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Outreach, Projects & Visits

- ◆ Head Start continued to display the children's art work in The Trove and then they brought classes for a storytime before they viewed their work. Parents came in with their children, too.
- ◆ The art show from the White Plains Schools opened on a Thursday night, and many families came in to the Trove. Hopefully we will sponsor the exhibit next year, and we will schedule more staff.
- ◆ Terry Rabideau and Bonnie Grant continued with visits to preschools.
- ◆ Debra Gaffey, Rosemary Rasmussen, Terry and Bonnie helped with the Eastview visits which were a great success.
- ◆ All of us are hard at work planning and preparing for the summer reading activities.

Programs

- ◆ Tata Canuelas hosted the Cinco de Mayo dance program and art exhibit, with funding from the Westchester Arts Council and the Friends of the Library. The costumes were spectacular!
- ◆ The Westchester Child Care Council presented a Born Learning program for a nice group of parents and babies.
- ◆ Susan Stassa finished up a popular round of Reading Coach. We will resume in August before school starts, and hopefully this valuable program will be funded again.

Staff

- ◆ Man-ching Tom from Manhattanville College came for an evaluation of the tutors placed here during the spring semester. These tutors are very helpful in the Teacher In The Library program.
- ◆ Bonnie and Deb attended the SLJ Day of Dialog, with panels and presentations by children's authors.
- ◆ Deb attended the Battle of the Books meeting. We plan to participate in this countywide reading challenge.