

Tennessee Valley LEGO Club Meeting Minutes

October 18, 2014

1. Badges should be in this month
2. Shirts- 75+ for bulk
3. New library contact – Michelle
4. Books & Bricks library workshops – more quarterly events in 2015 on Saturday afternoons
 - Last month's Oscar Mason workshop – 24 kids, including members of the Boys & Girls Club
 - Volunteer Event Coordinators needed. Coordinators will be responsible for budgeting, Pick-a-Brick supplies, and prizes. Pick a theme, and bring models based on said theme to inspire the kids. Expect workshops to last approximately 1 hour.
5. LEGO Ambassador Network program revisions
 - Each participating LUG has one representative ambassador.
 - The LEGO Group will supply Show Support for the Brick Blast event
 - LUGBULK 2015 planning begins in December, due in January, 85 element selection. Order typically arrives between June and July. Consider purchasing excess foundational elements to be offered to new members with club funds.
6. Upcoming events
 - October 25 – Nerdcon – pop culture event at the main Huntsville-Madison County Library, with “LEGO in Motion” panel.
 - November 8 – Normalpalooza – Pete & Chris will provide collaborative display tables; Play Brick will be a main attraction.
 - December 13-14 – Brick Blast – Setup on December 12 at 5 PM – at United Methodist Church. A Brick Blast officer meeting will be held in the next couple weeks. Proceeds go to the Autism Association
7. Coordinators
 - a. Theme Coordinator – Caleb – responsible for organizing independent MOCs
 - b. LEGO Book Coordinator – John – organizes books supplied by No Starch Press, Skyhorse, and S-Brick.
 - c. Micropolis – Jenifer
 - d. GBC Coordinator?
8. Publicity
 - a. WLRH – recording 5 weeks prior to the show, near the end of this month.
 - b. WHNT
 - c. Rocket City Mom
 - d. Flyers at Nerdcon
 - January 17-18 -- Brickfair – Attendee weekend begins January 15 – Theme: Love
 - a. Changes to registration – Payment for contributor attendance must be mailed by check, PayPal is no longer accepted.
 - b. GBC – Phil Eudy may not attend Brickfair AL, TNVLC will need an increased presence.