

Friends of the Brookline, New Hampshire Public Library

November 11, 2015

In Attendance:

Dona Eaton

Myra Emmons

John Lindgren

Judith Pease

Brian Rater

Ann Somers

Lucy Snow

Jodi Tochko

Secretary's Report

The October minutes were accepted.

Treasurer's Report

\$5,878.80 starting balance

Expenses:

\$80.00 Currier pass renewal

Income:

\$23.00 John's sale of books

\$926.50 for fall book sale (\$52.00 from spring book sale, \$212.00 for bake sale, \$662.50 for books)

\$6748.30 new balance

Fall Book Sale

The book sale was very successful. Next year we should hold it earlier in the year, such as September because it was very cold. The pre-packaged baked goods worked out very well. We should try to have more volunteers. The tables in front of the Annex could be more attractive. We should prevent cars from pulling too far up in the parking lot.

Jodi has cleaned much of the card catalog. We discussed having the Brookline Auction Gallery sell them or selling them on Craigslist. John or Louise will talk to Ron Pelletier.

Annex

Dona and Brian discussed proposed changes to the Friend's bays in the annex to be able to use it for future book sales. Jodi will discuss the proposed modifications with Tad.

Music with Ms. Jackie

Last year we contributed \$900.00 for Ms. Jackie. We voted to give \$900 for this year. All approved.

Signs

\$318.68 has been requested by the Library to replace 2 outside signs. We approved this expenditure. All approved.

Toadstool Fundraiser

Dona scheduled the fundraiser at Toadstool for December 12th. Dona will email copies of the handout to everyone. Jodi will take them to the schools to distribute.

Christmas Tree Lighting

The Christmas Tree Lighting is Sunday, December 6th. Setup is at 2:30. The lighting will start sometime around 4:00 to 4:30. We need to bring baked goods – not individually wrapped.

Next meeting

January 13th is our next meeting.

Adjourned at 8:45.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian