

COLE LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES

MAY 15, 2018

PRESENT: Deb George, Cathy Boggs, Tracey Louwagie, Greg Cotton, Sharon Dendurent,
Julia West, Bob Meeker.

I. The meeting was called to order by President Deb George at 8:34 a.m., in Room 326.

II. The Minutes of the April meeting were approved.

III. REPORTS:

A. PRESIDENT: April was “Older Americans Month”, which hopes to encourage people of every age to use the library and that it is never too late to begin.

B. PUBLIC LIBRARIAN:

1. The School Tours begin in May. Cathy will visit Washington Elementary School and the preschool to promote the Summer Reading Program.
2. Summer Reading Program: The kick off to the summer reading program is May 24th at Hills Bank from 5 - 6:30 p.m.
The program
 - has from 250 to 300 participants.
 - It includes a Kids Club, Monday afternoon.
 - Paws for Reading. Kids read to dogs. Three dogs will be included in the program.
 - Science Workshops on Wednesday.
3. On June 27, beginning at 7 p.m., a performance of “The Wandering Ballad” will be at the Heritage Hall in Lisbon.

C. LIBRARIAN:

1. The financial report was reviewed.

IV. MAJOR BUSINESS:

- A. Parent Partner Reading Program: This summer, parents are invited to read to and with their children. For each book that they read, they will get one ticket, with a maximum of five. All tickets will be included in a drawing at the end of the summer.
- B. The Public Librarian and the College Librarian will be working on plans to remodel the frequently used Room 108. They will share the cost of purchasing shades, carpet, and paint for the room.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 21, 2018

Adjournment was at 9:03 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Bob Meeker