

Friends of the South Coastal Library

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School Partnership Committee Report

The School Partnership Committee's program revolves around the school year calendar as opposed to the standard year calendar. That being said, the committee held two author visits to Lord Baltimore last November, brought an author to the Early Learning Center last week and will bring Lenny Holt to LB in April.

Lee Burris came to the Early Learning Center on Tuesday, February 18th to present to the seven 4-year-old classes. The students and teachers enjoyed her visit and enthusiastically repeated her pledge: "I am Somebody"! Ms. Burris was very impressed with how well-behaved the students were and enjoyed their participation.

Going forward, the committee is re-focusing our goals to improve our effectiveness. The School Partnership Program plans to bring their concentration back around to meeting FOSCL's mission. The SPC is very thankful for the generous financial support FOSCL has allotted us throughout the past years. However, in order to align ourselves with FOSCL's purpose, we need to promote ways to bring the students directly to the South Coastal Library.

The plan is to meet with the principal and reading specialist at Lord Baltimore soon to discuss this re-focus further. Stay Tuned!