

Faith Development Meeting

Date: May 13, 2014
 Convener: Kim Kobersmith, Chair
 Recorder: Rachel Small Stokes
 Members Present: Kim Kobersmith, Alvera Perman, Debbonnaire Kovacs, Barb Taylor, Ashley Cochrane Staff Present: Rachel Small Stokes, Chris McKenzie
 Members Absent: Grace McKenzie
 Next meeting:

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Decisions Made</u>	<u>Action Needed</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>Follow-up Date</u>
<u>Devotional</u>	Reading from Debbonnaire’s book, “Ten Promises for Life”		Debbonnaire Kovacs	
<u>VBS</u>	Dates: June 8-11 th , then pool party on the 13 th 5:30-8 (incl. supper) Postcard to church families with children Helpers – high school age and up; middle school would need to have a specific project on one night with lots of supervision Carla and Abigale are working together to do an adult class Ashley will help somehow (shepherd) McKenzies are not here		Joan?	
<u>Volunteer Party</u>	Ask Joan to do invites: 6:30, Friday, June 20th Childcare at Friends’ meeting house so adults can enjoy (Abi and adult?). The party will be at the Friends Meeting House, too.		Rachel Joan	
<u>Wild Goose</u>	June 26 – 29 at Hot Springs, NC. We have 7 people signed up. We have room for many more. Most want to camp, but Carla got a house that can fit many people, and she is staying there.			
<u>Sunday School Teachers</u>	Alvera and Maggie don’t know if they’re coming back. Jessica is not coming back. Melinda Lewis is not returning. We haven’t asked anyone else if they are coming back. Need to work on asking people if they are returning.			

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<p><u>Youth Group Plans for the Summer</u></p>	<p>Youth may go to see the Moonbow on this Saturday, but due to various circumstances (weather, etc.), it might not work out. They might go bowling, instead.</p> <p>The youth have another work day on Saturday, May 24 to raise money for Passport.</p> <p>Passport camp is in July. Four adults are going: Grace, Chris, Alvera, and Abigail.</p> <p>The youth want to donate to the church to help meet the financial gap. Rachel suggested they keep the extra they raise for Passport for next year, and give maybe 10% to the church.</p> <p>They are planning a movie discussion series about the book/movie Divergent.</p> <p>They have a large, consistent group of middle schoolers. They are only getting 1 -2 highschoolers. They think the decrease in high schoolers is due to busy schedules (sports, etc.). Chris and Grace are keeping in touch with the highschoolers occasionally, and they are considering various options for the future (Sunday nights? Meeting less frequently than every week?).</p>			
<p><u>Safe Sanctuaries</u></p>				
<p><u>Children's Church</u></p>				
<p><u>Looking ahead</u></p>	<p>Events for whole families once a quarter – art trading card event, camping trip, game night, labyrinth, etc.</p> <p>Young adults out of college – one event per month -</p>			
<p><u>God on the Quad</u></p>	<p>August 17 – at next meeting we will plan what we're going to do. That is also Kim's birthday.</p>			
<p><u>Newsletter</u></p>	<p>VBS article – Kim will submit for this month</p>			
<p><u>Easter</u></p>	<p>Singing with Andy and Sue was great.</p> <p>The older kids didn't get very many eggs.</p>			

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