

## CLAYTON LIBRARY FRIENDS

General Meeting  
November 10, 2018  
Carriage House

### Minutes

The Clayton Library Friends (CLF) business meeting was called to order by President Sue Yerby at 10:31 am.

President Yerby welcomed CLF members and guests.

President Yerby made the following announcements:

- Frank Smith, Librarian at Clayton Library for Genealogical Research, will hold a DNA Discussion Group on January 5, 2019. A handout was available for attendees to pick up at the meeting.
- Irene Peters, Librarian at Clayton Library for Genealogical Research, will give a talk on February 9, 2019. The title of the presentation is “Using newspapers to flesh out your genealogy”.

Representing the Nominating Committee, Glenda Hayes, presented the following nominees for the election to the Clayton Library Friends Executive Board for 2019 and 2020.

- Sue Yerby, President
- Lynda Collins, 1<sup>st</sup> VP Membership
- Wade Mayberry, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Ways and Means
- Barbara Richards, Secretary
- Fidel Ramirez, Director of Social Media
- Randy Pace, Director of Public Relations
- Nick Cimino, Director of Programs
- Elsa Schmider, Director of Volunteers and Hospitality

After the presentation of the slate of nominees, Chairman Hayes asked the members in attendance if there were any additional nominations from the floor. When no additional nominations were put forth, Chairman Hayes asked for a motion to elect the CLF directors as presented.

**Motion: 1 November 2018-01 Motion by Glenda Hayes to accept the slate of nominees as presented to the membership. Maureen Singleton seconded the motion. Motion Passed Unanimously.**

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President Yerby introduced the speaker, Bennett Greenspan, founder and current CEO of Family Tree DNA. The title of the program was Genetic Genealogy – It's Past, Present, and Future.

Topics included in this excellent presentation were:

- Definitions of Y-chromosomal DNA and mitochondrial DNA;
- How DNA can point you to where your ancestors came from;
- The importance of the Y-DNA Haplotree tree;
- The importance of taking multiple DNA tests'
- What is special about Family Finder.

The audience was encouraged to ask questions at the end of the presentation.

The meeting adjourned at 12:05 pm.

Signed:

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Barbara Richards, Secretary

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Sue Yerby, President