

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

Meeting was called to order by Sharon Robinson, President, at 2:30PM on September 9, 2024.

All saluted the flag.

Present were: Sharon Robinson, Allison Munch, Samantha Snyder, Nancy Citrino, Terry VanLeer, Joan Betterly, Jeanne Kirsch, Nancy Rodney, Suzanne King, and Bonnie Kahlbom.

Minutes of the June 2024 meeting were distributed. Sharon Robinson asked for a correction to the minutes wherein under New Business "Joan Betterly had been asked about how the library uses the book store money. Sharon Robinson replied that our Director, Samantha Snyder, uses it at the library's discretion." Sharon asked that the correction should read that the Friends are not affiliated with the library book store funds in any way. Motion to accept the June 2024 meeting minutes with the correction was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Allison Munch. All voted in favor.

Treasurers Report: Bonnie Kahlbom reported that we had a beginning balance of \$1,087.82 with a deposit in July of \$38.40 which gives us a balance to date of \$1,126.22. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Joan Betterly, seconded by Jeanne Kirsch. All voted in favor.

New Business - Sharon Robinson reported that we now have a new company that will be picking up our unsold books. That company is Book Bins. Samantha Snyder will make a call to the new company about when they will be picking up the books. Samantha also stated that the Friends will be paid two cents per pound for the unsold books.

Sharon Robinson reported on our upcoming book sale. Sharon stated that setup is scheduled for Friday October 18th at 3:00PM. Saturday, October 19th early bird is between 9AM and 10AM with full book sale beginning at 10AM to 2:30PM. Announcements will be made at 2PM about closing. Suzanne King will send an invitation to the Givers Place about their participation in the sale. Sharon also announced that our Christmas Gift Wrap event will be held on December 7th this year. Director, Samantha Snyder, presented the Library's Fall Yoga Bill of \$480 for September thru November 2024 in the amount of \$480.00., Sharon Robinson made a motion that the Friends pay the Fall Yoga bill, seconded by Suzanne King. All voted in favor.

Joan Betterly stated that the Tea Burners will here on October 23rd at 1:00PM to promote Tea and Health.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 3:05PM. Motion to accept by Joan Betterly, seconded by Nancy Rodney. All voted in favor.

NEXT MEETING OCTOBER 7, 2024 AT 2:30PM

Respectfully submitted,
Suzanne King
Secretary

