

DMRL Fundraising Committee  
Minutes September 12, 2017

Present: Connie Gallagher, Mary Jane Dickerson, Sven Lindholm, Elisabeth Lehr

- I. Beatrix Potter Tea was a great success.
  - a. Twenty six people attended the event
  - b. Approximately \$50 in donations was collected.
  
- II. Auction Items
  - a. September auction item –Sven and sons are apple picking for someone along with a \$25 JCaT gift certificate
  - b. October—a month-long family membership to Racket’s Edge
  - c. November—three baskets will be auctioned. Ideas for baskets include:
    1. Bird feeding basket—two bird feeders have been donated
    2. Beauty basket
    3. Arthur Fault sauce basket
    4. Maple basket
    5. Snowflake chocolate basket (possibly combine with the maple products.
    6. Art supplies basket
  
- III. October Beerfest—The committee decided to table this idea until next year.
  
- IV. Sip & Spell—Planned for Feb.
  - a. Elisabeth and Mary Jane (Possible Sue Vaughan) will plan the event. First planning meeting will be in early December.
    - i. Find an MC and judges
    - ii. Develop word list—about 400
    - iii. Classify words as easy, hard, and very hard
    - iv. Develop pronunciation key and definitions
  - b. Discussed money-making options such as entry fees, cheats, mulligans, food.
  
- V. Meeting times—for now move to every other month meetings. Wednesdays seem to work better for committee members.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 8 @ 1:00

Respectfully submitted,

Elisabeth Lehr