Friends of the Hooksett Library
Monthly Meeting Minutes
April 2, 2019

In attendance: Tammy Hooker, Heather Rainier, Linda Bonetti

The meeting was opened at 6:45pm by Tammy Hooker

Minutes: No minutes voted on

Financial Report: No financial report made by Treasurer

Librarian’s Report: Heather Rainier

Notes by Heather:

. $214 raised towards American Girl Raffle (drawing 4/13)
. $115 from Photo Booth at Bear Paw’s Wild Encounters
. $192 profit to date on Fun Pass books (4 left to sell out of 20).
   Tammy recommended getting 5 more as April vacation coming up.
. Online book sale: Andrea doing scanning

• There are people retiring from “voting” who may be interested in helping with library or
  other town volunteering events.
• We still need a “Friends” button or insignia to give us recognition. Heather to ask
  Mark.

Events: Heather Rainier

• Easter Bunny on Saturday, April 13th 9:30-11:30am
  o Photo booth volunteers needed
  o American Girl doll raffle
  o Tammy to be Easter Bunny

• April 27th – Bear Paw: NE K9 Search & Rescue
  o Tie into “Timber” – new K9 in Hooksett
  o Need Friends table volunteers
  o Tammy to reach out to Gosselin about table

• Mothers’ Day Tea Saturday, May 11th 11-1pm: Tammy Hooker organizes
  o Hawaiian/luau theme: motion was passed in Feb. for $200
  o Friends serve and clean up. Addition: Cawley Builders Club to serve, adults prep
    and serve
  o Library patrons only may attend.
  o Tammy will take care of food and let us know if she needs anything.
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- Plan is to have the Quilt Raffle drawing at the Tea:
  - Still pending: Linda to send group a sample ticket with photo from Heather of quilters holding up the quilt. “These are the hands that made the quilt.” Finalize ticket and sales at the March meeting

- Touch a Truck is Saturday, June 22nd 10am-1pm open to the public
  - Friends sell hot dogs, popcorn, chips, and water: need volunteers
  - Kick off for the Summer Reading Program
  - **New:** Save the Date cards should be sent to companies providing vehicles. Use the data base labels.

- **Entertainment on the Front Portico:**
  - Tuesday, July 9th 6:30pm “Breath 14” $400
  - Thursday, August 8th 6:30pm “Knock on Wood” $400
    - Up to $1500 was approved at the March 5th Board Meeting

- National Night Out – Police Awareness on Tuesday, August 6th (1st Tuesday of August)

- Hooksett Old Home Day – Saturday, September 21st. Library has not been participating at Donati Park. However, the “Book it to the Library” Run is at the library. We should consider a swag bag item at the end of the run. Heather to talk to Kiwanis about library participation.

**Membership:** No update

**Fundraising:** see Librarian’s report

**Advocacy:**
No new ideas

**Additional Business:** No additional report
Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm

**Next meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 7th at 6:30pm.**

Respectfully submitted,
Linda Bonetti