

Huntington Woods Library Advisory Board

Monday, November 16, 2020

- I. Call to order – Monday, November 16, 2020 – 7:00 PM
- II. Approval of Minutes, October 19, 2020 – proposed: by Mikey , approved by all
- III. Attendance: Bob, Marty, Mikey, Mia, Steve, Anne, Judy, Manjula
- IV. Statistics for October 2020 – no comments on statistics – digital stats are still strong.
- V. Library Liaison Report:
 1. No meetings so no financial changes. Members are encouraged to renew membership – printed forms should be received at the Library. The Friends of the Library are still funding events although they are working remotely.
- VI. Librarian’s report:

Items:

NEW Youth Services: Tonja Brice –enjoying meeting families and learning what has been working well in the past. She has been creating book bundles based on information from families who have reached out via email and google forms. There is not a connection with Burton now like there has been in the past with Latchkey since the Latchkey is not able to visit the library.

NEW Student Representative: Mia Caesar (also on teen council)

Winter programs (all via Zoom) –

Art Workshops for Adults: Wednesday, November 11, 7:00 PM: Handmade Greeting Cards

Book Discussion Group, Monday, November 23, 7:30 PM: This Tender Land by William Kent Krueger

Art Workshops for Adults: Wednesday, December 16, 7:00 PM: Decorative Mini-Clipboard

Book Discussion Group, December 28, 7:30 PM: The World According to Fannie Davis by Bridgett Davis

Mikey Smith’s last meeting is tonight – we will need another rep from Pleasant Ridge.

Library is still open for curbside pickup despite the new orders from the Governor.
- VII. Old Business:

Library Steps – done but still no handrails. Fabricating new ones that will be installed in another 5 weeks. Ramp and porch can be used at this point.
- VIII. New Business:

Library Advisory Board Terms—Bob is not sure of how many terms he has served – if he has served 2 then he would be done next month. The city has put information out for vacancies that will be upcoming. P R will put out information to recruit another member from Pleasant Ridge.

Judy suggested that kid’s programming should be included in the Library Director’s report along with adult programming and most agreed.

Judy also asked about returning grocery bags to the library – Anne said that is perfectly fine and that many people (including Marty) recycle their bags frequently.
- IX. Tutor.com – Anne is creating an informational email to be sent to principals to send out to families – available to any family that has a Huntington Woods library card.

- X. Public Participation:
- XI. Library Director and Board Comments:
- XII. Next Meeting: Monday, December 21, 2020 – 7:00 PM
- XIII. Adjournment – Judy motioned and Mikey seconded at 7:42.

Have a Happy Thanksgiving!