

Monthly meeting — December 7, 2023 Friends of the Aptos Library

Regular monthly meeting ~ Minutes for December 7, 2023

The meeting, held at Capitola Library, was called to order at 5:00 by Gale.

In attendance: Jodi, Gale, Jim, Annaleah, Tricia, Denise, Susan, Debby, Lynn Mc, Ofelia, Diane Mc, Lynn M-W, Sandy

Welcome by Gale

Finances -- We had revenue of \$350 from online book sales, \$4,610 from Deluxe Market, and \$99 from the book cart. We made about \$1,270 from online book sales this year. And about \$1,000 from the book cart.

Rebuild -- The Grand Opening is in flux-- early February. Eric is discussing a soft opening. There is a lot of work on the opening day brochure.

OCR -- All of the events are planned. Half of the budget is covered by other chapters for the first time. We have a few sponsors this year too. Dominican Oaks is sponsoring the author talk. Aegis is sponsoring a lunch time book discussion. Posters are being put up. It will be a great season.

FSCPL update -- we are working on holiday baskets for the downtown library and admin. Please deliver goodies to Debby. Santa Cruz Gives is going well -- Boundless Minds.

President's report-- we are discussing tabling at the Farmer's Market on January 20th to discuss OCR and the library opening.

We adjourned at 6:00. Next meeting will be at Capitola Library on January 4.