

March 10, 2026

The regular monthly meeting of the Lena Library Board was called to order at 5:45 pm by President Charlene Foley. Present: Sue Youngblut, Barb Kepner. Barb Schexnayder, Kim Hybarger. Absent: Kathy Benters. Roger Schulz.

After reviewing the secretary's minutes, Barb K motioned to approve the minutes. Barb S seconded. Voting followed, motion passed.

Charlene presented the treasure's report in Kathy's absence. Discussed was CD #13727, which is due March 17. Sue made the motion for Char to go to the bank to see what options we have for renewing the CD. Barb K seconded. Voting followed, motion passed.

The librarians' report was given by Library Director Brittany Gaulrapp. Noted were 1,336 checkout/renewals, 17 items added, 8 new patrons 328 ebook checkouts for January. Also 1,163 checkout/renewals, 19 added items, 3 new patrons, and 335 ebook checkouts for February. Story hour/after school programs are going well, and will be adding 2 new kids. Scheduling was discussed at the staff meeting. She reminded the Board of the smart phone essential class 4/30 with HCC. The library will be participating in the LBPA Easter basket drawing again. Sign-up for the basket runs from March 16-April 1.

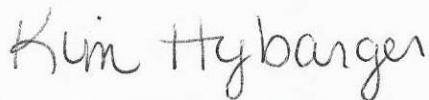
All employees now have Narcan certificates on file.

The broken drinking fountain was discussed. Since parts are hard to find Jerry Edler doesn't recommend fixing. Barb S made the motion for Brittany to contact Scofield Plumbing to purchase and replace the water fountain. Sue seconded. Voting followed, motion passed.

Charlene thanked Brittany for taking care of flowers for the Eldie Benters funeral.

Barb K made the motion to adjourn, meeting was adjourned at 6:19 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Kim Hybarger". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kim Hybarger, Secretary
Lena Library Board