President’s Notes:
Hello to all great “Friends of the Library.” A short reminder if you have not signed up to help at the Labor Day book sale. Sign up sheet is at the library, and thanks in advance for your help! I am sure Nancy Hubbs could use help as well to set up on Thursday. The September meeting will be election of new officers for the position of President and Vice President for a two year term. Please be thinking about whom you would like to nominate for the upcoming years. I hope all of our members will be attending, as your vote will be important to continue our work towards making our library successful!! Enjoy these summer days and the wonderful rains that have helped bring our forest back to green again. See you all soon.

Sue Hedman, Acting President

Treasurer’s Report:
Balance on hand first of July, 2018 was $4,910.26
Total Receipts - $1,529 including:
  Raffle Basket $153; Book Sale $838; In-Library book sales $87; Dues $151.
Total Disbursements - $47.66
Balance on hand as of the end of July, 2018 is $6,391.60

Torrie Harding, Treasurer

Secretary’s Report:
The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a reading by Sue Hedman. Debbie Tamiatti introduced the guest speaker local author, Marsha Ward. Marsha spoke about her book “The Shenandoah Man” based on the American civil war. Other historic novels she has written are “Spinster’s Folly,” “Ride to Raton,” “Trail of Storms,” and “Gone For a Soldier,” all related to the civil war. She has two other books entitled “From Julie’s Kitchen” and “The Tender Light.”

After the speaker’s presentation, there was a brief recess. Jean Larson thanked Ron and Cynthia Plantz for providing the refreshments. The meeting resumed with the business meeting. Nancy Hubbs reported on the success of the last Book Sale and urged members to sign up for the September Labor Day sale. Help is needed for set-up on Thursday, August 30th, as well as selling on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, and clean-up on Sunday afternoon. Raffle tickets for a BBQ and picnic items will be drawn Labor Day weekend and are available at the library.

There is no meeting in August due to the book sale.

Sue Hedman called for the Secretaries and Treasurer’s reports. Marion Inward moved the acceptance of the Secretary’s minutes as printed in the last newsletter, second by Sharon Ballentine. Motion carried. Helen Palmer moved approval of the Treasurer’s report as printed in the newsletter, second by Aggie Hansen, motion carried.
New Business:
Sue Hedman suggested we consider signage advertising the date and time of Pine Library Friends meetings. Becky Waer will check on the types and cost available.

Election of officers takes place in September, the new officers assuming office in October. The positions of President and Vice President will be open for nomination. Sue asked for volunteers to serve on the Nominating Committee but none were forthcoming.

There being no further business, motion to adjourn by Carol Trimble, second by Nancy Hubbs. Motion carried.

Marion Inward, Secretary

Members to keep in our thoughts and prayers:
Barbara Grillo, Judy Ward
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:

Have you ever wanted to know your family history? Ancestry is one of the best sites to search from. Do not pay a fee, come to the library and search for free. This version is for “In-Library Use Only”.

Library is currently looking for volunteers to work inside the library. Training will be provided and your schedule can be very flexible.

Saturday, October 20, 2018
4 p.m. until Sunset
Tickets ~ $20 each

Library will be CLOSED
Saturday, September 1, 2018

Labor Day