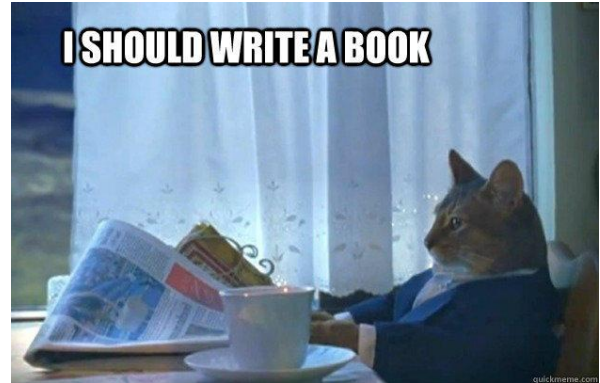


Friends of the South Coastal Library
October 24, 2023
Director's Report



Hello all—

Just a short report—the “second season” is humming along, as expected. We’ve survived our first storm, with no damage—bonus points for us this fall!

- We are ready for Cops & Goblins, books all tagged with the nice sticker template that Barb sent to us. Thanks for helping us not re-invent the wheel. If anyone wants to drop by, we should have a table all day there, from 1pm to 4pm, and be there early for set up. Have 4 other staffers willing to join me and (maybe) dress up. Hope for sun!
- Library automatic renewals system seems to be working well. Leads to many surprised—but happy—patrons.
- The DE Deaf Festival has been moved to Saturday, November 11th at the Hope Center of Mariners Bethel Church in Ocean View. We still plan to go and run a library table, plus crafts for the children. Again, if you’re in the area, drop on by. The deaf community has worked so hard to make this happen.
- Heads up alert: the next Children’s Book Festival will be on Saturday, May 18, 2024 from 10am to 2pm! This year, it will be held at the Georgetown Public Library and the Georgetown Armory has agreed to provide even more space for vendors, authors, and the public. The street/area will be closed to traffic to provide more room and a safer environment for all. (There may even be a petting zoo—many details still being settled.) If you know of a local children’s author who is interested in being a presenter, please let Sue know—thanks.

Sue Keefe, 10/20/23
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