



- On October 18, John and I attended the Woodlands Library Cooperative (WLC) Advisory Council Meeting which focused primarily of the future structure and administration of the cooperative.
- On October 25, John, Jeanne and I attended an excellent workshop on management at Albion Public Library, brought to us by WLC. The speaker was Eva Davis, director of the Canton Public Library.
- On October 31, I spoke at the Altrusa meeting with Lynda Chan. This talk covered literacy, library services and library funding.
- On November 7, I spoke at the Bronson Rotary about library services and our need for support.
- On November 12, I attended the Coldwater Public Library board meeting, and presented them with the idea of CPL paying for our Ancestry.com subscription for 2013. They were very receptive and positive about this possibility and want me to propose it when the subscription renewal is closer (our currently contract ends in June 2013).
- Our “Geek the Library” launch party is on Friday, November 16. We have received numerous donations and contribution from local businesses and individuals for this gathering.
- I have been devoting copious amounts of time to the budget, which is covered later.
- We have recently held adult programs on decoupage and dental hygiene. We have two origami ornaments programs, a program on making german star ornaments and a program on making fleece tie blankets coming up in November and December.

Respectfully Submitted,

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