

Madison Los Cedros. Learning Center

April 30, 2015

Quarterly report. Period January to April 2015



Windows installed

The Center has been remodeled with funds received from the Verona Madison Committee. The work has been done in 4 different projects:

- 1) Beginning of the building and elaboration of picture windows.
- 2) Divisions of each area. Cut and confection, Library, music and warehouse



DIVISIONS



Handing over the funds received from the Verona/Madison Committee

- 3) Installation of electric system in all classrooms.
- 4) Elaboration and installation of the doors

The funds provided to paint the center, were provide by students and Angelica's Family.

Working and Lessons plan 2015

Class modality:

Cut and confection. Two Needles Knitting and handmade knitting

Beginning February 14, 2015. **Schedule:** 8:00 AM- 12:00 MD

Days: Saturday, Tuesday and Friday

Music

Day: Fridays

(it is not being offered because we don't have enough funds to pay the teacher)

Library

Day: Saturdays

Schedule: 9:00 am to 11:00am.

Cut and confection: 16 students

Two needles knitting: 2 students

Handmade knitting: 2 students

Cut and confection

Topic: Basic blouse

Basic Skirt

Topic: Stich lifting

Topic: Demonstration of handmade stiches

March 2015

We continue working in our community with love, solidarity and over all with the hand of God, who has Never left us; and with you, our friends from Wisconsin, helping us to keep working in such important activity, teaching youth and adults, so they have a skill to survive and have a decent life.

I received from the Managua Office: the boxes of sewing materials and 3 boxes of materials sent from Madison/ Los Cedros, full of toys and books for our library. We appreciate the support and blessings from our friends from Madison, because those toys make many kids happy. Thanks a lot.

April 2015

In this month we are finishing with the basic blouse and basic skirt in paper in order to get rid of the fear of using fabric in different colors and textures.

3 students quit for different reasons, nowadays we have 17 students that take our class. We have 2 students knitting with needles, 2 students with handmade knitting and 13 students in cut and confection.

Learning Center Needs

I have 3 sewing machines in bad conditions and I only have 6 that are working well, I let Mirna know about and she said she will take the machines to the Managua office because the donations will soon arrive and she could change the machines for good ones and repair the ones in bad conditions. I ask you, if it's possible, more machines, because I don't have enough for all the students. We also need irons and ironing boards so our students can iron their confections.



Volunteer sending Materials.

I let you know that the **music course** is not opened yet, because the teacher is charging 300 cordobas per student and the parents has no way of paying that amount of money. So I wonder if we could have godmothers or godfathers that could sponsor 10 kids or youth for the music class.



Library: It's supporting the community by lending the books to the kids that need them to finish their homework or just to read.

My teachers: Maria, Daysi. My grandchildren help me to prepare the reports and supported by Leonor to plan the projects. We are working on a project to put new floor.



Maria
Sewing teacher

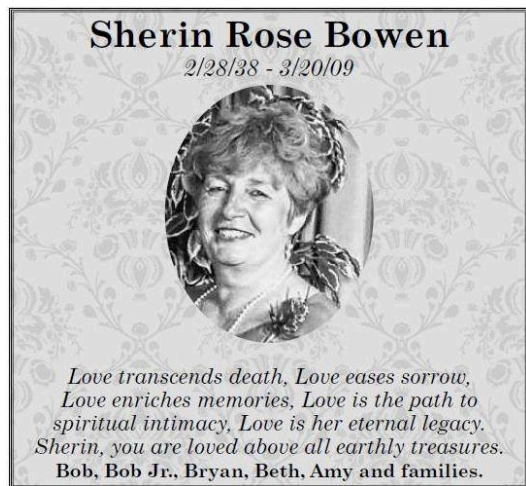


Arly
Bakery teacher



Visitors at Los Cedros





The legacy of Sherin Bowen and Lynda Pracht will never be lost, it is in our hearts and minds, and that make us be strong and keep with our volunteering activities on behalf of the human and social development. I hope that the spirit of love to the fellow can be in the heart of others and remains in this organization, Wisconsin/Nicaragua and in our communities.

Thanks to everybody for your support, together we make a difference. Thanks

Angélica

Director

MADISON/LOS CEDROS LEARNING CENTER

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