

FRIENDS OF TUCKER FREE LIBRARY
BOARD MEETING MINUTES
January 10, 2026

ATTENDANCE: Board Members: Naomi Praul, Gwen Airgood, Mary Corsetti, Sylvia Lennox
Absent: Karol Dermon
Also Present: Lynn Piotrowicz – Library Director
Angelica Ladd – Trustee Liaison
Connie Brookes – Guest

CALL TO ORDER: 8:32am

SECRETARY’S REPORT: Minutes accepted with correction- Lenox to Lennox

TREASURER’S REPORT: Citizen’s Account: \$12,615.95 PayPal Account: \$1083.75

DIRECTOR’S REPORT:

- *Explore the World Book Club appears to be losing participants
- *Foodie and the Saturday morning club are doing well
- *Children’s Programs
 - Pokemon finished up before holiday break
 - Preschool and Tot Times will continue until May 6 and 7
- *E-Room Bolsters have been replaced free by the company
- *Erin requested minimal funds for upcoming programs
 - Friends proposed and approved \$100 for each program
- *Lynn and staff are busy working on end of the reports
- *New books are being purchased through Amazon
- *Tucker Free Library has welcomed 174 new patrons over the past year

TRUSTEES’ REPORT:

- *Budget appears to be clean
 - working with department heads about employee benefits
 - there is a 2% pay increase for employees
- *Trustees encourage townspeople to attend Town Meeting
- *2 trustees are up for re-election

TUCKER FREE LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE – Friday, February 27, 2026 from 4:00 to 6:00pm

FRIENDS ANNUAL MEETING at 4:15pm during Open House

- *Naomi will provide a brief report on Friends’ yearly activities
- *Gwen will provide a brief financial report
- *Board Members will be presented as a slate for a vote:
Chair: Naomi Praul, Co-chair: Sylvia Lennox, Treasurer: Gwen Airgood,
Secretary: Mary Corsetti, and Connie Brookes as Member-at-Large

MEETING ADJOURNED: 9:36AM

Next Friends Meeting is Saturday, April 11, 2026 at 8:00am