

**Friends of the Library**  
Minutes for Meeting of September 18, 2018

**Call to Order:** Dawn called the meeting to order and a quorum declared. Present were Rhonda, Allyn, Patty, Dawn, Ed and Molly Stahlschmidt and Salai.

**Minutes** for the past meeting were approved. Motion by Rhonda, seconded by Salai.

**Financial update** was given by Salai. We have \$110.88 in the checking and \$6300.00 in the Saving accounts. Discussion was held regarding income from the Narrow Gauge Book Co-op and how it should be reflected on the financial report. Since we sell both books and crafts there, a suggestion was made to have a line item for the total of Narrow Gauge Book Coop sales, with a sub item indicating how much in just crafts was made from that total. Narrow Gauge is able to give us this information on a monthly basis.

**Book Bike:**

Farmer's Market: Don takes it to the Farmer's Market. Rhonda said it's working fine.  
Book Sales: Will try to have it at the book sales as well. No assignment needed.

**Literary Magazine:** Progress on the 10th addition. Salai said there were 69 submissions and a new deadline date of Oct. 15.

**Book Collection update:** Cancelled until the first Sunday of the month in December. Rhonda stated someone brought boxes of book to Spines labeled as rejects, and was only able to use about 10 percent of them. Would like ways to cut down on trash donations. Also need to email some groups (Americorp, Vista, Colleges) asking for athlete volunteers to do some hauling. Maybe create a list for Narrow Gauge listing what we are looking for.

**Book nook update:** No information on sales for the month. Needed to be filled after the meeting.

**Book sale update:** Profit from the August/September sale was \$1,528.35. Next sale is scheduled for Oct. 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Rhonda gave two boxes of children's books for the Reach out and Read program. Right now, everything is going into storage. Rhonda is starting a new category for graphic novels, and will also separate board books.

**Narrow Gauge:** The sales from the book coop were \$276.00, with 13.00 of that being crafts. More have sold since then, so we are expecting a larger number next month.

**Free Little Library Update:** All LFLs were filled for Early Iron Weekend. Allyn and Patti helped. There's a new one at the Boys and Girls Club. Rhonda filled the park one.

**Reading at Evergreen:** Currently has three readers on Friday nights at 6:30 p.m. for about a half hour.

**Additional items:**

Story Walk - Salai needs help laying out the book and laminating the pages. Need to have a day to put the pages in the Story book windows. She will let us know when to come help. Will call Linda at O & V on information on how to get the pages laminated.

FOL journals - They are selling wells at the book coop. Need to schedule a day to make more.

Schedule next craft day - Need some made for the November sale, as well as the book coop. All the books are ready to be done. Tentatively scheduled for 1 p.m. 9-23-18.

Bookmarks: Need to make bookmarks for the 2019 sales. Rhonda will send Salai dates.

Dawn will print out the bookmarks.

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 6 p.m. Next meeting scheduled for 5:30 p.m. Oct. 16. Patti moved, Salai seconded.

Respectfully submitted, Dawn Krebs