

Friends of the Yorkville Public Library

June 8, 2026

Meeting Minutes

1. Call to order – 10:15
2. Correspondence – received two emails: first email regarding a library book that was accidentally put in with the UBS donations. Book has been found. Second email was from a FOL member who has classic books to donate for the UBS. Sue is working with him regarding this donation.
3. Approval of minutes from the May 2026 meeting – Judy moved; Sharon seconded; motion carried.
4. Treasurer's Report – see attached report. Also, Peggy contacted the IRS regarding the 2 EIN numbers our group has been assigned since this fact is holding her up from filing our tax reports. She will keep us updated. Lastly, we received a \$50.00 donation online from Impact Hub/pledge. She tried to accept this donation but has not gotten it yet because it is "awaiting admin approval."
5. Committee Reports
 - a. Scrapbook: Carolyn Kyle – not available
 - b. Hospitality: Bobbe Hahn – sent sympathy message for Karen Klein through the funeral home's website.
 - c. Publicity: Theresa Eberhardt – not available
 - d. Volunteer Hours: Nancy Aschauer – 67 hours - *Please contact Nancy at 630 768 9744 with your volunteer hours if you can't attend the meeting*
 - e. Membership updates – no new members this month
6. Library Activities
 - a. Shelley Augustine – not available due to tech problems throughout the library.
7. Old Business
 - a. Update on parade plans for July 4th - Per Judy, Peggy got a great deal on the glo sticks and they are all ready to go. They are in bundles of 200. **Please bring your family and join us in walking in the parade on July 4th beginning at 9:00 a.m! It's a very short route, we are at the beginning of the parade, and it's lots of fun! We will be gathering at about 8:30 by the big tree in front of the high school.**
 - b. Update on dine to donate fundraiser – Mark your calendars for July 13th and head to Panera to participate! They will be giving 30% back to us – but the flyer (which will be sent closer to the date and will also be available at the library) does need to be presented (paper or screenshot on phone). The next dine to donate fundraiser will most likely be on Nov. 2nd at Macianos (to coincide with the Bears football game that night).
 - c. Update on mini food pantry – Eagle Scout project finally ready to go! A picture was circulated of the completed cabinet. The troop will solicit the initial food supplies. The library is in charge of this and FOL is assisting. It will now be listed under "volunteering".
 - d. Walkie Talkies – Peggy was able to rehome the walkie talkies we were going to recycle with the Fox Valley Park District!
8. New Business
 - a. Consider the purchase of replacement tables for Used Book Sales (Sue & Sharon) – We would like to purchase 5 "Lifetime" brand 6' tables that have a 10 year warranty so that no members have to bring tables from home for the UBS, raffle, or any other events. Home Depot has the best price of about \$104.00 per table. We will try to get and use

our tax exempt number for this purchase, but in case we can't get this number in time, there was a motion by Judy to purchase 5 of these tables not to exceed \$600. Kathy Brady seconded the motion and the motion carried.

- b. UBS – we seem to be short of donations for the Sept. sale – even though Theresa and Megan have put the request on social media. **We are asking all FOL members to let friends/relatives/groups know that we are looking for book donations for our September sale.** A suggestion was also made to approach Caring Hands and the Kendall County Food Pantry and let them know that if they receive too many donations for the space they have, to please consider letting us know and we would take them for our sale – Sue will follow up with this.
- c. Peggy contacted Burnt Barrel Social to see if they did dining fundraisers and they do not – but they gave us a \$25.00 gift card to use however we want – so Peggy picked it up and gave it to Kathi Bell – maybe for our raffle baskets this year.
- d. Comments from the floor - none

9. Volunteering

- a. Lobby Used Book Sale
 - i. June: Judy Somerlot
 - ii. July: Nancy Aschauer & Sands Uridil
- b. Kendall County Obituaries
 - i. June: Judy Somerlot
 - ii. July: Kathy Brady
- c. Mini food pantry
 - i. June: Judy Somerlot
 - ii. July: Kathy Brady

10. Next meeting: July 13, 2026 at 10:15 a.m.

11. Adjournment 10:53

Attendance: Kathi Bell, Jay Githens, Ronda Githens, Peggy Doud, Sue Smithmeyer, Judy Somerlot, Bobbe Hahn, Sharon Mix, Kathy Brady, Sands Uridil, Beth Milhern, Ashley Copeland, Kathy Murphy