

Friends of the Greene County Library, Inc.
Minutes
November 22, 2010
Board of Directors Meeting

The meeting convened at 7 PM. In attendance were Board Members Cindy Dingledine, Nancy Ford, Raina Morton, and Deborah Willenborg and Greene Library Branch Manager Ginny Reese.

Treasurer's Report: Jennifer Linaberry, Treasurer, was absent. Ginny reported two large donations totaling \$1500. The current balance in the Friends checking account is \$2046.83. The approved purchase of an end panel for the new Hold shelving is still pending.

Membership and Publicity: The Board would like "thank-you" notes sent out to the larger donors, including information about usage of donations as well as the 501(c)3 tax number. Raina committed to working on preparing these notes.

Giving Tree: The Giving Tree has been a tremendous success; all of the "hands" ornaments have been claimed. The parties hosted by Cindy and Sharon are scheduled for Dec 13 and 14 at 10AM. Ginny made tree ornaments identifying Friends of the Greene County Library programs which benefit from patron donations.

Friday Film Series: To celebrate the holiday season December's film is "*Miss Potter*." Starring Renee Zellwegger as Beatrix Potter, the beloved author of the best-selling children's book, "*The Tale of Peter Rabbit*", the movie is the story of her struggle to find love, happiness and success. This independent film has a PG rating and is suitable for children ten and above. The Board voted to spend \$100 to obtain licensing for the film.

Festival of the Book: Deborah reported that Greene County Library will host a Festival of the Book event at the library on March 19, 2011, at 4 PM. This year's author is Lisa Tracy who will speak about her latest non-fiction book, "*Objects of Our Affection*." The book is about Ms. Tracy's personal ordeal sorting through her military family's possessions, many dating back to the American Revolution. The Board discussed advertising for this event, including getting the information out to the Greene County Historical Society, as well as other interested groups.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 12, 2011, at 7 PM.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Raina Morton
Friends of the Greene County Library, Inc.