

# SWAYS MEETING

Sept. 9, 2009

## ATTENDANCE

Robin Lovinggood	Tri-Township
Maury Reynolds	E.Alton
Magi Henderson	Glen Carbon
Karen Voelker	Freeburg
Judy Groom	Freeburg
Erica Pyle	Columbia
Annette Bland	Columbia
Sis O'Brien	Bethalto
Synthia Kalinowski	O'Fallon
Sharon Windham	Haynor
Janet Andrews	Haynor
Shannon Ballad	Haynor
Teri Rankin	O'Fallon
Barb Driesner	Edwardsville
Laurie Ingram	Jerseyville
Donna Asbeck	Six Mile Regional
Judy Rake	LCLS
Kay Schuette	Latzer
Kate Kite	Wood River

Meeting began at 2:00 p.m. Introductions were made and the SWAYS and SLING groups separated for their business meetings.

Corrections to the May minutes were to add Judy Rake and Teri Rankin to the attendance list. Magi made the motion to approve and Teri seconded.

## Announcements:

Summer Reading Program total participants was 12,607

September is Library Card Month

Banned Book Week is Sept. 26 – Oct. 3

I.L.A is Oct. 7 – 9

Kate discussed a program called Great Stories Book Club which is a reading and discussion group based through A.L.A. The Web address is:

<http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/ppo/programming/greatstories/club.cfm>

Family Reading Night is Nov. 19

Glen Carbon is having a Family Teddy Bear Night

Troy is having Chirs O'Brien

Wood River is having Pirates vs Ninjas (new program by Swords & Roses)

Alton is having a Western Theme with stories around a campfire

I.L.A. Spring Forum will be May 12 with a split program. The morning session will be on Children's programming and the afternoon will be on crafts. We will need volunteers.

YSF needs one more volunteer. Kate is the only one from this area.

Terri brought up an Iditarod Program where a lady will bring her sled and dogs. Price is \$500, if you are interested e-mail Teri.

**MAPL** - no meeting

**PLAC** – System budget was cut by 16%

### **SUMMER READING HITS**

Bug lady from the Butterfly House, Yo Yo Kid, Stevens Puppets, Mad Science, Swords and Roses, World Bird Sanctuary and Mo. House Bunny Society

### **MISSES**

St. Louis Zoo and Eldon Roarke

**The next meeting will be on Oct. 14 at Tri-Township topic will be Puppet Stories and puppets.**

The 2 groups reconvened at 3:00 and Magi presented a program on Animoto ([www.animoto.com](http://www.animoto.com)) price is \$30 a year contact Magi for more information.

The next discussion was on the Illinois State Board of Education Internet Safety Act. There are lesson plans and activities on their web-site.

### **Favorite Web-Sites discussed were:**

**Cybersmart** this is a website for K-12 students with printable worksheets

**Order in the library** offers shelving activities

Minutes submitted by Kay Schuette