FRIENDS OF THE SENECA FALLS LIBRARY

Minutes of the July 18 Meeting

Secretary Ann Cramer noted two corrections to June’s minutes; The Children’s Lunch Program runs five days per week, not two, except no lunch served July 12, and three schools, not four participated in Children’s Book Fest. The schools were Frank Knight, Cady Stanton, and Bible Baptist, not Finger Lakes Christian.

A card was passed around for Claire Berke who is moving to Ferris Hills in Canandaigua August 1. Library Director Meghan Molloy and members present all wrote personal notes on the card. We will all miss Claire.

FINANCES: $16,149.52 current balance unchanged

OLD BUSINESS:

(1) CUPCAKE WAR last minute details gone over.

(2) SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM is held at noon, right after the 10 AM Children’s Program of the day, which boosts lunch attendance. Attendance varies from 20 – 45 depending on program attendance. Library Director Meghan Molloy gave program examples of “Dirtmeister” Steve Tomecek, author of children’s science books, and the beloved Reading With Miss Martha.

(3) TOTES AND SSHELF LABELS are on order but not yet arrived.

(4) DIGITAL OUTDOOR SIGN: The Library Board is preparing a resolution for the Board to research options. Half the cost would be paid through library construction grants and the FRIENDS would be asked to fund the other half of the cost.

NEW BUSINESS: None.
The next Friends meeting is August 15.

Summer is a very busy time for many members but as our next Book Sale is the week before Halloween, it only leaves August and September meetings to be ready to sell what I hear is a record number of books! Please try to make at least one of these two meetings to sign up to help. Or get a friend to sign you up. Thank you and enjoy your summer.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cramer

Secretary