

New Marlborough Library Trustees Meeting February 16, 2017

Brian called the meeting to order with Debbie, Maureen and Claudette present. We were very happy to see Maureen.

The minutes were approved.

Debbie reported that she is hard at work on the LSTA Homework Center Grant. Only 1/3 of the grant could be used for salaries. Tuesday and Thursdays after school until 4 pm will be scheduled for the homework program. Teachers will recommend students for the program. Louise Yohalem, Jessica Redman and Glen Chamberlin are assisting Debbie with writing the grant. It is due February 24.

Eight people attended the February 14 viewing of Videofreex.

The next Winter Film Series is scheduled for March 14 and will be 20 Feet from Stardom.

The insurance will cover the cost of cleaning from the overflowing of the toilet.

Take Your Child to the Library Day was a huge success with over 25 children attending.

The chocolate sale raised \$533. The prices for next year will be \$8 a box or 2 boxes for \$15.

The Library Long Range Plan will include: a new roof, a new boiler, new bathrooms, and a new carpet. Debbie will check on estimates for a new carpet.

We will review Debbie's employment contract in March.

We received the Goodness check for \$1831.28.

The Southern Berkshire Chamber of Commerce asked the Selectmen to have an information booth placed at the Town Hall. The Town Hall asked if the booth could be at the library. The trustees would like to see a booth set up and speak to persons involved. Brian will send this request.

The Lego Club will meet for two sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 7, 14, 21/March 29, April 5, 12, after school until 4 pm.

There will be a half day program from 11:40-3 pm. on March 10.

The Spring Egg Hunt will be held April 8 at 10 a.m. at the school.

Brian signed up for the MBLC trustees' discussion list.

The next meeting will be held March 16 at 5 pm.

Claudette Callahan