



Friends of the Hooksett Library

May 5, 2015, 6:30 PM

Attendance: Bob Thinner, Tammy Hooker, Kevin Lane, Jim Sibona, Adam Godbout.

Minutes:

Bob moved to approve the minutes, Tammy seconded the motion. Approval was unanimous.

Financial Report:

It was noted that returns from the book sale and e bay sales were impressive, both in excess of \$200 each.

Librarian's Report:

Due to the absence of Heather there was no Librarians's Report.

Initiatives:

Kevin wants to do an outdoor movie night to draw more attention to the Friend's endeavours. Jim suggested offering free popcorn for Friend's members and a nominal sum (perhaps fifty cents a bag) for non-members. It was also suggested that the event's time be advertised as starting at 7 PM with the movie commencing at 7:30. A date will be set at the June meeting. There will be no charge for the movie.

Pay Equity Initiative: Several signs are up around town with four (4) more to be installed. Suggested installation sites were Hannaford. Town Hall and CVS.

Events:

Mother-Daughter Tea on May 9. Bakers are still needed for the event and Kevin said he would send an e mail asking for volunteers.

Touch-a-Truck on June 13. Kevin has ordered a banner and Tammy proposed selling hot dogs since the Library has a steamer. We will get Freihofer to donate the buns and Tammy will see to obtaining the hot dogs and condiments. It was further suggested that we obtain the services of Tod Ranier to prepare the hot dogs.

First Promo Day for Robotics. Will be held May 18 from 5 to 6 PM. Jim announced that a Lego Ambassador will be in attendance to explain the Lego program. Adam will look into obtaining a promotional video.

Fundraising:

Old Home Day - Old Home Day will be held on September 19. Jim wants to solicit people for unused gift cards for the purpose of being raffled off. Adam suggested raffling off Lego Kits. Jim made a motion to spend up to fifty (\$50) dollars to purchase two (2) kits. Motion was seconded by Adam and unanimously approved. Asked about the “balloon pop” Adam said it would be featured again.

Membership:

There are no additional members.

Old Business:

There was no old business.

New Business:

Adam wanted to know if he could borrow up to a thousand books for a set he is building. He also suggested the possibility of paying a rental fee. Books would be off site for about six (6) weeks commencing on or about May 14.

Tammy said that Friends could make additional monies for the Organization by volunteering to wrap gifts at Barnes & Noble.

The June meeting is the Annual FOL Meeting. A new slate of officers will be elected at that time.

The Friends meeting was adjourned at 7:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Thinnes in lieu of Barbara Thinnes