Millstadt Library Board Minutes- Fundraising Committee
October 29, 2026
5:30 p.m.
Millstadt Library

The Fundraising Committee Meeting was held to discuss upcoming fundraising events. Those in attendance were Fundraising Committee Member, Bob Englebretson, library director, Nichole Lauko, and others in attendance were Arlene Glaeser, Liz Lange, Linda Hopfinger, Roxanne Amos, and Dawn Kohnen.

Guests and Appearances:
Old Business:

1) Total Funds Balance as of 10/21/2026: $82,429.49
    a. With pledge: $127,429.49

New Business

1. Murder Mystery
    1) Income $9,150.00, $860 from auction and donations
    2) Expenses $2,652.19
    3) Total $6,497.81 (without Dinner Invoice)
        1. Still no invoice. Dawn gave Nichole contact information and Nichole will reach out.

2) New Business
    1. Future Fundraisers
        1) Bake Sale Auction
            1. Grossed: $775.00
            2. Expenses: $105.37
            3. Net: $669.63
            4. Thank you to everyone who donated items and bid on items!
            5. Spring dates are April 16-23 for bidding and April 24 for pick up.
        2) Comedy Night
            1. Discussed having a comedy night at Millpond with local comedian. Would have room for around 40-60 people. Would have bar snacks to offer. Possibly ask local restaurants to donate a tray of food.
            2. Discussed having a people auction. Like doing a cameo with the Millstadt choir. Leaf relief, clean machine, shelf-help. Coffee with a local legend, garden starter, handy neighbor, garage rescue, librarian game night.
            3. Will discuss dates of February 2, 16, and 23 with a preference for February 16. Homework was to think of people who might be willing to be auctioned.

The next Friends and Fundraising meeting will be held Thursday, December 17 at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Nichole Lauko