MINUTES OF FRIENDS OF THE MONROE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC LIBRARY NOVEMBER 2025

Meeting was called to order by Sharon Robinson President, at 2:30PM on November 3, 2025.

Present were: Sharon Robinson, Joan Betterly, John Pohler, Suzanne King, Allison Minch, Nancy Rodney, Bonnie Kahlbom, Kathy Duffy, Karen Slade, Jennie Servis, Benita Bullock, Jeanne Kirsch, Melissa Sundmaker, Katrina Hauserman and Ellen Gallagher.

All saluted the flag.

President, Sharon Robinson, introduced Jennie Servis from the Monroe Township Womens Club. Jennie was interested in what the Friends organization does. Sharon explained that we do fund raisers such as book sales, Santa basket, to raise monies for various library programs such as yoga, etc.

Minutes of the October 2025 meeting were distributed. Motion to accept the minutes was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

Treasurers Report – Treasurer, Bonnie Kahlbom, reported that we made \$1,308.00 from our recent book sale bringing our current balance to \$2,142.55. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

Old Business - As to the book sale, Sharon Robinson thanked Joan Betterly for donating pretzels, Allison Munch for donating jewelry and thanked all the Friends that came out to help such a successful sale. We will wait until our December meeting to set up the date for our Spring book sale. Sharon Robinson reminded all that she has the sign up sheet for contributions for the Santa program in December.

New Business – John Pohler reminded all that our Annual Tea is scheduled for December 19th at 10:00AM. Joan Betterly reminded all that the Herbal Society will be decorating two trees on December 2nd and she invited volunteers to help. Santa will be visiting the library on December 6th from 12:00PM TO 2:00pm. Joan Betterly stated that the Yoga group is looking for a donation to continue that program. Katrina Hauserman will follow up on the cost for the Yoga program and we will discuss it at the December meeting. The Givers Place Church Thanksgiving giveaway is scheduled for November 22nd.

There being so further business meeting was adjourned at 3;05PM. Motion to accept by Joan Betterly, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

NEXT MEETING DECEMBER 1, 2025 AT 2:30PM

Respectfully submitted, Suzanne King, Secretary