Cultural Arts & Heritage Program of Work Report From July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016

Areas Reporting:

Louisville, Lincoln Trail, Northern Kentucky, Pennyrile, Licking River, Quicksand, Bluegrass, Northeast, Fort Harrod, Mammoth Cave, Purchase, Lake Cumberland, Green River

Reading and Kentucky Literacy

Did your (club/county/area) use the KEHA Book List this year? Yes 76 No 30 (6 areas yes; 1 no)

Did your club or county participate in the reading award program? Yes 29 No 13 (5 areas yes; 7 no)

Does your club or county have a Homemaker Book Club? Yes 10 No 30 (2 areas yes; 5 no)

Preserving and Protecting Native American Cultural Arts and Heritage

Number of Homemakers who received mini-lesson information on Ceremonial Quilts. 194

How many cultural arts trips (museums, ceremonies, etc.), related to Native Americans, were taken this year? Club 27 County 114 Individually 146 (Please list trips on back of form.)

Trips:

- Pennyrile Area
 - o Remember the Ride: Young Native American Cyclists
 - o Caldwell Co Trail of Tears: Indian Summers
 - Dixie Stampede and Trail of Tears.
- Licking River Area
 - o Blue Licks State Park

o Cherokee, Tennessee

- Fort Harrod Area
 - Smithsonian

Kentucky History Center

- o Cowboy Museum (Oklahoma)
- Purchase Area
 - Wickliffe Mounds

Trail of Tears Presentation

- Cherokee Presentation
- Northern Kentucky Area
 - Liberty Hall and Blue Wing Landing
 - o Dinner trips to Bardstown, Derby Dinner Theatre, LaComedia
 - o Trips to Amish Country, Ward Hall, area plays and festivals
 - Visited Rosemary Clooney's Home

How many books related to Native Americans were read? 351

How many craft items were made using authentic Native American designs and symbols? <u>839</u>

How many lessons related to Native Americans were taught to youth? 13

Other

Does your club or its individual members sell craft items to support Homemaker or other community projects? Yes <u>44</u> No <u>16</u>

Total funds generated: \$38,510

Programs Funded:

- Louisville Area
 - o Scholarships
 - Martie's Kitchen
- Lincoln Trail Area
 - Backpack for Hunger
 - o Project Graduation
 - 4-H Scholarship
 - o Girl Scouts
 - Pregnancy Resource Center
 - Ovarian Cancer Research
 - Academic Scholarship
 - Licking River Area
 - o Scholarship
 - Quicksand Area
 - Art Council
 - Student Scholarship
 - Northeast
 - Markey Cancer
 - o Local Homemakers Scholarship
 - o Dressing rooms
 - Hospice
 - Fort Harrod
 - o Food Pantry
 - o 4-H Camp Scholarships
 - Elder support
 - Local Scholarships
 - o Senior Citizens
 - Backpacks
 - Mammoth Cave
 - o Friends of Old Mulkey Mtg. House
 - Purchase
 - Food Pantries
 - High School Scholarships
 - o Churches
 - Green River
 - o Courageous Kids
 - o 4-H
 - o Backpacks Program
 - Northern Kentucky
 - 4-H Scholarships
 - High School and Homemakers Scholarships
 - o Programs for homeless people
 - Programs fighting various kinds of cancer

- o Second Wind Dreams
- Food bank
- Youth Theater
- Art Guild
- Brothers and Sisters Scholarship Fund
- Heart and Cancer Associations
- o Relay for Life
- Baked Goods
- Mini Grants for Continuing Education
- o Ovarian Cancer Research
- Ovarian Cancer Screening
- Highlands Museum
- o 2 Heart Pregnancy Clinic
- The Neighborhood Youth Service Center
 - Angel Tree
 - o Children Cancer Camp
 - Kings Center
 - Holiday Store
 - Fire Department toy drive
 - Project graduation
 - Family Focus
 - o 4-H
 - Junior Achievement
 - Family Christmas Oneida Club
 - Scholarships
 - o Bible Schools
 - o Franklin Graham Crusade
 - o Santa's Castle
 - School Winter Wonderland
 - Many counties have quilt shows to raise money

Please indicate the number of members in your (club/county/area) who sell craft items to supplement their household income. 407

Additional Information:

Northern Kentucky Area

- Classes were taught on scrapbooking, ceramic painting, pineapple quilt, made a bag to hold a
 rotary board and ruler, origami, duplicate stitch, smocking, faux smocking many quilts, mesh
 wreaths, and shashiko embroidery. Trips were taken to learn how to make stained class stepping
 stones. Quilt colors were chosen from paint chips drawn from a grab bag. Quilters were
 challenged to make a quilt from the color pallets they picked.
- A quilt was made for our Owen County Agent from memories from the many county fairs she has helped with.
- An area-wide Sewing Expo is held every spring at Butler State Park.
- We have clubs for sewing, embroidery, quilt clubs, crafts in general, and baskets.
- Northern Kentucky hosted the 2016 State Homemaker Meeting. Hands on classes were taught on decorating glass blocks, ceramic coasters, gingham smocking, double strand bracelet, triangle table runner, barbed wire star, half knot bracelet, shashiko quilting, burlap and twine wreath, note cards and box.