FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

GENERAL MEETING MAY 20, 2014

- 1. Call to order at 10:02 AM
- 2. Minutes of April 15, 2014 approved with two corrections/additions on May 20, 2014
- 3. Treasurer's report waiting for April 15th information from CPA.
- 4. Library Update Laura Davis

a) In April the Library received an additional \$2,000 from LSTA (Library Services and Technology Act). This is in addition to the \$5,000 the Library received from LSTA to support the Common Core curriculum. b) San Bernardino County has made some changes in their Library system: 1) patrons cannot place holds on books that belong to the San Bernardino County Library; 2) Library cards from San Bernardino County are no longer accepted. c) The official summer reading program kicks off Monday, June 16 for children, teens and adults. FOML donated \$10,000 for performers and supplies. The teen component states for every page read and reported, one cent will be donated to the Animal Friends of the Valley, by the program sponsor Laurie Blanscet, DO. d) June 3 is the next book club for adults - the selection is "Life After Life" by Kate Atkinson. e)Deborah Villegas resigned her position as Page effective May 15. Interviews will be held May 2st and the position will be filled soon. Kirsten Short, Youth Services Library Assistant was welcomed to the library staff.

5. Membership (Carol Carson for Sandra Lucas): 1 new Lifetime Member, 2 new members plus several renewals.

6. Corner Bookstore - Nancy Dixon. Gross Receipts \$4076, Internet Sales \$1089, Total Income \$5,115. Expenses \$4876, Net Income \$289.

7. Town Square Bookstore - Maggie Pilotte. Gross Receipts \$2334, Internet Sales \$746, Total Income \$3,080. Expenses \$45.00, Net Income \$3,035.

8. Programs - Maggie Pilotte. Still waiting for October program. See the bulletin board for upcoming events.

9. Special Events - Lela Llorens. Thanks for everyone who contributes to hospitality. There is a sign-up sheet for the fall meetings. Lela will handle the Field of Honor again this year. She suggested we start lining up your buyers.

10. Publicity - Rita Nastri. Acknowledged all the guests, new members, and lifetime members.

- 11. Old Business none
- 12. New Business none
- 13. Meeting adjourned at 10:25 AM.

Refreshments followed

14. Program - Yiyi Ku, a classical pianist, presented a lovely program of dance music by composers Bach, Hayden, Chopin and Bartok. One of her students, Andrew Tang, will perform at our meeting in November. The FOML donated the piano several years ago, and Ms. Ku congratulated us on our choice of instrument.

Respectfully submitted,

Luanne Ferrer, Secretary