Corrales Community Library Board Minutes of Meeting May 10, 2018

Members Present

Kate Bemish
Ginger Foote, Chair (excused)
Nancy Kelbley, Secretary
Tom Neiman
Nora Scherzinger
Elizabeth Volkman (excused)
Also present: Edwina Tafoya, Library Director

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 pm

Agenda

Agenda approved as presented.

Minutes

April minutes were approved as written.

Librarian's Report

- o Filming at the Corrales Library
 - Edwina reported that the library was closed all day on May 23rd to allow the filming of a movie called "Short Story of a Long Run". The film will be submitted to the Sundance Festival and if accepted the library will receive a copy.

o Buddy Readers

The library collaborates with Corrales Elementary on a reading program called Buddy Readers. In this program 5th graders are paired to read to 1st graders. An event was held at the library with 100 people in attendance. The library shared the coming Summer Reading program with this group. In addition to hosting this event for Buddy Readers, the library participates in a Jeopardy style Battle of the Books held at Georgia O'Keefe Elementary School.

Other News

- Miss Jennie from a local daycare has donated toys, given by children in her daycare, to the library.
- The flag has been repaired and a new light is now installed to keep the flag lit at night.
- 15 games have been purchased for checkout at the library. The library is also lending ukuleles.
- There have been problems in getting the NYT delivered at the library consistently and this has now been resolved.
- Fax was not working and was switched to a different line, which resulted in a separate bill. This issue has been resolved.
- The new Writer's program will begin and go for 6 weeks.

Staff Changes

- Christie Gilbert resigned her position as Children's Librarian.
- Brin Cole has been hired from within the Village as the new Children's Librarian and will start May 14th. Brin is currently attending school for her Masters in Library Science. Brin was working in the Village office on the Village webpage. She will continue to work 1 hour a week to keep the Village website updated.

- There will be two summer interns provided by Sandoval County. Amelia Johnson and Leo Tyroller. Amelia is currently volunteering at the library and both students have used the library for many years. Brin will be supervising these students.
- Edwina announced that she would be retiring at the end of June. The position will be posted internally first and then will be posted externally.

New Business

Nancy Kelbley reported that a library volunteer ask that the board review the library's hours for consistency. A discussion continued. The board decided that given the current staff changes this issue waits until new staff has a chance to get settled.

Next meeting: June 14, 2018 Adjournment