Books For A Brighter Future

*Intro. To Education: Practicum

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Mission Statement

- Our goal was to earn money to help the fourth grade classrooms have better libraries.
Community

* The community helped by donating things to sale and also by showing up at the yard sale and buying something or maybe even donating some money.

* We also had a member of the community (Linda Taylor) donate the facility to us to hold the yard sale.
Were the course objectives met?

* We were able to work with students in the fourth grade.
* We were also able to involve the community and the school by having them donate items.
Technology

- Communication through email.
- Microsoft Word to write the letter to parents of the students in the school.
Skills Developed

- Teamwork
- Making a brochure
- Writing letters to student parents
- Being able to communicate with teachers and administration at the school
- Organization

04/17/2009
January
Met with Pea Ridge 4th grade teacher
They need books for classrooms

February
Formed group
Brains stormed
Decided to have a yard sale

March
Formed the parent letter
Asked school to use gym for sale

April
Sent out letters to parents
Had to find new facility to have sale
Held the yard sale
Presented the money to the 4th grade

Today
Presentation

04/23/2009
Results

* With the help of the students at Pea Ridge Elementary and the community we raised $125 to go towards books for classroom libraries.
Future Groups

* Future groups can continue raising money anyway they feel is good to give classrooms around the area more books.
We would like to thank the following people for all of their help:

- Mr. Martin
- Ms. Wood
- Pea Ridge 4th grade teachers
- Mrs. Rademacher
- Linda Taylor
- Students of Pea Ridge Elementary
- Everyone who came to the sale