

## Minutes of the Friends of the Hampton Falls Free Library

Date: Wednesday September 6, 2017

Present: Nancy Axelson, Susi Burke, Lisa Hayes, Donna Onacki, Deborah Regan, Alisha Roberts, Jane Shanahan, Sheila Tanguay and Barbara Tosiano

Discussed:

1. Minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed and approved
2. Treasurer's report: \$2,199.21 balance (estimate not official)
3. Margaritas:
  - a. Raffle items – 2 baskets, 4 books including Brunonia Barry, The Fifth Petal. Use raffle tickets and let customers choose which buckets to put in.
  - b. Donna will check with Margaritas on table for raffle.
  - c. Prices: 1 for \$3, 2 for \$5, 5 for \$10
  - d. Shifts: 5-9 pm for raffles, hour shifts: 5:00 – Sheila, Barbara, 6:00 - Nancy, Donna; 7:00 Jane and Deborah, 8:00 – Alisha, Lisa, Susan
  - e. Sheila will bring raffle items
  - f. Need \$1 bills to start with for change
4. Sheila messaged Bill Savage to see if the Hardware store will allow flyers for Margaritas. Already responded yes.
5. Book Sale Sept 23<sup>rd</sup>
  - a. 10-2
  - b. Sign up sheet for volunteers
  - c. Bake sale to support reading program run by cub scouts.
  - d. Have Margaritas flyers at sale
6. Lighthouse program Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - a. 5:30 setup
  - b. Trustee Fall Program Preview at 6:00
  - c. Put box out with Donations welcome or clever sign.
  - d. Applecrest donating cider and doughnuts.
  - e. Sheila will do speech for Friends
7. Carol asked for funding for yoga blocks
8. Welcome mugs – too expensive right now
9. Potential/future Programs
  - a. Alisha will check with Deb Howard for Mindfulness, maybe Feb?
  - b. January: Visit to Nepal. Library customer that lived there for 20 years and has lots of pics in January.
  - c. Feb: Meet the candidates
  - d. March: Woman who did Mrs. Lincoln will do Queen Victoria
  - e. April/May: Something involving nature. Maybe JP Pontbriand on hiking safety
  - f. Nancy will look into decluttering program for a possibility in spring.
  - g. Shaker program was really good – Darryl Thompson (NH Humanity speaker). Maybe next fall?
10. Ramblin' Richard Nov 1<sup>st</sup>
  - a. same date as friends meeting so will likely need to reschedule in Nov

11. Friends FB Page – Susan will have page published by next week. At next meeting, Susan will provide options for donate button.
12. Alisha will look for friends membership signups

Meeting adjourned: 7:45 PM

Next meeting: Wednesday October 4th at 6:30 p.m.

**Action items:**

- Donna: Check with Margaritas on table for raffle.
- Sheila: will bring raffle items
- Alisha: check with Deb Howard about Mindfulness program for Feb
- Nancy: Look into declutter program for spring
- Alisha: Look for friends member signup sheets
- Susan: Finish setup Friends facebook group and bring online donation options to next meeting

Respectfully submitted,

Susi Burke

Secretary for the 9/6/2017 meeting