Chrisman Public Library News May 9

Chrisman's Spring Fling is over but we had a great turnout! A lot of people came to the book sale on Friday and Saturday and many people came to the hanging basket sale on Saturday! We sold 85 baskets in 4 short hours and were thrilled with the turnout for this wonderful library fundraiser! We want to thank all the people who purchased these beautiful baskets, all the people who donated money to the library, and all the volunteers who donated their own personal time to help sell and carry these baskets to vehicles for the purchaser! It is so nice to see the hanging plants all throughout Chrisman with their bright colors! And thank you to all the people who came in and perused our book sale, even as small as it was, and gave free-will donations, as well as to the volunteers who also donated their personal time to help people find the "right" book! Chrisman Public Library is so grateful to ALL who helped make Spring Fling for the library a success!

Story Time was held on May 1, May Day, and Miss Kara read two books titled "May", nonfiction books by Mari Kesselring and Robyn Brode that talked about what makes May special including when it is, characteristics, events, activities, and what holidays it has. The children hadn't heard about "Peace Day" which is held on May 18 and they were reminded that May 1 was the National Day of Prayer as well as May Day, and of course we reminded them that May 11 is Mother's Day! Miss Kara also read "Mayday Mouse" by Seb Braun, about Captain Mouse who sets sale to deliver a birthday gift to her brother and the perils she faces on her journey. The children all listened intently and asked questions before going into the back room to make May baskets! Once their project was complete the 13 children left with their creation, snack and drink! The next Story Time will be held on Thursday, May 15 at 3:30pm.

We want to wish all the Moms out there a very Happy and Wonderful Mother's Day!

UPCOMING MAY EVENTS

May 11 is Mother's Day. May 15 is Story Time. May 18 is Peace Day. May 26 is Memorial Day and the library will be closed.

May 27, a representative from State Representative Adam M. Niemerg's office will be here from 12:30pm – 1:30pm to give out answers to questions that were asked last month. All are welcome! Bring more questions! May 29 is the Great Puzzle Race at 5:30pm.

There is a calendar of current monthly events posted on our Facebook page and at the window to the left of the library door so if you're wondering what we're doing, check it out!