

FRIENDS' FOOTNOTES



APRIL, 2018

President's Notes:

Greetings to the wonderful members of Pine Library Friends! Wishing all of you a happy spring and hope Easter was a memorable Sunday. As we move closer to our Memorial weekend book sale, please make sure you sign up to help either setting up or working the book sale itself on any of the 3 days. The sign up sheet will be in the library. We hope to have some help setting up and taking down all the books, from our local school children. The 8th grade students need to collect points for volunteer work, more info to come regarding this. I am looking forward to our April guest speaker, David Grasse, an historian, author and librarian at the Payson library. Please make sure you invite friends and especially anyone interested in the wild west!!

Take care and will see you soon.

Sue Hedman, Vice President

Treasurer's Report:

Friends bank balance as of February 28, 2018 was \$5,780.14. Total receipts: \$50.00. Total disbursements: \$38.44. Our balance \$5,791.00 as of March 31, 2018.

Torrie Harding, Treasurer

Secretary's Report:

Sue Hedman called the meeting to order, inviting everyone to join in the pledge of allegiance, and followed up with a humorous reading.

Debbie Tamietti introduced our guest speaker, Terry Gorton. She and Rick Vesci own and operate the Pine Lavender Farm. Terry told of their decision in 2015 to purchase the property on Pine Creek Canyon Rd., first settled by the Hunt family in 1900. She gave an interesting presentation on its history and shared some of the items found in the old homestead. She and Rick have carefully been restoring the old home, which stood vacant for about 40 years and have endeavored to preserve its charm. Much of the wood used in the original building cut from trees on the property.

Terry and Rick chose mainly two types of lavender to plant; Royal Velvet and Provence which are culinary plants and Grosso which is a beautiful and aromatic variety used in soap and lotions etc. The meeting exceptionally well attended was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present.

After a break for refreshments, we continued with the business portion of the meeting. Sue called for the Secretary's Report. Marion Inward moved approval of the minutes as written in the March newsletter, second by Aggie Hansen. Motion carried. Torrie Harding gave the Treasurer's report (see above). Motion for approval by Carol Trimble, second by Annetta Follmer, motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

We were reminded about the raffle basket which will be on display and drawn at the Memorial weekend book sale. If you wish to contribute an item for the basket, please deliver to the library prior to April 13.

NEW BUSINESS:

The speaker for the April meeting is Payson resident, David Grasse. Mr. Grasse is an author and historian on the wild west. He is a librarian and works at the Payson Library.

Carol Trimble volunteered to co-chair the Memorial Day Book Sale with Nancy Hubbs. Chair persons are still needed for the July 4th weekend and Labor Day weekend book sales.

Helen Palmer inquired at the Pine Strawberry School to see if any of the older students could help with set-up and clean-up at any of our book sales. One of the requirements of the graduating class to participate in the year end field trip, is to aid in some community project. Helen will follow up on this info.

As there was no further business, Sharon Ballentine moved for adjournment, second by Torrie Harding. Motion carried.

Marion Inward, Secretary

Members & Friends to keep in our thoughts and prayers:

*Barbara Gillo, Nancy Miller, Nancy Sackett,
Becky Waer and Junetta Clifford*

If you know of someone in need, please contact

Becky Waer at 476-3678 or Marion Inward 476-3690



Library Director's Report:

CLOSEOUT SPECIAL

**See's awesome bars and candy bars
are now \$1 each**



**Online Public Access Computer
OPAC**

www.gcladaz.org

User Name: Use your Gila County library card number (no spaces)
Password: Use 1234 unless you have been updated at the library

Library HOURS change

Beginning May 17, 2018

Effecting Thursday's only

Thursday Hours 10am – 7pm