

**MINUTES OF FRIENDS OF THE MONROE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY  
OCTOBER 2024**

Meeting was called to order by Sharon Robinson, President at 2:35PM on October 7, 2024.

All saluted the flag.

Present were: Sharon Robinson Samantha Snyder, Joan Betterly, Jeanne Kirsch, Trish Weldon, Nancy Rodney, Melissa Sundmaker, Kathy Duffy, Karen Slade, Shirley Davis, Suzanne King, and Bonnie Kahlbom.

Sharon Robinson asked all present to observe a moment of silence for the passing of member Terry VanLeer.

Minutes of the September 2024 meeting were distributed. Motion to accept the minutes was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

Treasurers Report – Bonnie Kahlbom reported that we have a balance of \$642.22. Motion to accept the treasurer’s report was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Nancy Rodney. All voted in favor.

Old Business – Sharon Robinson reported on the upcoming book sale slated for Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup>. Setup is scheduled for Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 3:00PM. The Honor Society has been notified about the setup. Early bird is scheduled from 9:00AM to 10:00AM Saturday with the full book sale being from 10:00AM to 2:00PM. Sharon reminded all present to take yard signs with them when they leave today. Christmas Gift Wrap is scheduled for December 7<sup>th</sup>.

Tea tasting is scheduled for October 23<sup>rd</sup>. A motion to give \$215.00 to the Library to pay for the tea tasting event was made by Sharon Robinson, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor. Signups for this event must be done by October 11<sup>th</sup>.

New Business – Sharon Robinson suggested that the Friends replace the couch in the Childens Library with plaque stating “In Honor of Terry VanLeer”. Motion to present one-half of the proceeds from our book sale to the Childens Library for the purchase of a new couch was made by Sharon Robinson, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

Sharon reminded all that services for Terry VanLeer will be Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at Farnelli Funeral Home between the hours of 9:00AM and 11:30AM. Mass to follow at St. Marys at 12.30PM.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 2:30PM. Motion to accept by Joan Betterly, seconded by Trish Weldon. All voted in favor.

**NEXT MEETING NOVEMBER 4, 2024 AT 2:30PM.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Suzanne King  
Secretary