

New Marlborough Library Trustees Meeting October 16, 2017

The meeting was called to order with Debbie, Sally and Claudette present.

The minutes were corrected.

The Friends have paid for Jonathan Charow, Nova Computer Systems.

The busing situation for the Friday School Visits is problematic. The timing leaves no room for story time and checking in of books. Debbie will ask Massini to provide a bus and ask the Friends to pay the difference in expenses.

The Scarecrow Workshop was held. Several people signed to attend and did not come. That was disappointing.

Sally will contact Matt Downing, Lucky 5 Band for the Halloween Party. If rainy, the party will be held at the Meeting House.

The school has been slow in responding to children needed for the homework center. One child has signed up to date. We will begin the program and see how it proceeds until January. Friends have given a check for half the expense.

Brian has written the annual report.

Jane Burke has asked the library for permission to hold science programs at the site.

We will not apply for cultural council grants this year. The Friends have money to pay for events.

Sheila Koneasny is working well as the library assistant.

Debbie is working on the Long Range Action Plan.

A DVD rack arrived damaged. We are negotiating a discount.

The next meeting is set for November 16 at 8:30 am.

Respectfully submitted, Claudette Callahan