Belmont Public Library Minutes August 4, 2015

Attendance: Eileen, Librarian; Trustees: Diana, Sharon and Mary and a Belmont resident.

Meeting called to order: 4:57

Previous months minutes were accepted and the librarian's report. There was not a treasurer's report this month. Next month's treasurer's report will be printed with line item spread sheet.

New Business- A request for funds will be made in September. For the Belmont Old Home Day we had 125 patrons visit with the Historical Society stationed inside.

Joe Rhoades, mason will visit the library on 8/6 to check all the brick work and to be able to complete the repairs before this winter. Mary will contact the NH Historical Resources 271-3433 regarding fixing the bricks for the historical standards. Ie: grout color. Joe will have to have (I-9 and a new certificate of insurance for the town hall).

8/5-Mary and Diana will meet with Jeanne (Town Administrator) and the Steve (Building Code Officer) regarding cracks throughout the building foundations. After meeting: Town will give us a list of building engineers to look for bids for the building repairs.

Eileen called NHS to look for older yearbooks (1983 and some form the 50s). We will look for the Mystery of the Museum DVD for patrons to use on the library computers. The DVD will NOT be able to get checked out. A purge of the paperwork will be done form file cabinets.

Furniture needs to be gone through and see what really is important and needs to be brought down to the storage center.

Paige's last week is the end of August; Eileen will interview the two candidates that applied for the Page position. We are still waiting for applicants for the 10 hour sub position.

Fundraisers-Crafters may want to make crafts to sell for building improvements/addition. Eileen will contact Linda Frawley regarding a library sun catcher that matches the previous ones should by the historical society of the mill and bandstand. THIS WILL BE A FUNDRAISER FOR THE LIBRARY.

++++++FRIENDS GROUP- 501C3 certification-meeting dates 9/19 in the evening and 9/21 during the day. Advertising should consist of: The Daily Sun, Citizen, and Echo

Lego Club will resume the first Saturday of every month starting in September.

Eileen will look at other local libraries to see what they have for flooring throughout their facility.

Mary met with Kelly regarding ADA plan. She will give the trustees a copy of her outcomes; this will need to be presented at the next trustee meeting. Kelly was advised that anyone that is unable to get to the downstairs is offered a membership library card to Laconia library. This is also available for anyone that is unable to utilize the upstairs of the library as well.

