

Friends of the Northborough Free Library, Inc.
Meeting Minutes
March 25, 2009

Present: Melanie Magee (Chair), Jean Langley, Rick Leif, George Bender, Joanne Rino,
And Jackie Teeven

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m. by Melanie Magee.

Minutes: The minutes of the February 25, 2009 meeting were accepted with corrections.

Financial Report: A check for \$4390 will be sent by the Friends to Expose Signs & Graphics of Northboro in payment for the Cyrus Gale Plaque. All agreed the plaque turned out beautifully.

A total of \$5,240 was raised via donations and/or by selling advertising space in the Grand Opening program. The expenses for the Grand Opening totaled \$3,100.30. The net profit of \$2,139.70 will be placed in the general checking account.

A check for \$100,000 will be sent to the Town of Northboro in payment for furnishings for the new library.

E-bay: Although unable to attend the meeting, Ellen sent along her check for the E-bay/Amazon sales for the months of Feb. & Mar. '09 in the amount of \$546.09.

New Business: The wonderful photos that "Jennifer MacNeil Photography" took (pro bono) during the Grand Opening have been placed on a CD. Jean is looking into putting them on a digital frame so that they can be displayed in the library as a way of showing our appreciation for their donated time and expertise.

A discussion was held regarding what type of coffee machine/service should be provided to our patrons for the Internet Café. Suggested donations, what kinds of supplies and where to store them, what selections of teas and coffees, what type of water, are all issues that must be addressed. Melanie has agreed to research the water expenses and report back at our next meeting.

The next meeting will be held on Wed., April 29, 2009 at 7 p.m. at the library.
The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. by Melanie Magee.

Respectfully submitted,
Jackie Teeven

