

FRIENDS' FOOTNOTES



President's Notes:

Happy St. Patrick's Day! Spring has arrived in Rim Country and the flowering trees are in glorious bloom! Hope everyone is enjoying the warm temperatures!

Our Program Committee is doing a great job and they have another exciting program in store for you at our next meeting on Monday, March 27th at 1PM. John Hall, a retired English teacher, will be discussing, "What makes a Classic?" Hope to see you all there!

Linda Armstrong, President

Treasurer's Report:

Balance on hand as of the first of February, 2017 was \$8,352.09. There were no receipts deposited. The total disbursements were \$1,500.86 for one half of the amount for library book cases, approved at the February Friend's meeting. Balance on hand at the end of February is \$6,851.23

Torrie Harding, Treasurer

Secretary's report:

President, Linda Armstrong invited everyone to join in repeating the Pledge of Allegiance, to open the meeting, followed by an inspirational reading. Our guest speaker, author Gail Kittleson gave some information on her education and background. She currently has four published books and told a little of what inspires her for the subjects in her novels. Following Gail's presentation there was a short recess for refreshments before the business meeting, provided by Jean Larson.

Treasurer, Torrie Harding reported as of Dec. 1st 2016 there was \$8,273.62 in the bank and as of Jan. 31st, 2017 a balance of \$8,352.09. Motion to approve the report by Nancy Hubbs, second by Sharon Ballentine. Motion carried.

Marion Inward requested that the Secretary's report be approved as printed in the Friend's Newsletter. Motion by Carol Trimble to approve, second by Barbara Grillo. Motion carried.

Linda welcomed a first time visitor, Nancy Sackett, and new member Barbara Leeuw.

The President asked for volunteers to set up tables etc for the annual June potluck luncheon. Linda Armstrong, Babara Grillo and Marion Inward agreed to assume responsibilities.

Nancy Hubbs informed the group that the May Memorial Weekend Book Sale will be huge. Becky Waer has been weeding the fiction section of the library and to date has contributed 1200 books to the sale. Nancy will serve as Chairperson of the three book sales over the summer but asked for assistants to help with each one. Nancy Sackett will assist with May sale, Carol Trimble will help with the July 4th weekend sale. There is still an opening for the September Labor Day weekend sale.

Library Manager, Becky Waer asked Friends for help in paying for the last portion of book shelves in the fiction section to be replaced. She has a quote of \$2,980 to cover the cost. Jean Larson moved Friends fund the cost, second by Torrie Harding. Motion carried. Becky also said it is time for the carpet in the library to be cleaned using the same company as in the past, at a cost of \$1,004. Sharon Ballentine moved Friends pay for the cleaning, second by Nancy Bollard. Motion Carried.

The next meeting is Monday, March 27th at 1 pm in the Activity Room. There being no further business, Carol Trimble moved for adjournment, second by Nancy Hubbs. Motion carried.

Marion Inward, Secretary

Members to keep in our thoughts and prayers:



*Don Balentine, Carol Trimble, Bernice Winandy,
Update on Beverly Snidecor*

There will be a Pine memorial, in the form of spreading Bev's and Terry's ashes on the Rim, in a couple months.

If you know of someone to be added to our concern list, please contact

Marion at 476-3690 or Becky at 476-3678.

Library Director's Report:

Wind Chime Raffle – Tickets for beautiful handmade by local Strawberry resident are still on sale.

Tickets are 6 for \$5 and 15 for \$10



Thank you Library Friends for our new oak library shelving!



**Summer Hours begin May 4, 2017
Thursday 10 – 7pm**