

**Trustees of North Hampton Public Library**  
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**Minutes of March 24, 2015**

1. **Call to Order:** Kelly Parrott, Susan Leonardi, Assistant Director/Youth Librarian Lorreen Keating, and Director Susan Grant were present. Meeting was called to order at 7:05pm.
2. **Approval of Minutes from last meeting:** Minutes were approved from January 21, 2015.
3. **New Business:**
  - Discussion about the Town Campus vote and what library patrons are suggesting as far as next steps. Only 34% of the town turned out to vote. We will be exploring options with some town officials.
  - Susan Leonardi will continue as Library Trustee.
  - A recent CIP meeting discussion revolved around addressing some of the issues with the current building since a new building will not be built in the near future.
  - Consider enlisting our Friends Group members to see if anyone is interested in facilitating some programming events for the library; possibilities include gardening, cooking, painting program.
4. **Treasurer's Report:** No discrepancies to report.
5. **Librarian's Report:**
  - Building damage from this winter included frozen pipes, wet insulation, leaking in the Children's area and Craig Room. Repairs to the ceiling, insulation, and walls (Craig Room, Children's area, main library, back hallway by the door, kitchen and work room) will be repaired in April.
  - Testing for Mold occurred on March 23rd. We are waiting for the results.
  - The library hosted 31 meetings in January and 26 in February.
  - Upcoming programs
    - "Becoming Wolf: the Eastern coyote in New England" with Chris Schadler—Jolynn on March 31st.
    - Author Anthony Amore, head of security at Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum will be speaking at Lane Memorial Library Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup> at 7 p.m. This is sponsored by the Seacoast Area Libraries. He has a book called "Stealing Rembrandts" about art heists and will be talking about famous art thefts.
    - Author K.D. Mason will be at the library April 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.
    - Liz is doing an egg-decorating workshop with Christina Vogel Saturday May 2<sup>nd</sup>.
    - May 14<sup>th</sup> Jose Lezcano -The Guitar and the Devil: Music, Magic, and Ritual Among Ecuadorian Indians and features music of South America.

## **6. Youth Librarian's Report:**

- Author/Illustrator Kevin Hawkes visited North Hampton Public Library on Saturday, March 21, 2015. It was a very successful and more than 100 people attended the program. He created a nice charcoal illustration for the library. Shaw's, Hannaford, Fresh Market, and Cranberry Bog all donated gift cards, food, and paper goods to help with the refreshments at this event.
- National Library Week, April 12-18. Because the library building may be undergoing repairs a prize raffle for the children and teens will be held instead of programming.
- Spring School Vacation Week is April 27 – May 1. Ann McCrea and Clay\*works is scheduled for Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup> 6:30 – 7:40. Parents and adult friends/caregivers will be able to participate in this multi-age creative program!

## **7. Determine Date/time for next meeting:**

- Next Trustee Meeting TBA.
- **ADJOURN MEETING:** Meeting was adjourned at 8:05pm.