

GEARY PUBLIC LIBRARY
Library Board Meeting
Tuesday, April 14, 2015

Vice President Patty Maib called the meeting to order of the Geary Public Library Board on Tuesday, April 14, 2015 at 5:05 p.m. Members present were: Patty Maib, Belva Roberts, Jodi McKay, Melba Nance, Mildred Sanders, Cathy Allen and Caitlyn Scheihing. Also attending Lois Margerum, Librarian. Absent: Andrea Hicks.

Melba Nance made the motion, seconded by Patty Maib to approve the minutes of Thursday, March 3, 2015. All voted yes and motion was approved.

Purchase Orders were presented for discussion and approval at this time. Melba Nance made the motion, seconded by Jodi McKay to approve all purchase orders. All voted yes and motion carried.

Treasurer, Belva Roberts, presented an update of the Financial Accounts. The report she receives from the Auditor was very confusing and after discussion, Melba Nance volunteered to meet with City Clerk, Mary Hays to get information that would make the Auditor's Monthly report more understandable.

Librarian, Lois Margerum, gave a report on the Library. She presented a list of items that can be used to give to the children when they attend our Summer Reading Program in June. She updated the Board about the workers, as two of them will be graduating this spring and won't be working for the Library any longer. New employees will need to be hired and an advertising has been put in the Geary Star for the next two weeks. She also reported that the E-Rate report has been finished and turned in.

Continued discussion was held concerning the Story Hour. Melba Nance presented a program today to children about Littering and how everyone can help pick up trash, recycle as much as possible to keep our environment cleaner. She also read two books to the children concerning trash pickup. Other plans are being made for future months to implement this new program including in July some members of the Rotary volunteered to come read to the children and give them books to take home with them.

Continued discussion was held of the Summer Reading Program which will be during the month of June and more plans are being made. The schedule will be: June 10 - Extreme Animals; June 17 - Petting Zoo; June 24 – Heroes; and July 1 – Doug Anderson, Magician. Other areas of this program were also discussed.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, May 7, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.

There was no New Business.

Caitlyn Scheihing made the motion, seconded by Mildred Sanders to Adjourn at 6:10 p.m. All voted yes and motion carried

Jodi McKay, Secretary