## Meeting Notice and Agenda Portsmouth Public Library Board of Trustees

Date: January 21, 2015

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: MacLeod Board Room

- I. Call to Order
- II. Attendance
- III. Secretary's Report. Minutes of November 19, 2014 meeting
- IV. Financial Report
  - A. Income / Expenditure report through December 31, 2014
  - B. Quarterly trustees investment report
- V. Director's Report
  - A. Public Programs
    - i. Recent Programs
      - A. NaNoWriMo Wrap Party @ Portsmouth Book & Bar
      - B. Author Panel: Paths to Publication
      - C. Polar Express Pajama Party!
    - ii. Ongoing programs
      - A. Winter Films
      - B. Book Discussions
      - C. 50 To Grow On!
      - D. Peace of Mind Series
      - E. Memoir Writers Study Group
    - iii. Upcoming programs of interest
      - A. Author Talk: To The Village Square
      - B. Six Week Mindfulness Workshop
  - B. Outreach/Partnerships
    - i. Visit from Middle School faculty and staff
    - ii. Book Talks at Wentworth Home
    - iii. Portsmouth Garden Club WordPress workshop
  - C. Meet the Staff: Laura Horwood-Benton, Public Programming and Community Relations
  - D. Professional Development
    - i. Oral History Workshop
  - E. General Comments
- VI. Trustees Activities / Reports / Discussion
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Old Business
- IX. Acceptance of Gifts and Grants
  - A. Evelyn Karu, \$35.00
  - B. Newburyport Bank, \$1,000.00
  - C. Leslie Champagne, \$150.00
  - D. Sally Small in memory of Winifred Jane (Kent) Hubbard, \$100.00
  - E. Anne Sears in memory of David Bowlus, \$50.00
  - F. Portsmouth Employees Union, \$200.00
  - G. Emily Miyares Overend, \$50.00
  - H. David and Joan Desgroseilliers, \$25.00
- X. Adjournment

Next Regular Full Board Meeting: February 18th, 2015

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