City of Mesa Library Advisory Board Meeting

Date: November 15, 2016

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location: Mesa Public Library

Main Library, Boardroom

64 E. 1st Street Mesa, AZ 85201

Members PresentStaff PresentPamela Rineholt, ChairHeather WolfEllen BachmanMaren HuntMegan SterlingBrandon WilliamsIrene FrklichKathy LittleCindy SmithDawn P. KucerakJoy PetroffDarcy Ljunggren

Alexis Ross Sheila Byrne

Members Absent Guests Present

Nathaniel Wadsworth

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION
Call to Order	Board Chair Pamela Rineholt called the regular bi-monthly meeting of the City of Mesa Library Advisory Board to order at 5:32 p.m. on November 15, 2016.
Approval of Minutes	Board member Irene Frklich moved & Board member Cindy Smith seconded that the minutes of the September 20, 2016 regular meeting be approved as presented. Motion passed, all voting yes.
Public Comments	There were no public comments.
Introductions, Recognitions, and	Board Chair Pamela Rineholt introduced Board member Alexis Ross to the Board and Library staff. Ms. Ross serves as the Teen Advisory Board member.

Announcements

Election of Vice Chair

It was moved by Board member Ellen Bachman seconded by Board member Cindy Smith to nominate and elect Board member Sheila Byrne as Vice-Chair to the Library Advisory Board. Motion passed, all voting yes.

Director's Report

Library Director Heather Wolf provided the abridged version of the Early Childhood Learning Presentation given to the City Council on October 27, 2016.

Adult Programming Update

Librarian III Maren Hunt provided an adult and teen programming update. Adult programming focused on digital literacy and teen programming focused on college readiness and life skills.

Adult Programs included:

- Writer in Residence a State Library program. The Main Library hosted and provided workspace for two authors. The authors also provided two writing workshops per month among the library branches.
- J. A. Jance Book Talk and Signing
- Microsoft Office classes

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 Zuill Bailey pop-up concerts presented in partnership with the Mesa Arts Center

Teen Programs included:

- AAA Permit Preparation
- Forensics Fun presented by the Mesa Police Department; a hands-on demonstration of putting science into practice.
- Film Camp at THINKspot at the Red Mountain Library

Board Members as Volunteers Volunteer Coordinator Darcy Ljunggren provided each Board member with a Mesa Public Library Volunteer Handbook, reviewed the contents of the handbook and provided instruction for the Board to record their volunteer hours using the *Better Impact* software program.

Identify items for future

agendas

Dobson Ranch Library tour January 2017 Red Mountain Library tour May 2017

Used Book Sale area tour at Main Library, March 2017

Mesa Express Library tour May 2017 prior to scheduled meeting at RM

Next Meeting Dates

January 17, 2017 at Dobson Ranch Library March 21, 2017 at Main Library

May 16, 2017 at Red Mountain Library

Adjournment

Board member Cindy Smith moved & Board member Megan Sterling seconded

that the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned at 6:39 p.m.

The next meeting will be held on January 17, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. at the Dobson Ranch Library, outside meeting room, 2425 S. Dobson Rd.

Heather Wolf, Library Director signs for minutes