MINUTES

FRIENDS MEETING NOVEMBER 19, 2019

PRESENT: Deb, Jan, Judy, Sandy, Marybeth

FINANCES: current balance is $19,472.03.

OLD BUSINESS

 Mums were purchased and placed in pots

 Discussed trees, boughs or some sort of greenery for the holidays

 Passed around Jenny’s thank you card

 Book Sale discussion- with Marybeth and Sandy’s help, we will produce a

 Basic guide to assist volunteers who sort. It will be posted upstairs

 In the sorting area

 Marybeth will be able to get some tubs from her sister which we can

 Use for sorting. We might also buy some new ones, once we evaluate

 What we have

 We talked about having a “mini sale” of just hardcover fiction books

 At some point in January or February (on carts in the library), to

 Decrease the large number of books upstairs

 Reminder- volunteer forms and sexual harassment certificates must be

 Submitted each year, in order to participate in Friends events

NEW BUSINESS

 Reminder to help/bake for the Cookie Walk on December 7

 DISCUSSION

 We spent time discussing possible projects we could fund. We will

 Discuss these further at our next meeting, after I have been able to

 Talk to Jenny.

 \*Concrete work/bike rack- concrete work to the right of the back

 Entrance under current bike area, with path to mechanical area

 \*Landscape additions- talked about possible improvements to the

 General landscaping around the library

 \*Adult programming- it is sometimes more difficult to obtain funding

 For adult programming, as opposed to children’s programs

 \*Reupholster- Jenny would like to reupholster some of the library’s

 Chairs/benches

 Member list- discussed revamping the list to reflect current members who

 Attend meetings and assist with book sales, etc.

NEXT MEETING: JANUARY 21