

Friends of the Library

October 24, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Donna Biondo at 7:05 p.m. Members present were: Donna Biondo, Lisa Bromley, Stephanie DuVall, Kelli Elmore, Laura Hoquet, Mary Holtkamp, Jack Hunt, Rebecca Hunt, Jan Korneta, JoAnn Odem, Michelle Perjak, Debbie Row, Jenny Schmidt, Dan Schumer, Vicki read Simpson, Emily Skowron, Crystal Snyder, Diane Stechmesser, and Vicki Wegner.

Reading of the Minutes: Minutes were read by Secretary Debbie Row from the July 25, 2022 meeting. Laura Hoquet made a motion to accept the minutes as read with a second by Diane Stechmesser. Motion passed.

Correspondence: Debbie Row read several appreciation letters from patrons who are participating in the Non-Resident Library Card Program.

Treasurer's Report: The report was given by Debbie Row in absence of Treasurer Barb Gerstenecker. Mary Holtkamp made a motion to accept the report as written and Dan Schumer seconded the motion.

Librarian's Report: Annette Bland was absent so Crystal Snyder presented both of their reports. \$3500.00 was approved for the Non-Resident Library Card Program which will cover 40 cards. There is enough money left for eight more cards. The Festifall Book Sale brought in \$243.00. Ten patrons also joined the library that day. The GM&O Railroad Train Set raffle brought in \$334.00.

Crystal asked for volunteers to help at the Gingerbread House event on November 5, 2022. Eight members volunteered to help. The Library Staff will be participating in the Bright Nite Christmas Parade on December 3, 2022. The Friends are welcome to participate in the parade as well. Crystal asked for ideas of what to pass out at the parade. The Friends Winter Book Sale will be held on February 2-4, 2023. All prices will be the same except we are upping the children's book to \$0.25 and media prices will be \$1.00. A Mystery Bag will be sold for \$2.00. Crystal also mentioned that 75 cars came through for the Shred Event and she thanked all the Friends members who volunteered throughout the weekend for the Shred Event and Festifall.

Old Business: The Financial Committee has still not met to update the by-laws. The Story Book Walk that was discussed last year will become an Eagle Scout project.

New Business: An attendance prize was drawn for an S4S T-shirt, Lisa Bromley was the winner. Debbie Row will bring an updated FOL membership list to pass out at the next meeting.

Next Meeting: January 23, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Mary Holtkamp and seconded by Diane Stechmesser at 8:10p.m. Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Debbie Row

Secretary of FOL