

FRIENDS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING  
JULY 12, 2021  
MEETING BY ZOOM

Present: Jane Case, Alice Platt, Paula Ptaszek, Thea Schoep, Mario Verna, Barbara Ullman, Mary Elizabeth Vincent, Marion Vosburgh

Minutes: The minutes of the May 11 and June 14 meetings were approved.

Treasurer's Report; Vosburgh reported the current status of the following; Income \$3336, Expenses \$2661, Balance \$11,010.

Communications Committee: Verna reported the tri-fold for the Welcome Package was finished and ready to be picked up at the printers.. The other items are in place so the Package can now be completed.

Events Committee: Ptaszek reported the ice cream truck may not be able to come on future Food Truck Wednesdays. She is pursuing the matter.

The Saturday Book Offerings have been disappointing. Ptaszek, Verna, Case and Platt will be meet to continue discussions about the future of book sales. Also Schoep has put out a request for people who would help with a Fall book sale like those of the past. Twelve people have responded thus far which is encouraging.

Schoep suggested that the food collection box should be moved from the vestibule into the hall due to the hot weather. Ptaszek said she had a new list of items needed for the food pantry.

Membership Committee: Case reported three new people had expressed interest in joining the FRIENDS. They will be meeting with Case soon.

Wish List:

Bike Racks - The purchase of two bike racks is being investigated and also the possibility of a bike repair station. Ptaszek suggested we solicit funds from local businesses to help pay for the repair station which would be about \$1,000.

Outdoor Table - The current metal square picnic table is heavily used and appreciated. Schoep suggested a second table would be a good addition. A similar table would cost about \$1400. Other options will be explored. Possibly the junior engineers could construct a plastic or wood table.

Banner Design: Ptaszek is working with the printer to complete the banner.

NEXT MEETING: August 9, 7PM, in person on Zoom to be determined.

Minutes by Alice Platt

