West Seneca Library Board

Minutes for October 24, 2018

In attendance: Kelly Clifford, Jennifer Dobe, William Josefiak, Cynthia Johnson, Patricia Wass

Absent:

Guests: Robert Alessi, Councilman Eugene Hart

Approval of minutes for September 19, 2018: motion by Josefiak, seconded by Dobe. . Motion carried unanimously.

Approval of minutes for September 24, 2018 Gift and Donation Recognition policy meeting: motion by Josefiak, seconded by Dobe. Motion carried unanimously.

<u>Library Director's Report</u> – Robert Alessi

- 1. Meeting Room policy: change of language regarding reserving room; now to be completed online. Motion by Josefiak, seconded by Clifford. Motion carried unanimously.
- 2. Circulation increased, programming well attended
- 3. Locks installed at Legion Parkway
- 4. Thank you to Town for following; gate in children's area installed, clean up on carpet, removal of frosting on front of study rooms to ensure safety of all patrons
- 5. Moved adult tables into main rooms from children's area, discussed need for more tables
- 6. Wall shelving units for Friends of the WS Library room fully installed
- 7. Discussed emergency exits, security in children's area as well as other library sections
- 8. Dropbox brick repaired by Town (was not bolted)
- 9. Motion to purchase Koala Care changing table for children's bathroom up to \$500.00. Motion by Josefiak, seconded by Wass. Motion carried unanimously
- 10. West Seneca Lions donation of \$400.00 was used to purchase large print books
- 11. All materials and AV budget was spent by November 1, 2018 as required
- 12. Discussed outreach, meetings, visits (these included board meeting, Eden Heights, Rotary, BOCES conference, Friends, Lions Club, Staff Meeting)
- 13. Discussed shifting of shelves to allow for different views within the library
- 14. Central needs letter to dispose of old furniture not labeled, will sent letter to Town Supervisor for approval
- 15. New keyboards for computers (10) received from Central
- 16. Discussed purchasing a scanner (\$500.00) using Senator Gallivan State Bulletin Aid . Motion carried unanimously
- 17. Motion carried unanimously to purchase shelf labels for 80 titles up to \$200.00
- 18. Requested permission to contact Central regarding library budget due to change from \$10,000.00 in black to \$2,000.00 in red (directors retirement) Motion carried unanimously

<u>Treasurer's Report</u> – Jennifer Dobe

1. Spending is in line and on target for the year

Friends of the Library - Patricia Wass

- 1. West Seneca Art Society presentation on Saturday, November 3@1:00 to unveil new chairs
- 2. Historical collection unveiling on November 14, 2018

President's Report – Bill Josefiak

- 1. ACT meeting discussed contract between the library and Central. This presentation will be available again at March ACT meeting
- 2. ACT meeting, Saturday, November 17, 2018 9:00 to discuss audits
- 3. Received letter from Paul Notaro regarding MOU insurance coverage. Will be discussed between Paul and town attorney

Old Business:

- 1. Discussed costs of walkie talkies, approved up to \$200.00. Motion carried unanimously
- 2. Youth court individuals (ages 16 and under) needing volunteer hours may begin working within the library

New Business:

- 1. Discussed 2019 library holiday schedule, made some changes
- 2. Discussed Study Room Policy changes, will make changes and send to Rob via email
- 1. Future meeting date: December 12, 2018 @ 4:15 p.m.

Adjourned at 6:08 p.m., Motion by Clifford, seconded by Josefiak