SINCLAIRVILLE FREE LIBRARY BOARD MINUTES

August 28, 2024

OPENING: Bill Newton called the meeting to order August 28, 2024 at 6:02 PM with reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

PRESENT: Lisa Greeley, Beth Hadley, Peggy Minckler, Bill Newton, Roslin Newton, Linda Bartholomew, Candi George

MEMBERS ABSENT: Betty Jean Ridout, Jessica Emmott

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The June 26, 2024 minutes were approved. Motion to accept by Roslin Newton, seconded by Lisa Greeley, motion carried.

FINANCIAL REPORT: Darla Frost Kianos moved to approve July and August financial reports, Linda Bartholomew seconded, motion carried

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: The report was reviewed.

- 1. Door counter is broken at one door. Program attendance and outreach will be recorded in the Annual Report, separately from quarterly CCLS statistics.
- 2. Report to the community will compile five years of data. These data can be used to share progress in the Annual Appeal
- 3. Story time for infants, 'Baby Talk', will start in September.
- 4. Board member Emmott has advocated for school field trips to the library. Jibbitz for shoes has incentivized some children to visit the library.
- 5. Sidewalk is done in back entrance, front should be done 8/29/24.
- 6. Beth and Jessica would like to attend the annual meeting. Darla moved that the library be closed at 2:00 on Oct 9 to accommodate this, Linda Bartholomew seconded, motion carried. Roslin and Bill will attend too.
- 7. Sept 4th Beth and Peggy will attend the Sinclairville Board meeting to offer thanks for their support.
- 8. There will be a bake sale during the book sale in October 10-12. Help is needed. Beth is weeding the collection to make space for new materials.
- 9. Beth will order new computers with funds allocated for technology.
- 10. Library will have a booth at the History Fair on Sept 14th
- 11. Trustees must complete training forms
- 12. Beth would like to consider hiring a aide to fill in at the counter. Volunteer and staff hours are not covering all needs. Lisa Greeley made a motion to explore an additional staff, Candi George seconded, motion carried.
- 13. Request for volunteers can be placed on the marquee.

Candi George made motion to approve the report, Peggy Minckler seconded, motion carried.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES: No reports

Building and Grounds:

Anniversary Celebration Committee:

Outreach:

CORRESPONDENCE:

None reported

OLD / UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

1. Roslin will that the funding sources who provided grants

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1. The 25th anniversary could be celebrated during the History Fair the second Saturday in September, Lisa will contact Kochersberger family regarding any support they can offer.
- 2. Bill will be exploring additional options for the library signage. Fallen letters on the building can be removed. Buildings and Grounds committee will be approached about the broken letters.
- 3. History Fair will have 200 chickens for BBQ. Bill will help with prep work in the morning. BBQ will be \$15, Lisa will call RSVP for additional volunteers.
- 4. Annual Appeal

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:04 pm. Motion by Rosling Newton and seconded by Linda Bartholomew. The next meeting will be held on September 25, 2024, at 6:00 PM in the library.

Minutes submitted by: Lisa Greeley

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