

Friends of the Oakdale Library
Minutes of the board meeting of May 19, 2014

Call to Order at 1:40 pm

Attending: Sharon Arpoika, Lynne Robinson, Bryan Sontag, Linda Carson, Nancy Pew, Rosalie Osman, and Linda Morris.

Minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes of the board meeting of March 24, 2014 as read. Linda Carson/Nancy Pew.

Treasurer's Report: The report was not given due to the absence of the Treasurer.

Library Report:

Bryan reported the following:

The librarians are keeping an eye on the book cart money so no more theft occurs.

Oakdale Library dropped off 145 blankets for the Snuggle Project. Oakdale collected the third most blankets in the county. ½ went to Oakdale Pet Shelter, ½ to Stanislaus County Shelter. This was a very successful project.

05/20/14 at 6:00 P.M. is the adult seminar for Estate Planning. The Best Things in Life Aren't Things.

05/24/14 Summer Reading Program Fizz Boom Read begins. Teen prize through Stanislaus Library Foundation is a Nook.

The new county librarian is Diane McDonnell from Contra Costa County. Sharon will put information on Diane's experience in the newsletter.

The new county legal counsel says in the future all library paid performers will need to get a business license for each city. The cost will be reflected in the price of the performers. Python Ron will appear June 5th at 10:30 am and noon. Don O'Brien will appear 7/15 at 10:30 am and noon. Free tickets will be handed out before each show to help with crowd size.

Calendar:

June 5th Python Ron. Cost to FOL \$400.00.

July 15th Don O'Brien Extreme Science and Magic. Cost to FOL \$134.00

July 17th, 4-9 pm, Stanislaus County Fair Library Booth and book giveaway, Cost to FOL \$50.00.

Old Business:

The prizes for the summer reading program were discussed. Rosalie will talk to the Oakdale Bike Shop, Lynne will order the Little Tykes Cozy Coupe from Amazon, also needed are four restaurant gift cards, and donations for the grand prize basket. Rosalie will collect the prizes from various donors, and put the basket together to be displayed in the Library.

New Business:

Volunteers are being sought to man the Library's booth at the Stanislaus County Fair on 07/17 from 4-6:30 pm or 6:30-9:00 pm. Oakdale FOL will donate \$50.00 for books.

The FOL meeting for June is cancelled, no meetings during July and August. Next meeting will be Sept. 22nd at 1:30 pm.

Books in a Box was discussed. Starting a book club at the Library was discussed. Decorating the patio area off the children's room was discussed. Bryan suggested paint only as folks jump the wall. Meeting adjourned 2:50 pm.

Colleen Cordano, Secretary