



The DALAND *Connection*

May 2010

Save the date!

- **Spring Gala** – Saturday, May 15th
- **Friends of the Library meeting** – Monday, May 24th; 7:30 p.m.
- **Super Saturday** – Paper airplane fun, Saturday, June 5th; call to register
- **Book Group Meeting** – Monday, June 7th; 9:30 a.m.
- **Knitting and Needlecraft Group** – Friday, June 4; 7:30 p.m.
- **Summer Reading Program** – registration begins Saturday, June 12

Volunteer Opportunities!

The Friends of the Library need your help! We have many volunteer opportunities available during the Spring Gala. If you can give a few hours of your time, we can use help with Plant Sales, Book Sales, and “Junque Jools”. Also set-up and take down before or after the sale.

Please consider volunteering!

Hear Ye! Read Ye!

Beginning May 3, Daland Memorial Library will be a member of the NH State Library Downloadable Audiobooks and eBooks. There will be an active link from our webpage. Click on the link and it will take you to a page where you can view and download titles to your home computer. There is additional software that you need to download in order to use the service. Please take the time to view the tutorial to orient yourself with how the system works. Audiobooks may be downloaded to your computer and then listened to from your computer or transferred to several devices including MP3 players and iPods. eBooks may be downloaded to your computer and read on your computer screen or transferred to a Sony Reader or a Nook. The Amazon Kindle and the iPad are not supported devices at this time. There are over 100 book titles available in the ebooks section and more than 4000 audio books. There is also the ability to create a wish list and out items on hold. Give it a try!

Super Saturday

Make a landing in the library on Saturday June 5th for Paper Airplane Fun. Learn the art of paper aeronautics from the Klutz paper airplane book . Children ages 6 & up. Registration required. Space is limited. Call 673-7888 to hold your spot today.

PURSE PARTY SALE

MV Teen Times invites you to their Fabulous Purse Sale Saturday May 15th at Spring Gala! Peruse through a display of new and lightly used handbags, purses, and wallets from vintage to Coach. Enter a raffle to win two new Vera Bradley bags in the new 2010 Spring colors!

Make A Splash...READ!

Mark you calendars! The 2010 Summer Reading Program is only a month away. Dive into the library this summer for a fun filled vacation of reading, crafts, entertainers, road trips, prizes and MORE! Registration for children, birth through high school, begins Saturday June 12th and runs through the end of the month. Space is limited for some activities so be sure to sign up early!!

Plant Sale

Plant Sale coordinators Heather Carver and Sally Hogan will be looking for plant donations for the annual plant sale to be held at the library on Spring Gala Day, Saturday, May 15. Please check your gardens to see what you may be able to dig and divide and donate to the sale. Pots will be available behind the library May 1. It's recommended that plants be dug 7-10 days before the sale so they have a

chance to recover and look their best the day of the sale. It is important they be labelled so buyers know where to plant purchases. Things to include on a tag: plant name, color of flower and when it blooms, height of plant and if it likes sun, shade or something in between. Perennials, annuals, herbs, vegetable plants, bulbs, small shrubs are all welcome.

Proceeds from the sale will be divided between the Friends of the Library and

the Mont Vernon Gardeners.

The Friends support a number of library "extras" including museum passes to library patrons, a new book for each new baby born in town, the Teen Times program, the many treats for the trick-or-treaters who visit the library on Halloween as well New Hampshire Humanities Council programs open to the public. The Mont Vernon Gardeners care for four gardens in town including the library gardens, the Margaret Clark

Bird Garden at the MVVS, Joanne Griffin's Memorial Garden at Lamson Farm and the herb garden by the Town Hall.

Questions contact Heather Carver at heather.carver@comcast.net, or 673-9477; or Sally Hogan at souhogan@aol.com, or 672-5516; or ask at the library.

Look for the plants on the library lawn from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Saturday, May 15th.

Books Friends of the Library are Reading

"Iron John" by Robert Bly

"I Want to be Left Behind, Finding Rapture Here on Earth" by Brenda Peterson

* "Beautiful Creatures" by Kami Garcia

* "Beatrice and Virgil" by Yann Martell

* "The Queen of the Big Time" by Adriana Trigiani

* "The Man from Beijing" by Henning Mankell

* "Little Bee" by Chris Cleave

* "The Shadow of the Wind" by Carlos Ruiz Zafon

* *Available at the library*

Passes to FIVE Museums at the Library Looking for activities this spring? Passes are available to library patrons to five area museums. Three are free, two have a small co-pay. Call or check the websites for updated information on current exhibits and hours open at the following:

NEW! Orchard House

399 Lexington Street
Concord, MA
Tel: 978-369-4118
www.louisamayalcott.org

Orchard House passes made possible through the generosity of Jennifer R. Bernard.
5 passes - each admits
2 adults/seniors & 4 youths

Currier Museum of Art

201 Myrtle Way
Manchester, NH
Tel: 603-669-7194
www.currier.org

Two passes - each pass admits two

Museum of Fine Arts

465 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA
Tel: 617-267-9300
www.mfa.org

Take away FLEX pass - one pass admits two adults

(NOTE: \$5 co-pay for EACH adult)

Some special exhibits at the MFA require a ticket which is an additional charge - check the website for details.

Canterbury Shaker Village

288 Shaker Road, Canterbury, NH
www.shakers.org

Each pass admits 2. Note: \$6.00 co-pay for each adult, \$3.00 for each child
The museum is open on May 15th.

SEE Science Center

200 Bedford Street
Manchester, NH
Tel: 603-669-0400
www.see-sciencecenter.org
3 family passes

Passes may be checked out for one week. (Take away passes are not returned.) Late returns will incur a \$5 penalty. To reserve passes stop in or call the library at 673-7888. Passes, other than Orchard House, are made possible through the fund raising efforts of the Friends of the Library.

MONT VERNON GARDENERS

❧ “DIGGING FOR POTS” ❧

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SPLITTING AND TRANSPLANTING PLANTS

The Mont Vernon Gardeners and the Friends of the Daland Memorial Library hold a plant sale each year at the Spring Gala. This year, the sale will be held (rain or shine!) on Saturday, May 15th beginning at 8:00 a.m. at the Library. Proceeds from this sale are split between the two groups. Library proceeds help support the summer reading program, purchase the many treats provided for trick-or-treaters on Halloween, buy a new book for each new baby born in town, fund the “Teen Times” program, as well as New Hampshire Humanities Council programs open to the public. The Gardeners’ proceeds help to maintain the town gardens including those at the Library, Joanne Griffin’s Memorial Garden at Lamson Farm, the Margaret Clark Bird Garden at the Mont Vernon Village School and the herb garden at the Town Hall.

**In order for this sale to be a success we need your help!
Specifically, YOUR PLANTS!**

TYPES OF PLANTS WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

Perennials * Annuals * Herbs * Vegetable Plants * Bulbs * Small Shrubs

TRANSPLANTING: Digging for pots is recommended 7-10 days beforehand so plants may recover and look their best. Be sure to give your plants a good soaking **THE DAY BEFORE YOU DIG** and then water again after transplanting. Be sure the roots are not exposed. If you have a bit of standard fertilizer (a 10-10-17 will do just fine) it will give the plant a great new start! If you follow these guidelines, plants will look their best for the sale! Don’t have any pots? Recycled pots are available behind the library.

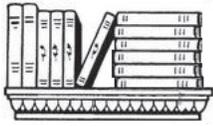
LABELING: Please be sure to label all plants! Please use permanent marker and state:

Name of Plant * Color of Plant * Amount of Sun * Height
Don’t know the name? No worries! A general description will be fine!

DROP OFF: Please leave plants behind the library on Friday, May 14th.

PLANTS TO DONATE, NO TIME TO DIG? Please contact us! We will make arrangements to have a member of the Mont Vernon Gardeners come to your home and dig your plants for you!

CONTACT INFORMATION: Should you have any questions, please contact the plant sale coordinators: Sally Hogan at 603.672.5516 or souhogan@aol.com, or Heather Carver at 603.673.9477 or heather.carver@comcast.net



BOOK GROUP NEWS

April 5 Meeting

The April 5 book discussion of “The Art of Racing in the Rain” by Garth Stein was a lively one. Eight members from the Daland group were joined by four members from a book group in Amherst. A comparison on how both groups operate was followed by an exchange of book titles both groups have found to be good discussion material. The relationship between Enzo, the storyteller, and his owner, Denny Swift, was a wonderful one though the author found the Billy Collins’ poem, “The Revenant”, below, to inspire the story line. The author’s background with racing cars also showed in the story’s development. Following the discussion refreshments included yummy dog bone shaped treats. The visitors were particularly interested in our lovely Arts and Crafts style library. It was a wonderful morning that gave both groups a boost!

The Revenant - Billy Collins

Included in the book *The Trouble with Poetry*. (OCT 2005),

I am the dog you put to sleep,
as you like to call the needle of oblivion,
come back to tell you this simple thing:
I never liked you--not one bit.

When I licked your face,
I thought of biting off your nose.
When I watched you toweling yourself dry,
I wanted to leap and unman you with a snap.

I resented the way you moved,
your lack of animal grace,
the way you would sit in a chair to eat,
a napkin on your lap, knife in your hand.

I would have run away,
but I was too weak, a trick you taught me
while I was learning to sit and heel,
and--greatest of insults--shake hands without a hand.

I admit the sight of the leash
would excite me
but only because it meant I was about
to smell things you had never touched.

You do not want to believe this,
but I have no reason to lie.
I hated the car, the rubber toys,
disliked your friends and, worse, your relatives.

The jingling of my tags drove me mad.
You always scratched me in the wrong place.
All I ever wanted from you
was food and fresh water in my metal bowls.

While you slept, I watched you breathe
as the moon rose in the sky.
It took all of my strength
not to raise my head and howl.

Now I am free of the collar,
the yellow raincoat, monogrammed sweater,
the absurdity of your lawn,
and that is all you need to know about this place

except what you already supposed
and are glad it did not happen--

that everyone here can read and write,
the dogs in poetry, the cats and the others in prose.

revenant - noun - one who returns after death (as a ghost) or after a long absence

June 7 - “Double Bind” by Chris Bohjalian

The next selection in the discussion program will be “Double Bind” by Chris Bohjalian. Reading or reviewing F. Scott Fitzgerald’s “The Great Gatsby” may add to this discussion. The discussion will begin at 9:30 a.m., at the library, on June 7. Copies of both books are available at the library.

Library Director Karen MacDonald purchases a copy of each selection for the library collection. The complete list for 2010 is posted on the bulletin board in the library’s foyer. Any title may be borrowed by a library patron, though a book that’s to be discussed will be reserved for book group participants the month of the discussion. Questions, call the library at 673-7888.

Book list for reminder of 2010

June 28 - non-fiction: “A Sand County Almanac” by Aldo Leopold

~ NO JULY DISCUSSION ~

August 2 - fiction - graphic novel: “Book of Genesis Illustrated by R Crumb” by R. Crumb

August 30 - fiction: “Homeland: A Novel” by Barbara Hambley

~ NO SEPTEMBER DISCUSSION ~

October 4 - fiction: “The Grapes of Wrath” by John Steinbeck

November 1 - fiction: “The Help” by Kathryn Sockett

December 6 - poetry: Donald Hall, Jane Kenyon, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

NEW ADULT BOOKS APRIL 2010

FICTION

FIC ALL Allende, Isabel Island beneath the sea
 FIC BAL Baldacci, David Deliver us from evil
 FIC BAR Barbery, Muriel The elegance of the hedgehog
 FIC BAS Bass, Elizabeth Miss you most of all
 FIC BER Berg, Elizabeth The last time I saw you
 FIC BRO Brown, Rita Mae Cat of the century
 FIC CHI Chiaverini, Jennifer The aloha quilt
 FIC CLA Clark, Carol Higgins Wrecked
 FIC CLA Clark, Maty Higgins The shadow of your smile
 FIC CLE Cleave, Chris Little bee
 FIC DAL Dallas, Sandra Whiter than snow
 FIC EVA Evans, Richard Paul The walk
 FIC FRE French, Tana In the woods
 FIC GAR Garlock, Dorothy Stay a little longer
 FIC GEO George, Elizabeth This body of death
 FIC GIF Giffin, Emily Babyproof
 FIC HAN Hannah, Kristin Between sisters
 FIC HAN Hannah, Kristin On Mystic Lake
 FIC HAR Harris, Charlaine Dead and gone (Sookie Stackhouse #9)
 FIC HAR Hart, Carolyn Laughed 'til he died
 FIC JOH Johansen, Iris Eight days to live
 FIC KEL Kellerman, Jesse The executor
 FIC KEL Kellerman, Jonathan Deception: an Alex Delaware novel
 FIC MAC Macomber, Debbie Hannah's List
 FIC MAR Martel, Yann Beatrice and Virgil: a novel
 FIC MCC McCall Smith, Alexander The Double Comfort Safari Club
 FIC MCE McEwan, Ian Solar: a novel
 FIC MIC Michaels, Fern Exclusive
 FIC MIC Michaels, Fern Return to sender
 FIC MIL Miller, Sue The Lake Shore Limited
 FIC PAT Patterson, James The 9th judgment
 FIC PER Perry, Anne The sheen on the silk
 FIC PET Peters, Elizabeth A river in the sky
 FIC QUI Quindlen, Anna Every last one
 FIC TRI Trigiani, Adriana The queen of the big time
 FIC TUR Turow, Scott Innocent
 FIC WIN Winspear, Jacqueline The mapping of love and death
 FIC WOO Woods, Stuart Lucid intervals

NON FICTION

241 MEY Meyer, Joyce Eat the cookie, buy the shoes
 327.127 TEN Tenet, George At the center of the storm: my years at the CIA
 330 LEV Levitt, Steven Superfreakonomics
 355 SHE Sheehan, Neil A fiery peace in a cold war
 365 NEM Nemat, Marina Prison of Tehran: a memoir
 REF 374.013 PET Peterson's Vocational and Technical Schools East
 613 NEL Nelson, Miriam E. The strong women's guide to total health
 613.2 ROB Robbins, John Healthy at 100 how you can - at any age
 615.854 YEA Yeager, Selene The doctors book of food remedies
 616.1 AME American Heart Association complete guide to women's heart health

616.7 BON Bonner, Dede The 10 best questions for living with fibromyalgia
 618.2 ROI Roizen, Michael You're having a baby
 641.22 WAL Wallace, Benjamin The billionaire's vinegar: the mystery of the world's most expensive bottle of wine
 641.5 SEI Seinfeld, Jessica Deceptively delicious: simple secrets to getting your kids to eat good food
 650.14 ENE Enelow, Wendy No-nonsense cover letters
 650.14 KAR Karsh, Brad How to say it on your resume
 726.5 DRE A dream realized: St. Dominic Chapel at Providence College
 737.4 YEO Yeoman, R.S. A guide book of United States
 808.88 HAR Harvard Classics: V.2 - Plato, Epictetus, Marcus Aurelius
 822 HAR Harvard Classics: Elizabethan drama - Marlowe, Shakespeare
 917.3 DUN Dunham, Jed Epic ain't easy: the true story of a patriot and his quest to rediscover America
 920 HOT Hotchner, A. E. Paul and Me: fifty-three years of adventures and misadventures with my pal Paul Newman
 920 LEO Leon, Vicki Uppity women of medieval times

CD

CD BOH Bohjalian, Chris Secrets of Eden
 CD EVA Evans, Sara The sweet by and by
 CD SIM Simonson, Helen Major Pettigrew's last stand
 CD TYL Tyler, Anne Noah's compass
 CD 318 MAT Matthiessen, Peter The cloud forest
 CD 331.7 BRA Bragg, Rick The most they ever had
 CD 943 Reeves, Richard Daring young men: the heroism and triumph of the Berlin Airlift

DVD

DVD DOR Dora the explorer: city of lost toys
 DVD DOR Dora the explorer: fairytale adventure
 DVD DOR Dora the explorer: it's a party
 DVD GIF F A gift from the heart
 DVD HAR Y Harry Potter and the half-blood prince
 DVD HUR The hurt locker
 DVD LAS Last chance Harvey
 DVD LIT Little Einsteins: team up for adventure
 DVD MAD F Madagascar: Escape 2 Africa
 DVD MY My life in ruins
 DVD MY My sister's keeper
 DVD NIC Nick Jr. Favorites 3
 DVD ONC Once upon a dream
 DVD PRI Princess enchanted tales: follow your dreams
 DVD PRI Princess party
 DVD PUR The pursuit of happiness
 DVD WAT Watchmen
 DVD WIN Winnie the Pooh: springtime with Roo
 DVD WRE The wrestler

YOUNG ADULT

YA DAS Dashner, James The maze runner
 YA PAT Patterson, James Fang: a Maximum Ride novel
 YA STO Stork, Francisco Marcelo in the real world

NEW JUVENILE BOOKS APRIL 2010

PICTURE BOOKS

PIC ACK	Ackerman, Karen	Song and dance man
PIC BEM	Bemelmans, Ludwig	Mad about Madeline: the complete tales
PIC BEM	Bemelmans Marciano, John	Madeline says merci
PIC BRO	Brown, Marcia	Once a mouse...
PIC DOY	Doyle, Malachy	Jody's beans
PIC FIV		Five-minute tales for four year olds
PIC HOL	Holabird, Katharine	Angelina ballerina: a day at the fair
PIC HOL	Holabird, Katharine	Angelina ballerina: Angelina and the ragdoll
PIC HOL	Holabird, Katharine	Angelina ballerina: Angelina in the wings
PIC ISA	Isadora, Rachel	Lili at ballet
FIC SHA	Shannon, David	Too many toys
PIC ZOL	Zolotow, Charlotte	Some things go together
PIC ZSC	Zschock, Martha Day	Journey around Washington, D.C. from A to Z

EASY JUVENILE

EJ CLE	Cleary, Beverly	Lucky chuck
EJ KRU	Krulick, Nancy	Girls don't have cooties

EASY READER

ER OCO	O'Connor, Jane	Fancy Nancy and the boy from Paris
ER OCO	O'Connor, Jane	Fancy Nancy at the museum
ER OCO	O'Connor, Jane	Fancy Nancy sees stars
ER RYL	Rylant, Cynthia	The case of the missing monkey (High-Rise Private Eyes #1)
ER SCH L1	Schaefer, Lola	Loose tooth

FICTION

J FIC AVI	Avi	The secret school
J FIC BUC	Buckley, Michael	The inside story (the Sisters Grimm, Book 8)
J FIC FRE	Freeman, Martha	Who stole Halloween?

J FIC KEL	Kelly, Jacqueline	The evolution of Calpurnia Tate
J FIC KOR	Korman, Gordon	The emperor's code
J FIC TRI	Tripp, Valerie	Meet Felicity: an American girl
J FIC VAN	Van Cleve, Kathleen	Drizzle
J FIC WAL	Wallace, Bill	Pick of the litter

NON FICTION

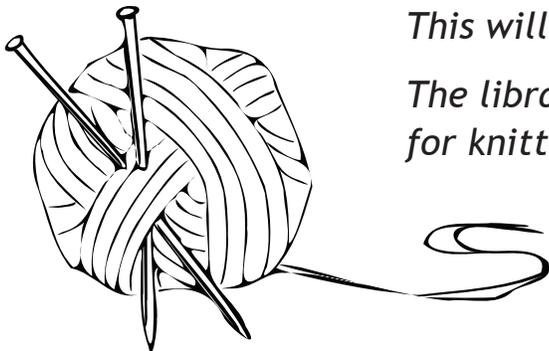
JUV 001.9 ZUL	Zullo, Adam	America's most haunted: true scary places
JUV 363.7 NEW		The new 50 simple things kids can do to save the Earth
JUV 398 KAN	Kane, Barry & Tracy	Fairy houses...everywhere!
JUV 398.2 BUF	Buff, Mary and Conrad	The apple and the arrow
JUV 491.7 AME	Amery, Kirilenko	The first thousand words in Russian
JUV 525 WOO	Woodward, John	Planet Earth
JUV 688.7 LIP	Lipkowitz, Daniel	The LEGO book
JUV 688.7 MAR	Martell, Nevin	Standing small: a celebration of 30 years
JUV 709.2 COC	Cocca-Leffler, M.	Edgar Degas: paintings that dance
JUV 736 OCO	O'Connor, Jane	Henri Matisse: drawing with scissor
JUV 745.54 JAC	Jackson, Paul	Classic origami
JUV 745.59 STI	Stillinger, Doug	The Klutz book of paper airplanes
JUV 759.4 KEL	Kelley, True	Claude Monet: sunshine and waterlilies
JUV 759.9 HOL	Holub, Joan	Vincent Van Gogh: sunflowers and swirly stars
JUV 811.52 SAN	Sandburg, Carl	Carl Sandburg: poetry for young people
JUV 821 CAR	Carroll, Lewis	Lewis Carroll : poetry for young people
JUV 821 KIP	Kipling, Rudyard	Rudyard Kipling: a poetry for young people
JUV 790.1 GAM		Games and giggles just for girls
JUV 920 PAT	Patrick, Sam	The presidents: Washington to Reagan
JUV 975.3 OUR		Our White House: looking in, looking out

Knitting and Needlecraft Group

Friday, June 4; 7:30 p.m.

This will be the last group meeting before the fall.

The library will have "Walk In Wednesdays" for knitting from 3 to 4, starting June 23rd.



More details to come in the next newsletter.

Meeting Minutes Friends of the Daland Memorial Library April 26, 2010

In attendance: Heather Carver, Lois Boericke, Mary Katherine Darnall, Virginia Covert, Shirley Levesque, Joan Brogioli, Karen MacDonald, Bonnie Angulas, Hilary Sonner, Tim Allen, Sally Hogan

Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m.; President Hilary Sonner presiding.

Karen MacDonald introduced new member Mary Katherine Darnall to the group.

Minutes for March 22, 2010 meeting accepted as published in the April 2010 newsletter.

Correspondence - Hilary Sonner

A. Renewal of Currier museum passes - cost \$65 for one year
Motion made, seconded and unanimously approved to renew the passes for one year.

B. Renewal of Canterbury Shaker Village passes - cost \$100 for one year (museum opens May 15 and closes in the fall).

If purchased, the library will receive 100 passes, each admitting two people with a co-pay of \$6 for each adult and \$3 for each child.

Because there were quite a number of weekends when the passes could not be used last season, they were not used as frequently as in the past years. These restrictions will be in place this season, too.

Motion made, seconded and unanimously approved to table the discussion until after the Treasurer's report is given.

C. Request to join the Association of Library Trustees, Advocates and Friends Foundation. This is an organization that includes the FO-LUSA organization the Friends have belonged to in the past.

Cost \$40

Hilary Sonner and Karen MacDonald to find out more about the group and bring their findings to the next meeting.

Treasurer's Report - Joan Brogioli

A. Both the annual report and the tax return have been filed and accepted.

Karen MacDonald thanked Joan for taking care of these tasks.

B. Account information:

Citizen checking account
\$1239.91

ING account
\$2,166.45 (as of 3.10)

Fidelity account
\$16,538.40 (as of 3.10)

TOTAL \$19,944.76

Librarian's Report - Karen MacDonald

A. Downloadable books & e-books selections should be accessible by May 4

Staff took a class in how the program operates so they may assist patrons.

The program is to be used from patrons' homes, not the library.

Books downloadable to Amazon-nooks, iPods, MP3 players, but not to Kindles.

Patrons will need their library card number to access selections - they may call the library for this information.

Audiobooks may be checked out for one week - they may be downloaded to another device so they may be accessed for a longer period of time.

Ebooks can be checked out for two weeks. If a title is checked out, it may not be checked out by another user.

B. Karen met with Carolyn Dorr-Rich to discuss making a new outside sign for the library. She also asked Carolyn to include in her estimate the cost of fixing the broken slat on one of the outside benches. Funds to pay for these two items will be covered by the library budget.

C. Roofers have been to the library to check out the leak affecting the inside front wall of the building. Once an estimate is in it will be up to the Daland Trustees to approve and pay this expenditure.

D. A meeting with the Daland Trustees has not been set - difficulty in finding a date that all three are available. (The Daland Trustees are Mark Vaughn, Anne Dodd and Mary Collins.)

The ongoing water issue has not been resolved.

Question - Is there any discussion of planning for a new library?

E. An adult literacy organization in Nashua expressed interest in using the library as a rest stop for their June 6 "Ride-to-Read" program. They would like to use the lawn. The group will provide their own water.

A representative from the organization to meet with Karen to review the request.

Children's Program Director's Report

- Bonnie Angulus

- A. Super Saturday Program has gotten off to a great start. Next month's program will focus on birds.
(NOTE: Program held on the first Saturday of the month through June and requires sign up at the library. Geared for 1st and 2nd graders (6 and up).)
- B. All programs, including Teen Times, Story Time and children's book groups are going to be finishing up next month (May), then the summer reading program will begin in June.
- C. Grant applications - one accepted, one denied
Grant for \$270 that provides for a one-time entertainer was approved. Arrangements made to have "Mad Science-Splish Splash" perform. Bonnie delighted as this was her first choice.
NH Charitable Foundation grant application not granted this year. (Details on covering the expenses for the children's summer reading program explained below.)

Membership Report -

Karen MacDonald

To date: 38 paid members; 24 life time members

Members who paid dues in the fall of 2009 will be members in good standing through 2010.

Trustees' Report - Karen MacDonald reporting

no report at this time

Newsletter - Stephanie Lindsey editor

Request all copy be sent to Stephanie by Friday, April 30.

OLD BUSINESS

Mystery Evening - Saturday, April 17;
Amy White's home

Hilary Sonner reported it was a very successful and enjoyable evening.

While all expenditures not counted to date, Hilary anticipates \$700 was made and will be used to help cover the expenses of the children's summer reading program.

There were 51 character parts and 12 wait staff who either paid or provided some of the food.

There was plenty of food and drink.

Rewriting the script was time-consuming, but Hilary felt it well worth the effort.

To help with costumes next year, it was suggested the theme relate to this year's PTA theme.

A bracelet was found by Amy's driveway. Hilary putting together the e-mail list of attendees and will send out a message asking if someone has lost one. The bracelet is at the library. Karen asked for the e-mail list so as to send out a copy of the newsletter to attract more Friend members.

Summer Reading Program - Funding -
Bonnie Angulus

The \$1895 budget for the summer reading program to be covered with the following:

- a. A motion made, seconded and unanimously approved to allocate up to \$1000 of the Friends' funds (the \$700 from the Mystery Evening will be put towards this).
- b. \$1000 included in the library's town budget targeted for the summer reading program.

NHCC with the MVHS - Karen MacDonald & Sally Hogan

The Mont Vernon Historical Society chose "Cows and Communities: How the Lowly Bovine Has Nurtured New Hampshire Through Four Centuries" for a joint sponsored New Hampshire Humanities Council program.

Karen to check on the month they'd prefer - believed to be October - possibly the 14th.

Karen and Sally to work on the grant application - Ginny Covert offered to help.

Hold the program at the Fire Station Community Room or the Mont Vernon Congregational Church.

Spring Gala -Saturday, May 15 - library activities.

Sign-up sheet passed around to help on the day of the sales.

Book sale

Karen has been busy sorting books as they've been coming in. Boxes from Lori Meader's husband not in yet, but should be arriving shortly.

Books to be brought down from Amy White's home to the library on Friday afternoon/evening.

Sale to be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. with "Buck-a-Bag" from noon to 1p.m.

Plant sale - Heather Carver & Sally Hogan coordinators

Heather has sent notices to the newspapers that have been published requesting plant donations. "Digging for Pots" instruction sheets have been placed in envelopes at the post office and the library for pick up.

Shirley Levesque can help early the morning of the sale, but not all day. Will set up on the lawn in front of the library as last year beginning about 4 p.m. on Friday.

Sale will be held from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Heather wondered if we should think about coffee for browsers. Sally Hogan said she understood the Beautification Committee is planning to serve coffee along with bake sale goodies. They are planning to set up with the MV Artisans by the War Memorial.

"Junque Jools" sale - Alice Corbett coordinator

"Junque jools" box at the library accepting donations

Will set up by the steps going into the library.

Hand bag sale - NEW this year - Bonnie Angulus supervisor

Teen Times will organize and run the sale.

Items coming in - prices to be \$1-3.

There will be a raffle of a Vera Bradley bag - drawing at noon.

Parade - two floats - Bonnie Angulus coordinator

float planning underway

Susan Granfors offered to drive the Library Volunteer of the Year in the parade - there is no nominee this year.

Money boxes - Joan Brogioli will have them ready for the sales.

Karen MacDonald wondered if the Beautification Committee would like to borrow some chairs for people to sit on while drinking coffee and eating cookies, etc. Sally Hogan to let Susan Ecklund know they may borrow chairs from the library.

Revisit renewing Canterbury Shaker Village passes

A motion made, seconded and unanimously approved to have Hilary call and inquire if they'd approve paying \$50 for 100 passes, saying with so many weekends where the passes can't be used, they weren't used as often last season. If they won't approve this, then we will pay the \$100 fee. If the passes are not used as often this year we will consider dropping the program.

NEW BUSINESS

What are you reading?

Paper passed around - look elsewhere in newsletter for book titles.

Flower arranging workshop

Lois Boericke offered to run a workshop on the technique of flower arranging

Each participant would bring their own vase and flowers from their gardens.

Program to be held in June on a date to be determined. (June is when a variety of flowers are in bloom.)

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

*Sally Hogan
Secretary*

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