



## Monthly meeting — March 2, 2023

### **Friends of the Aptos Library**

#### **Regular monthly meeting ~ Minutes 3/2/23**

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm by Gale.

**In attendance:** Gale, Tricia, Jodi, Ofelia, Debby, Coni, Lynn MV, Susan, Denise, Dinah, Rowan, Shirley, Heather and Carolyn

**Finances:** We had income of \$72 from the book cart and \$120 from OCR

**OCR:** Denise reported that we had the best year ever for OCR—all agreed. Great events, lots of help, lots of attendance, good partnership, good venues. Hybrid model is working great. Interest from Dominican Oaks and Aegis. Aptos High School participation was great.

**Rebuild:** Work continues to go well. Art will be done by Lea de Wit. We have confirmed that the wood in the Children's gateway will be redwood. Coni, Lynn and Tricia continue efforts on the Donor Wall.

**FSCPL:** Debby reports that there is a retreat coming up. Work continues on the Strategic Plan. Also, lots of work on DEI. OCR was discussed in a really positive way. There are two new members. There is an effort to get a Friends chapter at every branch.

**President's report:** Pat's husband John passed away—please contact Pat.

We have a big **book sale** coming up. Please plan to work at set up and book sale. April 6<sup>th</sup>, we will meet in person at Capitola Library. LLC race book giveaway needs helpers—please contact Tricia.

We adjourned at 6:00 pm.