

**Town of Howey-in-the-Hills**

**Marianne Beck Memorial Library Board Meeting**

**112 W Central Avenue**

**Date:** December 5, 2024

**Call to Order:** This meeting was called to order by Jim Steele, chairman, at 7:00 pm.

**Attendance:** Jim Steele, Tahsia O'Keefe, Pamela Szydlik, Gwendolyn McIlvaine, Tara Hall, Hannah VanWagner

**Minutes:** Library Board Meeting minutes from November 7, 2024 approved by Gwendolyn, seconded by Tahsia

The Library Director's Report for November 2024 is noted.

**New Business:**

There were five applicants for the Library Director position. Hannah had her interview this afternoon. Decision will be made after the Christmas festival.

**Old Business:**

The town's Christmas festival will be 12/13-12/14. On Friday evening, there will be a baked goods auction, the choir will be outside and Santa will read to the children. The Garden Club will have gingerbread houses for the children to build inside the library.

**Other:**

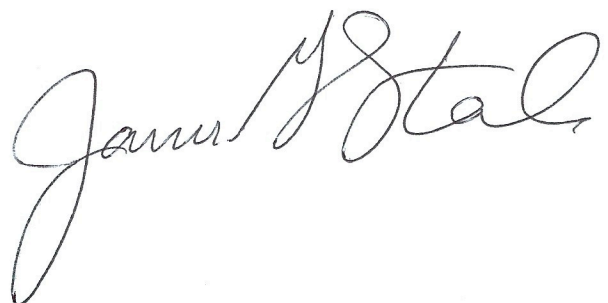
Christmas theme trivia will be tomorrow night 12/6.  
We need more bubblewrap donations for the New Year Stomp.

**Friends of the Library Business:**

Motion was made to adjourn by Gwendolyn McIlvaine, seconded by Pamela Szydlik.

Meeting adjourned at 7:29pm

Submitted by Pamela Szydlik

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