

Friends of the Timothy C. Hauenstein Reynolds Township Library

Minutes of the April 8, 2009 meeting

Members & Guests Present: Pat Jacobus, Patricia Smith, Linda Godley, Brenda Burgess, Arlene Butler, Shirley Westveer, Maxine Forward, Pat Bauman, Chris Poprawski, Betty Reimer, Lavonne Rehfus, Janice Williams, Jolene Michaels, Vicky Paulen and Judy Parker.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by President Vicky Paulen.

Approval of Minutes: *Motion by* Pat J. to approve the March 2009 minutes as read, *seconded by* Betty R. All approved.

Treasurers Report: Pat J. gave the Treasurer's report.

Directors Report: Janice W. reported the FOL bookmarks arrived. Also, the GLE bookmarks which will be included in the Books for Babies bags are ready to be used. She handed out a report showing the utilization of the Library and its various services. She also reported that 30 people finished the Adult Winter Reading Program.

Publicity Report: Arlene B. has gotten information to the local papers about the April 23rd-25th Used Book Sale. She requested that any up coming events be brought to her attention for publication.

OLD BUSINESS

Books for Babies: This program is continuing. Thanks to Linda G. we have plenty of bags and burp cloths on hand for the project.

Free Magazines: Patricia S. reported we need more magazines for the free magazine display at the library. Donations are welcome.

Used Book Sale: Chairperson Patricia S. passed around a sign-up sheet for workers. The sale will take place April 23rd, 10 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., April 24th, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and April 25th, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Janice W. reported many book donations have come in.

Quilt Project: Linda G. reported she is working on the quilts for the raffle to take place during the Harvest Festival in September.

Garden Tour: It was decided to put this project on hold in order to investigate possible gardens to tour. The committee will continue to work toward holding this event.

NEW BUSINESS

Landscaping: It was decided that the landscaping to be done at the library will take place in the fall to avoid a lot of summer watering.

Portraits: Vicky P. brought information regarding having a photograph of the FOL group professionally taken to be used for publicity purposes. Motion by Shirley W. and seconded by Arlene B. to go ahead with the photo. Vicky P. will make the arrangements.

Reading Event: Vicky P. reported copies of the book, What a Wonderful World by George David Weiss and Bob Thiele, have been ordered to be donated to every classroom at MacNaughton Elementary.

Business Expo: The FOL will have a booth at this event which will take place at Tri County High School on May 1, 2009.

Gardenganza: This event will take place at the Farmer's Market on May 30, 2009. Don and Pat Bauman are in charge of this committee and are asking for donations of seeds, bulbs and any related garden items for the sale. They are also in need of empty liquid laundry soap containers.

Tree: Vicky P. is looking into purchasing a tree to be planted near the Library to be used for a community "Lighting of the Christmas Tree" in December.

Pig roast: This fundraiser will take place July 18, 2009, at Heritage United Methodist Church. It was decided that the cost this year will be \$7.50 adult, \$3 children (up to 10 years old).

OTHER BUSINESS

Brenda B. requested a meeting be set-up for the Tour of Homes committee to establish written guidelines for the event.

Chris P., Janice W. and Jolene M., representing the Library and Friends, attended a forum which covered the development of groups working together in the community for the betterment and growth of the community.

Book discussion Group: The book for May is "Family Tree" by Barbara Delinsky. There will be a telephone interview with the author at the May 11, 2009, book discussion meeting at 1:30 p.m. in the Library Reading room.

Adjournment: Pat J. made a *motion* to adjourn, *seconded* by Shirley W..

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 13, 2009 Refreshments: Betty MacTavish