

South Berwick Public Library Advisory Board Minutes
March 15, 2022 6:30PM via Zoom

Attendees: Lee Shaw, David Gagnon, Hilda Howell, Katherine Gilchrest, Chris (Mike) Siebach

Minutes of the February meeting were approved and attested.

New Business:

Have gone mask optional at the library. It's nice to see and get to know faces.

Local book teller, Andrea Lani, coming in 2 weeks to speak. Please spread the word.

Summer reading planning is in full swing. Materials are coming in and bags have arrived. Going to use a treasure map of the Caribbean to track their reading progress.

Just found out that the library is not going fine free this year. Need to do more education and awareness around what other libraries are doing.

Old business:

Mike is still working on the edits to the Request for Reconsideration of Material Form and will send it by the end of the week. In relation, David brought up filter restrictions on public computers in regards to searching. Policies and procedures for internet filtering and content collection.

Budget has been approved by the Town Manager but still waiting to hear on if it will be approved by the Town Council. David mentioned the advisory board can go to town council meetings to show our support if needed.

Next meeting topics:

Revisit 3 year plan draft from last Fall
Policies and procedures for internet filtering and content collection.

Next meeting will be April 19 at 6:30pm in-person

Meeting adjourned at 7:11PM

Submitted by Katherine Gilchrest

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