

The January basket- the games with a pizza certificate- raised \$114. The newest raffle that has \$50 in Bowling gift certificates to the New Milford lanes is up in the library for the February basket. We collected some items for the March basket which has a spring theme. The April basket will be a Cinco de Mayo basket- Caroline will be getting a gift certificate to La Guadalupana Mini Market in Wingdale, and Maria will be contributing some liquor for the margaritas. We discussed outreach for future baskets and to seek prizes for future fundraising events. If anyone is aware of a company or person that would like to sponsor a basket AND get some free advertising, please reach out to me.

The Wii event was cancelled due to lack of signups, but we will be discussing monitoring a library event on a Saturday in March for outreach by our Friends group. We will offer baked goods and ask for donations for them and sell raffle tickets to our monthly raffle. The main purpose is for outreach about our Friends group.

We discussed future events- another trunk/tent event at the end of April, an outside spring vendor event on the lawn in May, and setting up the date for the book sale typically held in June. We will also be hosting a trivia event in the future at the VFW hall in Dover Plains and will be working with the VFW to make it profitable for them too.

Please reach out with any ideas or thoughts that you may have. Even if you can't make it to our meetings, we appreciate any help that we can get.

Thank you!