

Friends of the Lane Memorial Library

Annual Board Meeting

September 23, 2019

Meeting was called to order at 6:05pm by Mary Lou Heran, President.

Attendees: Kris Sawyer, Mary Lou Heran, Patt Walker, Mary Ertl, Cheryl Beliveau, Marilyn MacIntosh, Wendi Lewis, Christine Bushway, Jim Aoki, Linda Dumont, Margie Kuhner, Pam Provencher, Carol Kelsey-Kolojeski, Liz Premo, Mary Toumpas, Dawn Mahoney, Cindy Arlington, Kathe Halloran, Sandy Ciolfi, Mary Twomey, Amanda Reynolds Cooper, Kathy McGinniss, Kathe Lobdell.

Mary Lou moved to accept officer/board members. All present seconded the motion.

Board of Directors 2019-2020:

Cheryl Beliveau

Christine Bushway

Mary Ertl

Mary Lou Heran

Julie Jefferson

Wendi Lewis

Marilyn MacIntosh

Kris Sawyer

Patt Walker

Officers 2019-2020:

President- Mary Lou Heran

Vice Presidents- Christine Bushway and Patt Walker

Treasurer- Mary Ertl

Secretary- Cheryl Beliveau

Chairpersons:

Fundraising- Christine Bushway and Patt Walker

Publicity- Liz Premo

Website Administrator and Newsletter- Linda Freeman

Book Sales- Julie Jefferson and Mary Ertl

First Grade Book Sales- Cindy Arlington

Craft Fair/Bake Sale and Valentine Tea- Wendi Lewis

Annual Meeting Overview:

- A. Amanda thanked all the volunteers for all they do by supporting the library and spoke about what the Friends provide to the library on a daily/yearly basis. It costs an average of \$28.50 a day to support all the programs at the library. Many of the programs, events and items that are needed for the library are funded by the Friends.
- B. Mary Lou also thanked everyone for all the hours the Friends put into working the book sales, sorting books, baking treats and helping with the summer reading program. All of these events would not be possible without the Friends dedication and support.
- C. Mary Lou introduced the officers and board members. Liz Premo swore in all board members. All accepted their position.
- D. Christine spoke about what becoming a director or an officer means for the Friends and how it can help with the decisions we make on behalf of the library and the community.
- E. Mary and Wendi handed out small gifts of appreciation as we had the volunteers introduce themselves and speak about what they like to volunteer for. We also asked for suggestions that anyone may have for things they would like see happen at the library. More programs for adults/seniors such as speaking events with authors, crafts and music were some of the things that were suggested. Volunteers also emphasized that Friends and the library are doing a great job with everything we do and offer.

Upcoming Events:

Tuffet Making, October 26th and November 2nd, 2019

Craft Fair and Bake Sale, November 9th, 2019

Fall Book Sale, November 20th-23th, 2019

Next Meeting:

Wednesday October 9th, 2019 at 6:30pm

At 6:55pm Mary Lou moved to adjourn meeting.

Submitted by Cheryl Beliveau, Secretary

