

**Kiester Library Board  
Minutes  
August 26th, 2021 6:00 p.m.**

**Meeting called to order:** President Dawn Flaskerud called the meeting to order and did roll call

**Members present:** Dawn Flaskerud, Karen Busch, Marcia Dahleen, Vickie Savick

& Library Coordinator Kristy Flaskerud

**Members absent:** Judy Goggin

**Minutes:** July 8, 2021 minutes reviewed and approved with a motion by Vickie, second by Marcia.

**Discussion**

1. Kristy gave the status of the summer reading program. We had one family of 3 children that had been here every Tuesday. They were very happy with their prizes and there are prizes left over for next year.
2. Twyla Trytten donated about 75 books
3. Trivia Question Status- on the second question for August, then 2 questions in September. If done next year, just one question per month and possibly not Kiester Trivia, but some other trivia.
4. Vickie was asked by the Active Living Group if the Library would help with their bike training program. It was unclear as to what they wanted for help, so it was decided that the Active Living Group would be added to the agenda for the next meeting.
5. The book signing: Dawn said an ad in the newspaper would cost \$35, and ad in the paper & the shopper would cost \$49. It was decided to go with the both for \$49. It was also decided to set Jen up in the front of the library with food in the Classics room. It was decided coffee & bottled water would be served. Kristy is bringing Chips & dip, & coffee. Marcia: plates, cups, napkins, & crackers. Karen: meat & cheese. Dawn: bottled water & pinwheel snacks, Vickie: pan of bars & banana bread. Judy: whatever she chooses to bring. Thoughts are about 15 or so to attend.
6. It was decided to take money out of the book sale money around \$60 to purchase some books from Jen during the book signing
7. Thank you card discussion was tabled until next month's meeting motion made by Karen, second, by Dawn
8. Farming of Yesteryear schedule was discussed. Kristy and Dawn are going to set up Friday afternoon. Kristy & Dawn are going to work Saturday 9-1, Audrey will work 1-4 or 5, Vickie agreed to work on Sunday from 9 am to 2 pm. Dawn & Kristy will work 2-close and tear down. Karen said possibly she could help tear down. Will be asking 25 cents for paperback & 50 cents for hardcover, or free will donation.
9. July numbers were discussed 116 attendance (93 adult, 23 kids) 3 adult nonfiction, 66 fiction, 22 junior fiction, 13 DVD's, 2 CD's , 1 internet
10. New books for September was so far a total of \$54.41
11. Dawn said that the book line has not been corrected yet. There was a charge for Square (Liquor store expense) taken out of the Wage line. Dawn will check to make sure that is added back into our Wage budget line. Book budget is at 73.49% so far. Marcia said that she has started the budget for next month. Marcia mentioned possibly giving Kristy a raise for next year. Marcia was going to look into the hour limit for Kristy, so we don't fall into the Para perimeters. The county did give us the \$300 reimbursement for internet for 2020, and we should be getting 2021 yet also.
12. Marcia said that she did submit the Benco grant and left the dollar amount open.
13. The donation from the Legion was discussed and would be checked on if we are going to receive it again this year and the process to receive it.
14. Next meeting is set for Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm
15. Judy is the book recommendation person for September

16. Karen made a motion to adjourn, Marcia made a second at about 7 pm  
Respectfully submitted,  
Dawn Flaskerud

