

**Divernon Township Library
Library Trustee Board Meeting
Tuesday, September 2, 2025, 6:00PM
MINUTES**

Call to Order (6:00 PM)

Roll Call

Jake Rettberg, Kathi Katcher, Cathy Jo Lewis, Sue Covi, Linda Baer, and Leslie Crosby were present.

No Visitors

No Public Comment

Business

The minutes from the August 5, 2025 meeting were read by Cathy Jo Lewis. A motion was made by Kathi Katcher, seconded by Sue Covi, to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report was read by Kathi Katcher. A motion was made by Jake Rettberg, seconded by Leslie Crosby, to accept the report as read. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kathi Katcher, seconded by Cathy Jo Lewis, to have the carpets and furniture of the library cleaned. Motion carried.

Old Business

Trish and Pam are in the process of looking for new chairs to purchase, as approved in last month's meeting. The cart has been fixed.

Trish has found a patron who is potentially interested in being on the library board. He will attend the October meeting to observe and gauge his interest from there.

Trish has found several potential events, from movie nights to a petting zoo, that the library can sponsor in the future to increase community involvement.

Trish will reach out to local businesses to gauge interest in community participation for the library's Trunk or Treat this year.

Jane Emerson's Memorial bench has been installed in front of the library and looks wonderful.

Trish will continue researching a source for a statue of children reading for the front of the library.

No Executive Session

Librarian's Report

- A. September is Library Card Sign-up Month.
- B. National Read a Book Day is September 6.
- C. The children's books have been weeded and reorganized.
- D. Story Hour will resume on September 11th.
- E. The monthly materials checked out was 339.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Jake Rettberg, seconded by Kathi Katcher, to adjourn. Motion carried.
The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 7, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,
Cathy Jo Lewis