

Wernersville Public Library
Teen Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

February 23, 2024

MISSION STATEMENT: The Wernersville Public Library inspires learning, creates community, and transforms lives with quality resources and services.

In Attendance: Gabrielle Hardy (Youth Programmer), Sarah Maciejewski (Adult and Teen Programmer), Amy Tran, Michael Marinari-Gonzalez, Moses Marinari-Gonzalez, Abigail Niculcea, and Katelynn Humbles

The meeting was called to order at 5:03 PM.

1. Introductions for New Members
 - a. We had no new members join us today.
2. Permission Slips and Approval of January Meeting Minutes
 - a. Permission slips were turned in.
 - b. Amy Tran made a motion to approve the January meeting minutes and Michael Marinari-Gonzalez seconding the motion. There were no objections. The January meeting minutes are approved.
3. Board Officers Speeches and Voting
 - a. The speeches and voting have been postponed due to not having all nominees present.
 - b. Nominations:
 - i. President
 1. Katelynn Humbles
 - ii. Vice President
 1. Abigail Niculcea
 2. Michael Marinari-Gonzalez
 3. Katelynn Humbles
 - iii. Secretary
 1. Amy Tran
 2. Evie Romano
 3. Michael Marinari-Gonzalez
 - c. Officer elections will occur at our next meeting in March 2024.
4. Approval of Meeting Dates
 - a. Approved Meeting Dates

- i. May 31, 2024 at 5 p.m.
 - ii. August 30, 2024 at 5 p.m.
 - iii. No meetings in June or July
 - iv. September 27, 2024 at 5 p.m.
 - v. October 25, 2024 at 5 p.m.
 - vi. No meetings in November or December
 - b. March and April meeting dates are still being decided. April's meeting date will be approved at the next meeting. The next meeting will be on either March 14th or March 21st.
- 5. Current Projects at the Library
 - a. The current programs at the library are Teen Anime Club, Teen Creative Writing Club, and Teen Craft Night. These were discussed with the Board and no comments were added.
- 6. Teen Volunteering
 - a. It was suggested that a sign about volunteering should be made to display at the schools and businesses in the area.
- 7. Open Discussion Portion
 - a. Programming Discussed:
 - i. Volunteer Club or Teen Hangout Club
 - ii. Fallfest ideas
 - b. Discussion of a groupchat for the Teen Advisory Board to keep contact with each other.
 - i. Gabrielle and Sarah will put together a permission slip for the usage of a group chat and find a group chat that does not require the use of personal phone numbers.
- 8. Adjournment:
 - a. Meeting ended at 5:33 p.m.

Prepared and submitted by Gabrielle Hardy (2/26/2024)

Approved by Teen Advisory Board (3/21/2024)