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MEMO

TO: Nine Mile Creek Board of Managers
FROM: Gael Zembal
DATE: July 9, 2019
RE: Education & Outreach Coordinators Report for July 2019 Board Meeting

Program Updates

Education

The original bike tour was cancelled due to predicted thunderstorms. The rescheduled day had fewer people register and attend, due in part to the high heat that day. However, the bike program still ran, and was successful enough that we will consider hosting another one next year.

We hosted our 60th anniversary Summer Tour for partners, decision makers, volunteers, and the public. We stopped at a few projects from the past and present, as well as sites of planned projects.

Education staff led a hike around Lake Smetana for the Dell Planet team. We also partnered with Let's Go Fishing Eden Prairie again to host our Fishing program in July.

Outreach

Staff went out with the Popup Education Cart to a couple Farmer's Markets in June. There are many other appearances scheduled at parks and community events: the full list is on our website under Upcoming Events.

Meetings

June 21: Gael met with teachers from Jefferson High School about their new Eco club

Miscellaneous

Gael is nearly finished with her grad school capstone project and will submit it to Hamline University at the end of July. This will mark the completion of her Master's Degree.

Upcoming Events

Aug 6	Project WET: 9-3 PM; Nine Mile Creek Discovery Point
Aug 20	Master Water Stewards Info Session: 6-7; Cream and Amber, Hopkins
Aug 27	Edible Hike: 6:30-7:30; Nine Mile Creek Discovery Point