

**PLANO COMMUNITY LIBRARY DISTRICT
MARCH 21, 2019 FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE MEETING
HELD IN THE DIANA HASTINGS BOARD ROOM
OF THE PLANO COMMUNITY LIBRARY**

Committee Chair Ceil Carey called the meeting to order at 7:40 p.m. Present were committee member Natalie Kollmann and Library Director Deanna Howard. Committee member Adrian Frost was absent.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD

None.

2019 CHRISTMAS TEA

The committee discussed the entertainment for the upcoming Christmas Teas:

- The committee agreed to ask Leslie Goddard to perform her "Christmas at Marshall Fields" program in 2020. Ceil will contact her.
- We will ask Matt and Cynthia Gruel to perform "Under the Mistletoe" in 2021. They indicated they have some new songs in the act. Deanna will contact them.
- Deanna will reach out to the Plano High School Choir Director again about the 2019 tea. She will also contact the Band Director. If the Plano options do not work out she will contact Yorkville High School. If neither school can perform Natalie is comfortable leading a sing-along. Natalie also suggested incorporating Christmas trivia into the event and the committee liked this idea.

OTHER FUNDRAISING IDEAS

The Committee focused on the "Bingo in the Books" idea.

- Ceil will be meeting with her friend from the Warren-Newport Library soon to get some more information about their event. Deanna provided registration and donations forms from the Warren-Newport event that she found online.
- The committee discussed holding the event at the American Legion so that more people could attend. Also, participants could purchase wine or beer. Deanna will contact the Legion about this. Questions include: what is the fee to use their space, can people under age 21 attend, and whether or not the library could sell or serve snacks, pop, or water.
- Ceil suggested inviting other community members to be on a committee to organize this event.
- The intention would be to have baskets that could be raffled at the event also. Maybe a 50/50 raffle could be held.
- The committee agreed to focus on this event rather than the other ideas that have been discussed. This would potentially be held in 2020.

OTHER

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Notes taken by Deanna Howard

Approved as submitted, 4/18/19

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