

**The Johnson Public Library  
P. O. Box 601  
Johnson, VT 05656**

Minutes of the Board of Trustees meeting held on October 8, 2014.

Present: Robert, Jeanne, JoAnn, Stacey, Jane, Jessica

Jeanne purchased an electric heater for the basement project room. Jeanne has also checked with people for doors for the basement room, without results so far. She will post on FPF. ReStore in Morrisville may have some and Stacey will check that. Jeanne got an estimate from Ken Moore for lighting downstairs. He estimates 100\$ or less for the job.

Ideas for bench in Young Adult book room; something multipurpose? \$200 expected for materials and \$100 to do repairs on the wall behind the bench. Jeanne suggested that Bob Hill may be able to do the work sooner and she will get an estimate from him.

Vandalism: neighborhood kids tampering with library flower pots and strewing flowers about, including putting some in the book drop box. Two girls confessed to the incident. Today, one of the basement windows was broken and old tar from walkway was thrown on the grass. The Board encouraged Jeanne to notify Sheriff's Dept to come over and discuss the situation.

Story time is still going well. 19 children and 14 adults were present today. The library will be starting a new program with the VT Humanities Council called, Read and Discover. Parents come and learn the importance of reading to children and how to read to children. Free books will be given out. This is funded by the Birth to Three grant. Oct 20, 27, and Nov 3rd.

Seated Yoga program: Oct 20th 4-5:30 pm

Home schoolers are using the library on Monday mornings for 10 weeks.

Peg pointed out several areas that need attention: painting and sills rotting in the basement.

The Board looked over the upcoming budget.

Stacey will email survey questions to the Board for preview.

The Board was invited to dinner at the Green Mt. Inn next Tuesday by UBS Financial consultants related to our stocks and investments. Jeanne, JoAnn, and Robert will attend.

Submitted by Jane Nuse