

James E. Nichols Memorial Library
Board Of Trustees Meeting
35 Plymouth Street, Center Harbor, N.H. 03226
Monday October 20,2025 10 a.m.

Call to Order at 10am By A. Xavier, Trustee and Chairperson for today, J. Weed, Trustee and Secretary for today, S.M. Lavallee, Trustee, C. Gamboa de Levin, Trustee, D. Thibutot, Alternate Trustee, B, Miller, Trustee Emeritus, L. Verge, Library Director. Absent with notification, S. Frost Chairperson. D. Thibutot will be voting,

A. Xavier motioned to accept the minutes of September 22 with one change in bench number for donation to Dr. Morrill Park from two benches to five benches. Seconded by S. M. Lavallee. There are no restrictions on donating Library benches to the park.

A.Xavier and B. Miller reported on regional meeting at Hookset Library where Friends of the Library and Associations of the Library were discussed and the differences in fundraising between the two. It was decided to approach any discussion until after a kick off meeting with SDA.

It was agreed to allow a Holiday Fundraising Tree for children in need with positive support from the community thus far. Over 20 wishes have been fulfilled.

L. Verge alerted the Policy Committee on updates that may be necessary in lieu of new legislation passed. Our policies were last updated in 2022. J. Weed and S.M. Lavalley will research.

L. Verge reported that the unused AARP grant money can be spent on items that would be suitable to the spirit of the original grant. C. Gamboa de Levin motioned to use these funds for Swank Movie subscription and adequate projector, new cushioned seating, and memory kits for patrons.

L. Verge will report on Mango language package at the next Trustee meeting.

Possible Kindle rental was discussed to allow for more access to digital library content.

L. Verge asked all Trustees for input on future presentations. Listing provided. Let her know soon so she can plan.

It was agreed that the BNH Cd will be rolled over.