

Friends of the Bedford Public Library Meeting

July 17 2008; 7:10

Attendees

David Franklin
Holley Hendrickson
Linda Jordan
Patt Dreyer
Tammy McDonald
Jim Davisson
Bonnie Finn

Agenda Items

Treasurer's Report
Checking Balance -- \$6417.64
Savings balance -- \$8917.09
New Book Sales to date - \$344.25

Book sales are up 38% over 1st quarter
Treasurer will need to change reporting to expand general ledger categories, for new books, memberships, etc.

Book sale
Membership

New library update
Bedford City Council has given direction to move forward
New library updates will be put on BPL website blog

August book sale advertising
On tv at library
Portable sign will be put out after August 4th by Boy's Ranch
Other advertising in water bill
Library website

Books stored at fire station
We'll be bringing books to Bonnie Finn room Sunday before book sale
Hardbacks \$2.00
Paperbacks \$1.00
Will sell Friends memberships at book sale
Anyone signing up tomorrow thru close of business Wed., Aug 13th eligible for mp3 player
Jim made motion, Holley 2nd, passed 4 -3.

Discussion about selling headphones to sell in library
Purchase 20 headphones, 100 earpieces – Holley made motion, Jim 2nd approved
Holley made motion we approve up to \$150.00 to purchase flash drives/headphones/ear buds

Bonnie 2nd. Passed.

Jim is going to check into flash drives/headphones/ear buds companies to see if purchasing everything at one company would be cheaper.

Linda made motion to purchase another money box as Friends memberships and merchandise will be in the lobby, with book payment in the Bonnie Finn room. Jim 2nd. Passed.

Look for plastic containers/ shelving for flash drives/headphones/ear buds at Library checkout counter

Short story contest for adults – same as last year
Theme – freedom

Arts contest in fall – October time frame

1st place -- \$200

2nd place - \$100

3rd place - \$ 50

August 1 – Sept 15

Holley made motion, bonnie 2nd. Passed.

Meeting ended 9:10