LET FREEDOM RING! PARTY WITH PJ FOR PASSOVER

PJ LIBRARY OF GREATER INDIANAPOLIS PASSOVER PARTY

ARTHUR M. GLICK JCC, LAIKIN AUDITORIUM - MARCH 21, 2010



Title:	LET FREEDOM RING!
Sub-Title:	PARTY WITH PJ FOR PASSOVER

Location/s:	ARTHUR M. GLICK JCC
	6501 HOOVER ROAD
	INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46260
Date / Time:	MARCH 21, 2010, 3:00 – 5:00 PM

PJ Community:	GREATER INDIANAPOLIS
Program Professional:	PATTI FREEMAN DORSON

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Why?	X Outreach to New Families
	X Community Building / Programming for PJ Families
	PJ Leadership
	Other / Explain Under Goals Below
Who?	X Families
	X Parents
	Other / Explain Under Goals Below

Where?	Public Space
	X Jewish Space
	Private Home
	Other / Explain Under Goals Below
Frequency:	Launch Event
	On-Going
	X One Time
Goals:	Provide timely program with books and activities related to Passover themes and stories. Fun Sunday afternoon family time for PJ Families, waitlist families and any other families who chose to join us.
Activities:	Started PJ Passover Party with four books at different age levels: <i>Passover, Passover!, Five</i> <i>Little Gefiltes,</i> and <i>Only Nine Chairs, A Tall Tale</i> <i>for Passover.</i>
	Children participated in station-based activities, including:
	Clean Out the Chametz
	Cross the Red Sea to Dry Land
	Matzo Walk: Wander for 40 Years
	Color a Pesach Picture
	Visit the Matzo Factory with Rabbi Mendel Schusterman. Sensory experience as Rabbi Schusterman teaches as he bakes, the smell of the baking matzo swirls around the room and the children receive matzo to taste.
	Snack of chocolate matzo and bottled water provided.

Publicity / Recruitment Efforts:	We prepared flyers to distribute in hard copy. Also sent flyer via email to all PJ families and all families on waitlist.
Participation:	64 Adults & Children
Co-Sponsors:	None
Cost:	Chametz to donate to food pantry

What Made This Program a Success?	Easily accessible activities for children the age of the PJ demographic. Book readings provided context and understanding for activities. Activities stimulated multiple senses.
Unexpected	
Outcomes:	

Color a Pesach Picture



Matzo Walk: Wander for 40 Years





Clean Out the Chametz



Cross the Red Sea to Dry Land





We visited the Matzo Factory

