GODORT Government Information for Children Committee

The question was asked if there can be a Digital Poster submission in the future. Connie Williams contacted the couple who sponsor the contest, and they do not have the capabilities for electronic submissions at the present time. We are unsure if they will be willing to accept print copies of digitally created artwork for a new category of submissions. We can discuss this with them in the future. They may not have the resources for additional prizes for a new category. Perhaps other co-sponsoring organizations (GPO?) can help supply additional prizes for another entry category.

On the forms there is no statement that the entries are original works by the entrants. In the future perhaps that can be added to the entry forms.

Connie Williams contacted the sponsors to let them know that the web address for GIC is incorrect on the Entry Form (it is an older address). They will fix that.

Jenny Groome suggested the timing of the Poster Contest is not good for teachers because of a hectic beginning of the school year. We could reach out to vgcej gtultkttctkcpu'kp''y g'ur tkpi ''ugo guvgt 'hqt ''y g'hqmqy kpi ''{gctøu'Eqpukkwkqp'Fc{'' Contest. Our goal should be to reach out before July.

Committee members will separately promote the Constitution Day Contest via online groups for teachers, art teachers, and librarians. Examples: Marna will contact the Texas Association of School Librarians (@TxASL) and the TAEA (Texas Art Education Association) Facebook group. Connie will contact LM_NET, the listserv for school librarians. Jenny Groome will contact Goodnight Moon, a listserv for anyone involved with children's services in Connecticut libraries.

V. GIC LibGuide

Marna Morland inquired if everyone had access to the LibGuide (sign on and password). We need to promote the LibGuide.

Maintenance: We should volunteer to maintain sections. There is a problem with y qtmkpi 'qp'r ci gu'y kj 'f khgtgpv'õqy pgtuö0 Some assets cannot be updated. We can use the link checker to find broken links. Jenny Groome suggested not to delete links that are not working. Look for a notice that the link is used in other guides.

Improvements: Vj g'öC''r rceg''vq''uvctvö''ugevkqp''pggf u''vq''dg''o qxgf ''vq''yj g''vqr ''q O C''r rceg''V'~