



Barbara Bush Literacy Program

September – NFRW Literacy Month

Name of Club: _____

Club President: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____ Fax: _____

Describe your club's Literacy Project: (Please attach separate page if necessary)

Date of Literacy Project: _____

Was this a first-time Project or an ongoing one for your club? _____

Did you receive publicity? _____

Completed form must be emailed to literacy@nfrw.org

by October 31.

You may submit photos, publicity or other supporting documents.

Please scan items and attach them to the same email message as form.



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Each September, the NFRW honors Barbara Bush and her literacy mission. The Barbara Bush Literacy Program encourages local clubs to adopt a project to promote literacy in your community. Some of you have on-going projects, while others are new to this program. So what to do?

First, select a project that is best for your community. A list of successful projects from preceding years can be found on the NFRW website under the Member Center/Digital Resource Library/Literacy and Education Committee at www.nfrw.org/drl-literacy. If you have any problems accessing this document, please let us know.

Second, please complete the form (first page of this document) and email it to the committee at literacy@nfrw.org, making sure that it is submitted no later than October 31.

Third, the committee will hold a random drawing of the completed documentation forms.

In addition, if you are going to donate a book or books to a school library, don't forget to obtain formal NFRW bookplates to place in the front of each book donated. By doing this, your club will be recognized for its donation. Official NFRW bookplates are sent upon request. When you do request the formal bookplates, please include a list of the title, if known, and quantity of books to be donated. Without that information, we are not able to send you the bookplates. Contact information is listed on the NFRW literacy web page at www.nfrw.org/melp.

Finally, we urge each club to appoint an active MELP chair and to promote educational reform by keeping your members knowledgeable about pending legislation, events, and groups that have an impact on education. Our emphasis is on grassroots efforts. Clubs and members have the best insight on what is best for their own communities. We support local control of our schools.