



MISSION: to support a thriving and sustainable library which is accessible to all.

AGENDA: Monday, June 27, 2022 Friends Meeting, 6:00 p.m. in the RCU room at Somerset Public Library

1. Call Meeting to order:
2. Review and approval of April 25, 2022 minutes:
3. Review and approval of financial reports:
4. Committee Reports:
 - a) Pea Soup Days: Nancy, Jill, Susan
 - b) Silent Auction report:
5. Old Business:
 - a) Expenditures for 2nd half of 2022. We have spent most of the income received in 2022 [\$1600 for 3 programs & tent rental]. We have a healthy acct. balance [\$7000+]. Do we want to spend any of it? If so, how much & on what? Do we want to earmark any items for money raised by the silent auction? In the past, the auction raised about \$1000.
 - i) Book Pages subscription: 50 copies per month for 12 months @ \$390.00
 - ii) Minuteman Press: quoted prices good to June 3, 2022
 - * Stickers, 1000 labels, 2 color, 2"x2"
 - Roll = \$167.00; Sheet, pre-die cut = \$70.97
 - * 2 vehicle magnets, graphic design services not included
 - 24x18 = \$88.50; 12x18 = \$52.50
 - iii) Remainder of Library Wish List: Christmas garland (\$190); paper towel dispensers (\$200); snowshoes (\$300)
 - iv) Friends signs, similar to giveBIG yard signs. To be used for Friends sponsored events
 - v) Vox picture books (books that talk): \$40-\$50 each.
 - vi) ???
 - b) giveBIG: donations of \$2177.80 from 21 people of whom 13 were Friends members.
 - * Purchased teen book display shelf [\$1626.88]
 - * Purchased 2½ chairs for study room [\$550.92]
 - * Receipts: Nancy did
 - c) Receipts for membership: Nancy did

d) Summer Reading Programs: Since the Friends are sponsoring these, does anyone want to introduce the July 7th or July 14th programs. Deb is doing the July 21st program.

6. New Business:

a) Goals for 2023. What activities should the Friends be involved in?
Discussion/decision at our Oct 2022 meeting?

b) ?????

7. Announcements:

Summer Reading Theme: 'Oceans of Possibilities'.

Thur. July 7, 1:00 p.m. Pirates & interactive science program

Thur. July 14, 1:00 p.m. Henry & the Treasure Chest sail the high seas

Thur. July 21, 1:00 p.m. Magician Isaiah: Comedy-Magic Show

Read 4 books, get a ticket to enter the drawing for prizes on Aug 31.

8. Future Meetings: Monday August 29; Monday Oct 24; Dec???: Jan 23, 2023

9. Adjournment: