

Faith Development Meeting

Date: July 22, 2014
 Convener: Kim Kobersmith, Chair
 Recorder: Rachel Small Stokes
 Members Present: Kim Kobersmith, Alvera Perman, Debbonnaire Kovacs, Barb Taylor Staff Present: Rachel Small Stokes, Chris McKenzie, Grace McKenzie
 Members Absent: Ashley Cochrane
 Next meeting: Tuesday, August 12th, 6pm

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Decisions Made</u>	<u>Action Needed</u>	<u>By Whom</u>	<u>Follow-up Date</u>
<u>Devotional</u>	Prayer concerns			
<u>Upcoming Program ideas</u>	Post-traumatic Church Disorder, Intro to Hebrew, Adult/Youth Sexuality, Young Adult Covenant Group, SALT monthly service project Rachel is working on all of these ideas with others in the church interested in leading	Be supportive	All of us	
<u>Rekindle the Spirit Day</u>	Sept. 7 th Blessing of Teachers, coordinate with worship Provide food and decorations Places to publicize Consider, Email, Facebook Citizen Library Banner Berea KY Tradin' Post (facebook) Berea Online Feedback Cards – what would you like to learn?	Publicize Decorate Provide Lunch	Rachel, Grace and Kim – publicity Alvera will coord. Food and theme Kim will do feedback cards	Aug 12 th meeting
<u>Sunday School Teachers</u>	All teachers but Jessica and Melinda are re-upping their commitments for next year. Need at least one more (2 ideal for elementary and preschool Sunday School) Susan Doring-Zook? Edd Easton-Hogg? Little Church leaders – Kelly Richards, David Milley, Ashley Cochrane, Jeff From might be willing to continue Children's Church – Andy and Sue Blyth? Grace will be	Help Wanted Page for Consider	Rachel	Panic next meeting

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	<p>backup</p> <p>Training Scheduled: August 20th Safe Sanctuaries second training Sept. 28th during Sunday School</p>	Advertise training		
<u>Children's Church</u>	Ad is done and on Facebook – add how to apply Advertise with CCC, Child and Family Studies (Neil Mecham, Andrea Woodward), Education Dept. (Jon Saderholm), EKU?		Rachel will publicize	
<u>Youth</u>	Need to make calendar of yearly events for parents Youth will officially begin Sept. 10 th Hoping to do an outdoor event and check-in event Debbonnaire offered Labyrinth Youth service August 31 st		Grace and Chris	
<u>Looking ahead</u>	Events for whole families once a quarter – art trading card event, camping trip, game night, labyrinth, etc. Young adults out of college – one event per month -			
<u>God on the Quad</u>	August 17 Abby Embry has lots of ideas – can she organize? Debbonnaire will help staff the booth	Check with Abby to organize	Rachel	
<u>Review of VBS</u>	Heard good things about curriculum Need more organizers and publicity (not just Rachel) Move to at least a week later: June 14th-17th			
<u>Review of Thank You Party</u>	Earlier?	Kim will propose a date		
<u>Publicity</u>	NEED IS GREAT – Can we ask church council to think about a communications team?			
<u>Wild Goose</u>	Review: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Programs were great • Housing was terrible – reserve RV and camp or find walking distance hotel • Take walkie talkies for group communication 			

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volunteer service makes scheduling difficult • Youth tent was great for Zoe; she was not interested in much programming • Use someone else's vehicle next year ☺ <p>Need a time to share at WNL Approved expenses: all requested Consider fundraising for future years</p>			
<p><u>Passport</u></p>	<p>Review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent experience overall • Vehicle malfunction and one difficult time with two youth • Great volunteers! Abby Embry and Alvera Perman • Queens University in downtown Charlotte was the new venue – good site • Nice to have extra adults for driving, breaks for adults • Eight girls and one boy – totally separated, which made some isolation for MacGregor and Chris • Three people backed out at the last minute, which caused a major problem for organizing, fundraising, etc. <p>Next year: have a \$175 nonrefundable deposit, so if students back out we don't lose their money</p>			
<p><u>Newsletter</u></p>				