Fund Raising Committee Minutes Oct. 10, 2012

Attending: Deb Weinberg; Nancy Craig; Eileen Fisher; Mary Jane Dickerson; Mary Bassett; Holly Hall

I. Update - on new silent auction items

Boydens - we have not had a call back from them

Phoenix - they require a request on letterhead and lost the one we sent. Mary Jane will resend.

II.Money raised in August for the wall hanging from Mary Hill was \$125.

Money raised in September for the Healthy Living Pasta class was \$25.

III.Future Planned items

November - Jericho Country Store - gift basket of Vermont Products December - Marie Findholt - Punch Needle Rug Hanging with 3 hour lesson

January - Bill Butler - Jewelery

February - Morways Storage and Moving - \$100 gift certificate

March - Matts Auto Detailing- Wash and Wax

April - \$50 gift certificate

IV.Harvest Market book sale was discussed. Monies taken in (not to the penny!!):

Started with - \$133.00

Final Amt. - \$1432.00

Profit - \$1299.00

Donations - \$36.00

Break down by day

Friday night - \$250.00

Saturday - \$995.00

Sunday - \$153.00

We discussed having the Bag of Books for \$1.00 be held for the last hour on Sunday rathert than the last 2 hours.

V. What to do with the remaining books in the barn?

We decided to have a free book day on Oct. 20 from 10-3. Nancy

and Ann will work from 10-12:30 and Mary and Mary Jane will work from 12:30 to 3 PM.

Ann will be in touch with the person who contacted Holly about taking some of the remaining books.

VI. New ideas

Mary presented a great idea for a progressive supper. We would have 3 houses for a wine and cheese course and 3 different houses for the main meal. There would be a limit of 10 invited guests per household (a total of 30 people). Each house will have a host and co-host (from this committee and the Board). After the main course everyone would end up at the library for dessert, furnished by the staff. We will ask for a \$100 donation from each guest and we could make \$3,000. We will also ask Board members and others for donations to help pay for the food. Mary will send details to Ann who will present this suggestion to the Board.

We will meet again on November 14 at 10 AM.