

Teen Advisory Minutes - October 17th, 2022

Attendance: 27 people

Quickly discussed:

- teen advisory setup
 - distilled our brainstorming from last month into a few working groups
 - Leadership board
 - Snack ambassador
 - Communicate with other groups to set agenda for meetings
 - Book ordering
 - Look through review journals
 - Keep up with popular authors and series
 - Displays and decorating
 - Groups/individuals sign up to manage rotating book displays
 - Plan and create decorations for Teen Room
 - Organize art by local teens to exhibit
 - Event planning
 - Plan Friday crafters activities
 - Plan seasonal activities
 - Social media
 - Create social media schedule
 - Create posts
 - information gathered from attending Westborough Public Library's teen advisory meeting
 - Their teen librarian passes out brainstorming sheets and everyone works in groups to contribute ideas on a variety of topics
 - Advantage: everyone gets to contribute their ideas on any topic
 - Disadvantage: people may feel that they're wasting time on something they're not interested in
 - Compromise: people can sign up today for the working group or groups that they're interested in joining. We'll use the first part of each meeting for general brainstorming on each topic, then break into working groups. If you're in multiple groups then you can decide which one to join for that day, or jump between groups. During the second part of the meeting the brainstorming sheets will be passed to the working groups
 - Worked on brainstorming on posters spread through room, signed up for working groups

Next meeting is November 21st!