

KEY MONTHLY LIBRARY ACTIVITIES - 2012

Month: February

Location: Erin Meadows

REACHING OUT TO...

FAMILIES AND CAREGIVERS

1. Thirteen children's programs drew an audience of 219 parents and children to the Erin Meadows Library this month.

YOUTH

1. Erin Meadows staff presented to the John Fraser Secondary School's Grade 11 (Living & Working with Children) and Grade 12 (Human Growth) students a one hour demonstration that was made up of a mini storytime and a powerpoint presentation on research skills specific to the curriculum assignment. Students are given an assignment to present a storytime/circle time to the preschoolers attending the Playful Pals Preschool housed at John Fraser. The students visit the library and participate and observe the creation and presentation of a library storytime.

2. Drop-in chess, gaming, book club and Reading Buddies programs continued to be successful in engaging youth in the Erin Meadows community.

NEWCOMERS

1. A Conversation Circle for new immigrants was hosted by Polycultural Immigrant and Community Services

COMPLETING OUR NEIGHBOURHOODS

1. Museums of Mississauga created a display in the Library of The History of Butter making. Many customers and their children stop to look at the gadgets and the children get an explanation of the whole process.