

Wetmore Community Library board meeting, Thursday, May 10, 2018

Present: Nan Davenport, Gerry Draper, Julie Skinner, Joy Iden and Mary Abrahams

Items discussed:

Summer fundraiser, Tribute to the American West, scheduled for 5:30 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 18. The event will include entertainment; a barbecue; short talks on Charles Goodnight, and Wetmore-area history; an art display; a chuckwagon display; horse-drawn cart rides and more.

Gerry and Nan will work on a poster to promote the event; and library board members will bake pies to be served with ice cream for dessert following the barbecue of hot dogs and hamburgers. People attending will be asked to bring side dishes to share. Donations will be requested.

The board still plans a spaghetti dinner fundraiser in the fall and a book sale.

In other business, Nan said the library continues to look into grants to raise funds and welcomes suggestions for grants that can be applied for. She said the library is committed to getting on the Aspen Cat system, and also needs a new computer. Raising \$5,000 would help enormously.

Nan said she plans to attend a workshop May 16-17 in Pueblo.

The next library board meeting is set for 1 to 3 p.m. Thursday, June 7. An additional meeting is tentatively planned for 1 to 3 p.m. Thursday, June 28, if needed to finalize matters for the summer fundraiser in July.