Participated in mugshots for Banned Books Week
- Small display case for October – Pride Rally and library pride events

#### Meetings:

- 9/15: Tara Peotter, H.S. Key Club Advisor and Deana

- 9/20: Staff meeting
- 9/21: ALSC Process Chairs committee meeting
- 9/22: ALSC Programs & Services Recognition committee meeting
- 9/26: Tiffany Helgersen (re: WLA Presentation)
- 9/26: Staff meeting
- 9/27: City leadership meeting
- 9/27: Staff meeting
- 9/28: Connecting Wisconsin Libraries
- 10/4: Staff meeting

Professional Development:

- WI Libraries Tech Days webinar: *Artificial Intelligence and the Library: The Current Landscape*