

WILLOUGHBY WALLACE MEMORIAL LIBRARY

COMMITTEE MEETING

September 8, 2021

Meeting was called to order at 7:07 pm by John Malick.

Also attending: Jo Buchanan, Mary Donaruma, Robert Dargan, Tom Pfaff, John Nelson, and Library Director, Alice Pentz.

Public Comment: None

Minutes of the meeting of June 9, 2021 were approved.

Financial Report: Balance of account as of March 31, 2021 was \$149,946.27.

Library Director's Report:

We have returned to our regular library hours. On Oct. 3 Sunday hours will be from 1pm to 4pm. In November, Mark Schenker will present a zoom talks on Sunday.

In July there were 12 passports processed. In August there were 24.

The Reading Program wrapped up in August. More than 60 children participated. The young children storytime (2 and 3 year olds) had 25 children participating on both Monday and Friday. The Quilting Group that meets at the library contributed \$100 to be used for puppets for the storytime. Teens also participated in their own program.

The Stony Creek Art Committee Show was a big hit with 200 people attending the opening.

Thia Wrightsman presented a talk on Vintage Stony Creek. She has 342 followers for her Instagram posts. Materials have been received to add to the collection. She now has an inventory sheet available for donors to sign off on contributions with a Deed of Gift form.

On September 9th Tom Laursen will present a zoom program on "Four Scottish Islands."

Old Business.

The outdoor library sign discussion has been postponed until Frontier completes work to the front of the building.

Tom Pfaff asked that the light in the parking lot be lowered to accommodate night drivers.

New Business

Due to security issues we are purchasing a subscription to a service recommended by LION. Cost is \$148 yearly.

WWML has received many donations in memory of Susan Warner totaling \$1,200.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Donaruma, Secretary

Next will be on November 10, 2021