

Friends of Library meeting-April 11, 2023

Attendees: Mary Paige C, Mariana, Karen C., Sylvia B., Mary M., Helen R., Barbara S., Marsha R., Jordanya.

Meeting called to order at: 5:35pm

Correspondence: none

Treasurers report:\$ 14,894.74. Checks written 65.00 for library material, 275 Bethel Woods tickets. Deposit. Of \$750.00 deposit

Stewart's and \$300 from network for good .

Unfinished Business: Family funday is April 22nd at 11 am-12. Volunteers needed. Supplies are ready and seed bombs for the craft have been prepared. A story will be read.

Farmers Market: volunteers still needed.

- Rock Hill- June 3rd, July 8th-Mary and Karen , August 5th, and September 9th
- Monticello Farmers Market-7/20-Mary, 8/24, 9/28, 11/1
- Kauneonga Lake- library is tabling-7/15 and 8/19.

Credit card with PayPal too difficult. Will look for another source of credit. Mariana.

Tea program-Have not found someone to teach. St. Joseph Lake Ruth Mary receptive to our doing program on May 9th. After much discussion we will try to find a person to teach, but will have to be later in year. May be too costly. Mary Paige will check fall dates.

Book Vending machine-we decided too costly and not a feasible project for library.

New Business-Bethel Woods passes were paid for-275. Motion accepted to pay for passes Mary and second Sylvia.

Helen raised \$300 on network for good for her birthday. Helen received a gift card that we can raffle for a t-shirt quilt. We decided to do raffle at bagel fest.

Marsha will be donating a painted chair from old library and we will raffle at bagel fest. It's a special hand paint chair.

The is a 12 book series Will Durant that is coming off library shelf- we discussed what to do with them. Mary Paige
Will check on eBay or give to Better World Books. We felt donating was going to be best option.

On Saturday there will be the Second Annual Poet Youth festival at Bethel Woods. Grades 7-12.

For 23/24 Poet Laureate at Mary Paige's request we will give \$125. Motion to approve but Karen, second Mary.

Discussion on having an Oscar Movie event at library as fund raiser. Patrons can vote on the possible Oscar Winners and win a prize.

Discussion on a winter reading program for adults. Prizes of \$50 and \$25 would be given to those completing the Program.

Mariana talked about a Reptile Rescue Show for \$400, we decided if it becomes available we would assume half the cost \$200.

For bagel festival raffles we will again do 7/\$20, 1/\$5 , and 3/\$10. This would be for Marsha chair.

There is a Borscht Belt dedication at library on May 25th. Dedication is 4:30pm and there will be a movie on topics at 5:15. Speaker will be Marissa Steinfeld .

Network for good foods should arrive in next couple of weeks.

FOG are going to be at library on Tuesday April 18th from 10-12 to clean up gardens. All welcome to help.

Adjourned 6:49.

Submitted by Mary M.