

## LIBRARY BOARD MEETING

DATE: TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2017

TIME: 4:15 p.m.

PLACE: CLOQUET PUBLIC LIBRARY

### MISSION STATEMENT:

*The Cloquet Public Library contributes to a democratic and engaged community by providing a welcoming space, stimulating imagination, and supporting children's literacy.*

### Agenda

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

III. APPROVAL OF BILLS

IV. NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Discussion of library director search with James Barclay, Interim City Administrator
- Revised quote from David Salmela
- Trustee video
- Other

V. LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

491 ebooks, 59 emagazines, and 341 downloadable audiobooks were checked out by Cloquet patrons in March. 9,505 items were checked out in March. The public computers were accessed through Cybrarian 2,113 times. Ancestry Library Edition was searched 124 times with 10 images and 49 text downloaded in March. Our web page had 3,340 sessions according to Google Analytics.

The Library is collaborating with United Way of Carlton County and the Carlton County Food & Nutrition Network to provide a seed library located in our library. We will offer a class this fall to help people harvest seeds to return back to the library.

The One Book Northland event will be on Thursday, May 4 at noon. This year's book is *Locally Laid* by local farmer and author, Lucie Amundsen.

The Friends of the Library Book Sale will be on May 5 and 6. The book sale will begin on Friday at 2:30 p.m. It will run until 5 p.m. and then resume on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. There should be a lot of children's books as Anne has been doing heavy weeding.

The City has received a Worksite Health/Wellness Grant from the Northeast Service Cooperative. The combined Safety/Wellness Committee decided to spend some of the grant money to purchase AED stations for the Library and City Hall. Training will be provided to all staff.

The Shaw Memorial Public Library Foundation will meet on Tuesday, May 9 at 4:30 p.m.

### Upcoming Programs

Family Earth Day Celebration - Sat, April 22, 10:30 a.m.

Pushing the Limits - Tues, April 25, 6:30 p.m., 'The Land of Painted Caves' by Jean Auel

Watercolor Painting on MN Woodcut with Sarah Guy-Levar- Wed, May 10, 6:00 p.m.

