

Friends of the Clinton Community Library

Minutes of Meeting – September 27, 2021

The Friends met via Zoom on Monday, September 27, 2021, at 4:30 pm. There were six Friends in attendance, plus Director Carol Bancroft and Trustee Eliot Werner.

Friends Chair Nancy Drago and Director Carol Bancroft provided an update on the Election Day Raffle. Carol reviewed the schedule: prize donations are due by October 18; library staff will begin to assemble baskets on October 20; tickets will go on sale October 25; and the raffle will be held on November 2 (Election Day). Carol confirmed that she is entering donation information provided to her via e-mail in the Google Drive spreadsheet, for those uncomfortable with providing the information directly. Pam Lovinger suggested asking historic homes, such as Wilderstein, to donate tour tickets.

Tickets are on sale for the classic car show to be held Saturday, October 2, from 1-4 pm, at the home of Cliff Botway, 300 Schultsville Road (very near the Clinton Vineyards). There are flyers available from the library or Eliot Werner, but Carol believes this event is well publicized and staffed, and does not require assistance from the Friends.

Nancy reported that the welcome tote project is coming along very well, thanks to a dedicated committee of four people.

Rise Cross asked about staffing for renovating the front garden. Jean McAvoy has volunteered, and Nancy offered to join as well. Carol noted that this project depends on the timing of the pending project to improve disabled person access to the library, which is being funded by a state grant to the town obtained through the good offices of Assemblyman Didi Barrett.

Whereupon, there being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Zachary Snow, Secretary