Report of the Library Trustees and Librarian

In 2011 the Fremont Public Library continued to experience growth. In addition to our collection, we also have access to materials through interlibrary loan and the state's audiobook and ebook library. Anyone with an e-reader can download books online with their library card number.

This year, Barbara Bassett retired after 27 years of service. We would like to thank her for everything she has done for the library. In November, Bethany Brace was chosen as our new Library Director. We welcome her to her new position in the town of Fremont. We encourage everybody in town to stop by to meet her.

The 2011 golf tournament was our 11th annual and we will continue this great fundraiser again on September 10th, 2012. We would like to thank everybody who continues to make this event possible. Special thanks to Nick from the Pizzeria for always providing a great lunch.

Be on the lookout for some more great events coming in 2012. The Friends of the Library are working hard to provide excellent programming. For example, they recently provided the library with the material necessary to hold movie nights. You can go to our website to learn more about what is happening at the library.

In closing, I would like to recognize my fellow trustees, Eric Abney and Meredith Patrick, and all of our staff, Bethany Brace, Marlene Emery, Lynda Miller, Cathy Murdock, and Dick Rand, and Cheryl Rowell and the Friends of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

John Hennelly

2011 Circulation Statistics

Adult Materials: 6053 Young Adult: 1327 Children's: 10832 DVDs and VHS: 1438

Audio: 2550 Total Circulation: 22,200

212 items were borrowed from the Interlibrary Loan system. 1050 audiobooks and ebooks were checked out from the State Library.

Respectfully submitted,

Bethany Brace