

Friends of Scarborough Public Library
Program Committee Report
FY 2015-2016

The Program Committee continued our adult Literature Series under the topic of The Arts. Local photographer, Marie Jordan, started off the series with “A Photographic Journey to Australia’s Natural Beauty.” OLLI instructor, Lorraine Masure, followed with a history of Broadway Musicals. Maine best-selling author Bill Roorbach entertained all as he shared some of his experiences as an author. The final adult program in the spring was a panel of poets, Alice Persons, Kevin Sweeney and Anna Wrobel, who did readings and shared their experiences. An “Open Mike” followed the panel discussion.

The children’s program was presented in the Middle School by Frogtown Mountain Puppeteers in early April. “Everybody Loves Pirates,” a lively, engaging show kept the children well entertained.

The Board decided that for the 2016-2017 membership year that Friends would work with the Library on programs rather than sponsoring any of our own. The exception will be to continue to offer a children’s program in the spring. The Program Committee will also find presenters for Friends’ Annual Meeting and the Spring Luncheon.

Respectfully submitted,
Sue Helms, President

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