

May Friends meeting- 5/16/23 4 members present

To recap our Tag sale/vendor fair on 4/23/23, we collected \$400 in fees from vendors, \$145 from our penny social raffles, \$364 from the tag sale, less \$128 road sign cost for a net of \$781 raised. Feedback from the vendors to improve future events- liked the indoor event, end the event earlier at 2 pm, separate the tag sale and vendor event, create an event on Facebook.

The raffle basket for April of the spring items and gift certificate to Orlando Hardware raised \$78. The May raffle of a gift certificate for a foot reflexology massage (value \$60) from Amenia Massage & Wellness is set up in the library. Members dropped off some summer items to be used to create the basket for June that will feature a gift certificate for a Fudgy's ice cream pie.

Our total raised for the year to date as of 5/1/23 is \$1367.

The library requested that the Friends pay for a Raccoon Costume to be worn at events. All members present approved the request to be paid out of Friends funds.

The members discussed future items to raffle off in the library, at the book sale and at Dover Days. We will be reaching out to a number of businesses to see what we can come up with.

We are going to reach out to Toni Cesiro of Created with Love boutique about a jewelry making class/fundraiser. More to come in the future about that event that would be held in the library.

Discussions were held about a trivia fundraiser, but that is still in the early planning stages. We are looking at other locations for that. More to come in the future for that as well.

Heidi has designed a car sticker that we will be selling at our future events- definitely at Dover Days.

We are looking for volunteers!! Please help!

Tuesday June 20 thru Thurs June 22 for book sale set up

Friday June 23 thru Sunday June 25 for the book sale

Saturday Sept 16 (raindate Sunday Sept 17) for Dover Days Friends Table

- selling raffles and signing up members. Set up 10am, starts 12-6pm

Please contact Chris at friendsofdoverplainslibrary@gmail.com if you can help.

Next meeting Tuesday June 20 at 6:30 pm