

Education Committees Meeting  
April 5, 2010

The education committee met at the USDA Service Center, 1691 N 31<sup>st</sup> Road, Ottawa, IL. The meeting was called to order at 4:09 p.m. by JoAnn Adams.

Present: JoAnn Adams, Ruth Capsel, Laurel Maze, Alice Pfau, Linda Roberts, Vicki Heath, and Ruth Anthe

**Rasmusen Spring Nature Days – April 28 & 29** – Registrations have been broken into groups. Alice will bring students to help with the sessions. Tracy Haas will be assigned to animal tracks with Linda Roberts. Laurel Maze will work with Ruth Capsel on bird I.D. Fairmont Minerals of Wedron is donating trees to be planted during the soils sessions. They may also be sending some employees to help with the planting. Judy Rosengren will assist Linda Roberts on Thursday.

There may be some work that needs to be done at the property before the Nature Day Events. JoAnn will check it out and try to schedule a work day if needed. The Master Naturalists will be asked to participate in the workday on either April 17 or April 24.

**Activity Day – September 16** - Letters will be sent to past presenters asking them to conduct their programs again this year. Afternoon programs will be: Ken Clodfelter –fish, Linda Roberts – history of the park, and JoAnn Adams – artesian well.

**Ramusen Fall Nature Days– October 5** – Registration info will be sent with Activity Day registration forms.

Tokens of appreciation were handed out to the education committee.

There was no other business.

A Laurel Maze/Ruth Capsel motion adjourned the meeting at 4:46 p.m.

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*(JoAnn Adams, Chairman)*