

Advisory Panel Meeting of September 19, 2000

Introductions by Jeannie Stone and overview by Cheryl Robson. Carol Smith facilitated with Dean Jackson, Nan Sloan, Mari McAlister, Norma Thomas, Sheryl Bielenberg, LuAnn Waldo, and Diane Jensen attending.

FOCUS GROUP WORKSHEET DATA

Contributions to literacy and the Bayard community:

- scholarships for continuing education
- church-teaching values
- Mom raising children
- parent educator
- 4-H program
- life-long learners
- library skills
- family reading time
- book fair
- RIF
- computer skills
- enrichment reading

Projects being done:

- holiday reading program
- then & now book for grandchildren
- poetry notebooks(memorize poem and then put into book)
- Mom reads book-child tells story back-mom writes story-child copies story,illustrates and collects stories.
- pre-reading program/lap reading for 6 month olds to teach how to handle a book
- HOPES – in home visit for new parents
- Medieval Feast- writing, poetry,music,dance,drama
- African unit- research, reports, speaking tours
- story-time

- spring reading challenge
- summer reading program
- Bible stories/church programs
- Time capsule

Who is involved in these programs?

- Church
- families
- children
- organizations
- volunteers
- parents
- school
- library

Who is not involved?

- businesses
- over-sixty folks

Project ideas:

- foster grandparent program
- intergenerational story-telling
- tall-tale project
- devotional book
- military stories
- scrapbooks
- journal writing
- buy books for babies
- pre-school story-times
- puppet shows
- one-on-one reading/mentoring