



The Literacy Center News

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New Funding Award

The MA Dept. of Education has awarded Bristol Community College and The Literacy Center funds to provide Adult Basic Education in Attleboro. The Literacy Center will receive \$140,000 per year for the next four years to conduct English for Speakers of Other Languages classes, Volunteer Tutor Training, and Community Planning. Beginning in January, we will be able to offer a more intensive evening program. Separate funds were also awarded to Bristol Community College to provide daytime GED classes at their Attleboro Campus. We look forward to continued collaboration to provide high quality adult education for the communities we serve.

Board News

New Officers 2007

Mike Holmes...President
Kathleen Zawasky.V. President
Beverly Hall..Secretary
Matthew Harrison..Treasurer
Ned Bristol
Fran Carl
Noreen Considine
Monica Lee
Diane Mangiaratti
Anne Nakshian
Tim Poirier

TLC COOKBOOK
Cookbooks still available.
Great holiday gift idea!
Sale price \$5

Family Holiday Party

Wednesday, December 13th 6pm—8pm. Join us for a multicultural celebration of the holiday season. Students, tutors, staff, Board, volunteers, and friends welcome! Bring food to share.

Even Start

Congratulations to our Even Start Family Literacy Program staff. Located in the Briggs Corner School, Even Start offers adult education, interactive literacy, parenting classes and home visits. The Program received one of the highest performance ratings in the state for 2006.

Weather Cancellations

Call TLC (508)226-3603—Ext. 14
or check our website —www.TheLiteracyCenter.com
for hours of operation.

Thank you...Thank you...Thank you

Augat Foundation for funds to purchase books

Lloyd G. Balfour Foundation for operating support

Citizens Bank Foundation for funds for Financial and Health Literacy in our ESOL class

Target Foundation for funds for Campaign READ

Haunted Mansion A Great Success

500 people came through the Haunted Mansion. We raised \$3,000 and had a great time. **THANKS** to *Attleboro Community Theatre, Tri-Boro Youth Theatre, Murray Unitarian Youth Group, Attleboro Women of Today, the Girl Scouts, Wheaton College and BCC students, and many individuals who helped in so many ways!*



FIGHT THE DARKNESS...BE A LIGHT OF LITERACY

Annual Fund Appeal

Please make donations payable to -The Literacy Center 80 North Main St. Attleboro, MA 02703

___ **SPARK**(\$10 - \$24) ___ **CANDLE** (\$25-\$49) ___ **FLAME**(\$50-\$74) ___ **TORCH**(\$75 - \$99) ___ **BEACON**(\$100+)

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