

Friends of the Library Meeting Minutes

In attendance were Gaye Porciello, Sue Allen, Leesa Michael, Andrew Jenrich, Tara Windsor and Caitriona Scott.

Building Improvements:

Andrew and Tara have found suitable lighting alternatives for the children's area that will satisfactorily increase the quantity of lighting.

More internal signs are needed in the library. The Friends have agreed to finance this purchase. Andrew will be contacting Signs Plus.

Summer Reading:

Tara reported a large increase in overall signup to the summer reading program.

Seed Exchange:

Sue and Leesa went to a seed exchange seminar and got new and creative ideas for expanding the seed library, including adding more flower seeds, repackaging, seedling fundraisers (possibly with book sale), possible scout and preschool events.

Author Presentation:

The Michael Tougias presentation on his book "So Close To Home" is scheduled for 10/03/2018. Gaye is requesting that both the school and the Friends of the Elders send out an email blast.

Halloween Party:

Booked for 10/25/2018 from 6-7.30pm, crafts and games, music and storytelling.

Christmas Party:

Booked for 12/06/2018 from 5-7pm.

Other events:

- Paint on canvas for teens booked for 10/23/2018 at 6pm
- Silk Art night, expecting to book on 11/08/2028
- Wildlife photographer presentation booked for 11/27/2018 at 7pm
- Tea event booked for 01/17/2019 at 6.30pm
- Jungle Jim booked for 02/19/2019 at 3pm

Next meeting is scheduled for 10/23/2018 at 10.30am.