



**Friends of the Murrieta Library General Meeting on ZOOM
Corrected Minutes**

Tuesday September 21, 2021

**Directors in Attendance: Rita Nastri, W. Dan Rexwinkel, Pat Farmer, Nancy Dixon,
Karen Michaud, Evelyn Dial**

Also in attendance: Maggie Pilotte, Judy Call

- 1. Rita Nastri called the meeting to order at 10:00am and welcomed everyone.**
- 2. Minutes: A Motion to accept the minutes of the June 2021 Zoom General Meeting as corrected was made by Karen and seconded by Judy. The minutes were approved. Mary Lou Rothacher, and Judy Call and Rita Nastri have volunteered to review the minutes of this meeting.**
- 3. Treasurer's report: Dan Rexwinkel reported the financial records for the month. Financial reports are attached. June, July and August were combined.**
- 4. Library update: Laura Davis reported for the library. The Library Manager, Elise Malkowski retired and has not been replaced as of today. Storytime and Dog Tales programs have started. Plant exchange will be Saturday presented by Katherine Miller. Next week will start the Adult programs. Automatic renewal will be starting unless there is a hold on a book, so patrons do not have to worry about late fees.**
- 5. Membership: Karen Michaud reported on the membership renewals. August renewals were Jan Emde, Patricia Santo, and Michele Manley. In Kind was Sierra Horwitz. New members were Dorothy Gallagher, Katelin Meekis and Michelle Lusin. Karen also mentioned the lifetime members are on the Giving Tree in the library. National Library week is October 16 - 23. We will be celebrating on Oct 19, 2021 at our General Meeting. There will be a table set up in the library for membership sign ups.**
- 6. Corner Bookstore updates: Nancy Dixon reported the financials for the month of June, July and August. The sidewalk sale was September 18th and the store took in \$1,350.25 that day with \$700 from the sidewalk sale.**

7. Town Square store updates: Maggie Pilotte reported the financials for the store. The store is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 10am to 4pm. More volunteers are needed.

8. Programs: The program today will be presented by Pianist Margarite Meyncke. She performed via a recorded performance since we couldn't be live. October's program will be Kim Summers, City Manager of Murrieta speaking.

9. Publicity: Rita Nastri is continuing to publish in different media the events of the FOML.

10. Special Events: Pat Farmer reported that the library is sponsoring a Mocktail party Saturday October 23rd from 4-5pm to thank the Friends for their support. All the Friends of the Library and their friends are invited. After the Mocktail party there will be a musical program at the Amphitheatre behind the library from 5 to 6:30pm presented by some local high school students.

The Murrieta Rotary Club will be selling flags again this year to be flown in the field behind the Murrieta Library to honor our Veterans. The flags will be flown November 6th thru the 13th. The Friends will be selling the flags at the library book stores. The Friends will also purchase a flag for the FOML.

The Oak Grove School again this year will be making ornaments for a Christmas tree in the park. The Friends will be helping them make the ornaments and decorate the tree.

11. Old business: None

12. New business: FOML board elections will be coming up in January and anyone that is a member can sign up to run for a position on the board.

Adjourned at: 10:35am

**Respectfully submitted
Evelyn Dial, Secretary**