

Millstadt Library Board Minutes- Fundraising Committee

March 27, 2023

7:00 p.m.

Millstadt Library – Zoom <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/4976520682>

The Fundraising Committee Meeting was held to discuss upcoming fundraising events. Those in attendance were board president, Bob Englebretson, and library director, Nichole Lauko. Board vice president, Jennifer Bernstein and board trustee, Patti French were absent.

Old Business:

Mad Hatter Tea Party: To be held Sunday, April 30, 2023 at 2 p.m. at Zion Church. Status was reported on the following;

- Beta Club - Arlene Glaeser will try to get at least 15 volunteers from around noon to 5 p.m. It was discussed to make sure that lunch and snacks were provided for volunteers.
- Fashion Show – Patti French had businesses lined up, but after discussions with past Civic Club members, thought it might be too much for our first year and would not allow participants enough time to talk. It was agreed to take out the fashion show.
- Speech and Acting Team at BTHS West - Jenny Bernstein waiting on update and on confirmation on two performers for 20 minutes or three performers for 30 minutes.
- Bliss Floral flower arrangement demonstration - Bob Englebretson confirmed
- Raffle Items – working on them and received a Private Wine Class for 20 from Total Wine and More at a value of \$600. It was discussed to have a month-long silent auction.

New Business:

Mad Hatter Tea Party:

- Menu has been finalized
- Advertisements have been made online and around town
- Patti French received tea pots and tea cups from 476 Showroom and is working on tablescapes
- Arlene Glaeser has 7 serving trays
- Nichole Lauko has purchased 12 three-tiered serving trays
- Received a 10% off entire purchase at Gordon Food Service
- Looking at using Give Butter for fundraising option
- Still have low sales, but have until April 16th for sales cut off

The next Friends and Fundraising meeting will be held Monday, April 24, at 7 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Nichole Lauko