

Plympton Board of Library Trustees
Minutes
March 5, 2016

Present: D. Batson, K. Boyles, M. Boyles, T. Cosato, P. Detterman, D. Sampson, C. Winslow

Minutes of February 6, 2016 Approved

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

OLD BUSINESS:

Important Dates: Wage and Personnel next Wed., March 9th 6pm; FinCom, next Mon., March 14th 5:30pm.

Library Day: Tues., 3/8. Contact Legislators if you haven't already.

Budget submitted to FinCom.

Building Issues: Roof replacement submitted as capital project by Town Coordinator; Door opening button estimate (\$3,625 plus \$545 for optional sensor) ; carpeting needs cleaning; ground wire ?

LRP: need to revisit.

Technology Plan: 3 staff computers replaced; 1 old one replace older public computer, other 2 replace card catalog and children's room; new printer installed (scanning and wireless printing now available); notebook computer purchased for public and staff use within library.

Raising a Reader Program: SSCAC (first week only 1 child; 2nd week 9!) 2 weeks left.

NEW BUSINESS:

Read Across America: Debbie read to 3rd grade 3/3.

Joy of Coloring: expanding program.

Summer Reading Planning: survey? contact CASA?

Budget.

STAFF PROJECTS INCLUDED:

Ordering Summer Reading displays; Pictures of programs and posting of events on social media sites; reshelving 790-900 books and LP collection; discards/donations; displays/decorations; Book Promotions; updating lease books; outdoor sign updates.

PROGRAMMING:

Ongoing: Knitting; Adult Coloring; Book Discussion; Raising a Reader; Coffee Time.

Held: Build a Snowman; Best Book of 2015; Legomania; Bring Child to Library Day.

Upcoming: Pastel Painting workshop April 5th 6:00pm; possible Meditative Art demo.

Next Meeting: April 9th 8:00am