

Oxford Library Board Meeting Minutes

June 5, 2023

Present: Jayne Keiser, Deb Kinney, Lauren Roberts, Billie Ruden, and Megan Dial-Lapcewich

Absent: Colleen Bowers and Elizabeth Spratt

Minutes: A motion was made and seconded by Ruden/Dial-Lapcewich to approve the May minutes. Motion carried.

Librarian Report - In May the library was open 79.5 hours with 235 patrons in the library, 14 computer users, 174 physical materials and 84 e-books were checked out. Five new library cards were issued. 29 patrons attended the various programs in the library. Thirty craft bags were distributed.

Summer Reading Program - The summer reading program sign up is online, and twenty to thirty people have already signed up. The summer reading program runs June 1 through the end of July. Many items and prizes needed for the Summer Reading Program have been donated.

Oxford Farmers Market - The Oxford Farmers Market has moved to Saturday mornings this year. It was decided that a Library table at the market for promo was no longer needed.

Art & Talent Show - An Art and Talent Show, in honor of the library's 2023 Summer Reading Program, will be at Augusta Hall on July 22 with a pizza party for the participants.

Johnson County Library Funds - Johnson County funds for the Oxford Library will be \$11,600 for the next fiscal year.

Sit and Stitch - Sit and Stitch is a new program for the library that begins in June. Participants can work on any stitching project.

RAGBRAI - There was discussion regarding a library fund raiser when RAGBRAI riders come through Oxford on July 28. It was decided that a Sign Up Genius be put on Facebook asking for food and drink donations that would be sold during RAGBRAI with the proceeds going to the library. Volunteers would also be needed to sell the donated items on July 28.

Oxford Library Board Officers for 2023-24: President - Billie Ruden, Vice President - Megan Dial-Lapcewich, Secretary - Jayne Keiser

Library Board Member - Margaret Hennes has resigned from the Library Board. A new board member is needed.

Library Board Training - The Library Board will be viewing two more Library Board Professional Development Videos during the August meeting via Zoom.

The next meeting will be Monday, August 1 at 6:30 P.M.

Motion made and seconded by Dial-Lapcewich/Keiser to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.