

Little Falls Library Advisory Committee Meeting

December 3, 2024

Attendees:

Patrick Fromm, Regional Manager

Marilyn Schiff, Library Board

LAC Members:

Irem Demirkan, Chair

Geraldine Ostrove

Kaki Power

Tamara Zemlo

Jane Mandelbaum

Kathy Davies, Secretary

Emily Shaw, Observer

Robert and Hannah November were absent

1. Approval of Minutes. The Minutes of the last meeting were approved with one correction.
2. Report from the Regional Manager.

The sticky note comments have been a great success. The most frequent comments regard the temperature of the library, collection issues, and how to use various library programs such as Hoopla.

A changing table has been installed in the men's bathroom.

It was decided to pause sending the LAC proposed survey to the Library Board since there is a new director.

There is a new Children's Librarian. However, the library still needs another adult librarian.

Storytimes are very popular. However, many parents cannot come due to work obligations. A Saturday story time is being considered.

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3. Library Board Report.

A new director has been hired, Darcell Graham, from the Enoch Pratt Free Library in Baltimore. The new director will speak to the Library Board on January 15, 2025. LAC members are also invited.

4. Garden Party Updates.

The Garden Party did the winter refresh. There is a good reaction to all the work from library patrons.

The Garden Party is thinking about children's activities such as rock painting.

5. Old Business. No old business

6. New Business.

Emily Shaw, a Bannochburn resident, attended the meeting as an observer.

7. The next meeting is January 7, 2025.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 PM.