

HAPLD FRIENDS FOUNDATION General Meeting

March 20, 2026 Program Room 3

Those in attendance:

Sandy Bannon
Diane Becker
Linda Benigno
Vito Benigno
Pat Carney
Riley Chadwick
C. Jann Crabill
Carol David
Kelly Gyorke

Nancy Hardy
Genevieve Hochwarter
Cathie Howard
Russ Howard
Janet Kargol
Janet Kirby
Sharon Kothe
Jeanette Lohan
Eleanor Mamayek

Michele May
Sharon Peacock
Sandy Portincaso
Janis Ruffino
Susan Schwartz
Connie Shepherd
Marge Smith

Staff: Friends Liaison, Michelle Mattes; Librarian: Rob Aavang

At 11:00, President, Genevieve Hochwarter called the meeting to order.
New Friends Liaison, Michelle Mattes, introduced herself.

Program: Library Game Show created and hosted by Rob Aavang

It was fun and informative. Everyone won lottery tickets.

Secretary's Report

Since a copy of February minutes were not available, they will be voted on at the April meeting.

Youth Services asked for \$1000 to purchase additional books for the Summer Reading Program, Jann Crabill moved to give Youth Services \$1000, Sharon Peacock seconded the motion, the motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report – Carol David

Bank Account: \$46,517.12; Petty Cash: \$165.04; CD:82,806.54. Sandy Bannon moved the report be accepted, Jeannette Lohan seconded, the motion passed.

- \$1269 Baubles and Bling, \$28 tips
- \$3086 Corner Books (January-March 18)
- \$1312 Book Sale (without PayPal and sales to Book Buyers), \$68 tips
- \$51 Puzzle exchange

Huntley High School Engineering Project, April 19, 12-5p.m.

The High School has asked for volunteers to try their prototype for an aid to reach high and low shelves in the library. Sign-up for a 15-minute time slot.

Board Nominations

Slate of candidates was unanimously re-elected: Genevieve Hochwarter, Janis Ruffino, Carol David, Marge Smith, Shirley Nowak, Pat Darow, Darcy Chadwick, Nancy Hardy, Vito Benigno, Pamela Kampwerth

Upcoming Fundraisers

Culver's Tuesday, April 7: Volunteers needed.

May Luncheon, Friday, May 15: Tickets will be on sale April 1-May 7, \$40. Program: Todd Hunt's *"The Making of I Love Lucy"*.

Next Meeting: April 17—Growing Scene: Fragrant Gardens

Connie Shepherd moved the meeting adjourn, Susan Schwartz seconded, meeting adjourned at 11:46.

Respectfully submitted, Marjorie Smith, Secretary