

**Ministry Team: Learning**  
**Meeting date: October 8, 2013**  
**Attendees:**  
**Kim Knuppel**  
**Zay Lenaburg**  
**Deanna Sanders**  
**Excused:**  
**Jeff Cieslik**  
**Donna Haberland**  
**Angella Hoffman**

Items that may require council action: none

Items that may require budget/finance coordination TO BE PRESENTED TO SUPPORT MINISTRY TEAM before being presented to Council: none

New Task Force (include minutes plus complete the form in the team folder): none

Ministry Team Minutes:

Items of discussion:

2014 Budget (see attached budget update sheet that was sent out)

Nursery staff and nursery supplies are no longer under LMT

Take \$100 from nursery supplies and move to SS supplies

Take \$50 from Library/Media and move to SS supplies

We would like to ask for an additional \$500 for SS supplies, making the total \$1,150

Take \$50 from Baptismal Faith Formation and move to VBS

We would like to ask for an additional \$75 for VBS, making the total \$1,425

\$1,000 for the rolling dividers – find out what the “building team” is and see if this is under them. If not, we also need \$1,000 this year for those too.

Spend \$300 on 2014 for a TV stand (the monitors at the NS will be replaced with larger ones, and we can use one of the TV's for the DS if we purchase a stand for it.)

Future: \$1,000 for rolling dividers at the NS to create more classroom space. We are almost out of room and some SS classes will need to be spilt in the future because they are getting too big.

Ideas to keep attendance consistent in SS and have parents more involved.

More hands on activities for kids

For younger kids, maybe parents could come in and sing with them

For younger kids, maybe parents could come in and share a special talent or teach/lead a game, even if it doesn't apply to the lesson.

Ask for subs

Push for something exciting in February when there is a lull in attendance, maybe have an open house

Consider doing a teacher training program (either one we pull together on a subject, or have someone come in to do a morning program.) Any subject ideas?

Brainstorming session for SS teachers

Are there any YouTube clips that have some examples of how to discipline or redirect children? Examples would be helpful instead of just telling them how to handle it.

Revisit website links for church website – what can we do to make the learning site more interesting for families? What types of links do we want to see? Parenting Links? Christian on-line games? Bible study links for kids/families?

We will get put up what we have already.

Any other Items? (Start thinking about a basket idea for the Impact Event in Feb?)

Some ideas for basket: family game night, dessert basket, Badger Sports Park passes, mystery gift cards

NS still needs a 1st grade teacher for team teaching.

Term Ends: Kim Knuppel (February 2014); Deanna Sanders (Sept. 2016); Zay Lenaburg (Sept. 2016)  
Council Representative: Jeff Cieslik