**FRIENDS OF THE SENECA FALLS LIBRARY**

**MINUTES OF THE SEPTEMBER 18, 2018 MEETING**

**FINANCES**

OUR CURRENT BALANCE WILL BE $15,297.40 AFTER PAYING FOR THE PENS PURCHASED

FOR OUTREACH PROGRAMS

MARTY ALSO INTRODUCED **JENNY BURNETT**, OUR NEW LIBRARY DIRECTOR. JENNY RECEIVED HER MLS

FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO, AND MOST RECENTLY WORKED IN THE LIBRARY

AT FLCC. WELCOME!

**OLD BUSINESS**

REQUESTED FREEZER PACKS- NO NEED TO PURCHASE, SINCE PACKS WERE DONATED BY

BARB REESE

PENS/FLASHDRIVES- PENS WERE PURCHASED BY FRIENDS FOR OUTREACH PROGRAMS. MARTY

DECIDED NOT TO PURCHASE FLASHDRIVES. THE DESK HAS A SELECTION OF FLASH-

DRIVES TO SELL TO PATRONS WHO MIGHT NEED ONE (AND HAS A BARCODED ONE

AVAILABLE TO CHECKOUT, ALSO).

STREET SIGNS FOR BOOK SALES- MARTY EXPLAINED THAT THE BOARD HAS DECIDED TO GET A

CHANGEABLE LETTER SIGN ($6,112 INSTALLED) THROUGH A STATE GRANT. BOOK SALE

SIGNS WERE ALSO DISCUSSED, AND DEB WILL RESEARCH LOCAL OPTIONS

SHELF MARKERS- THESE WERE PAID FOR, BUT HAVE NOT BEEN FOUND YET

**NEW BUSINESS**

NEW YORK LIBRARY ASSOCIATION- DEB JOINED AS AN INDIVIDUAL, IN ORDER TO ATTEND THE

NOVEMBER CONFERENCE IN ROCHESTER. MARTY SUGGESTED THE FRIENDS GROUP

JOIN, AT $50 PER YEAR, WHICH PASSED. THIS WILL ALLOW OTHER MEMBERS OF

FRIENDS TO ATTEND CONFERENCES AT REDUCED RATES.

BOOK SALE- PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP AS YOU ARE ABLE. THE SIGN-UP SHEETS FOR SET UP,

WORKING THE SALE, AND CLEAN UP ON SUNDAY WERE PASSED AROUND, AND ARE

AT THE FRONT DESK. AS AN ADDITION TO THE BOOK SALE DISCUSSION, JUDY

BROUGHT UP THE IDEA OF CHANGING THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRICES TO MATCH

THE PRICES FOR THURSDAY AND FRIDAY. IT WAS FELT TO BE CONFUSING TO HAVE

PRICES CHANGE ALMOST EVERY DAY. THIS WAS PASSED, SO WILL BE REFLECTED IN

NEW PRICE LISTS THAT JUDY AND MARTY WILL PRODUCE.

ELECTION DAY BAKE SALE- I WILL MAKE A SIGN-UP SHEET WHICH WILL BE AT THE DESK

DURING THE WEEK OF THE BOOK SALE. I WILL ALSO SEND OUT AN EMAIL REMINDER.

PLEASE SIGN UP TO BAKE, AND LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE ABLE TO SELL.

DUE TO LACK OF TIME, OTHER FUNDRAISING IDEAS WILL BE DISCUSSED AT FUTURE MEETINGS.

**NEXT MEETING: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20 AT 7PM.**