



Friends of the Olympia Library Email Newsletter

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February Giant Sale of Books and Media --Volunteers Still Needed

Over 4,000 items including fiction & nonfiction books, CDs, DVDs, LPs, children's books, mass market paperbacks, sheet music, oversized books, sets and more are ready to fill the Olympia Library meeting room for the next Friends of the Olympia Library Giant Sale of Books and Media on February 10 and 11, 2018. *Sale* Set up will be on Thursday and Friday, February 8 and 9, 2018. As always, there is a large need for volunteers to work on all aspects of the sale: set up (Thursday, Friday & Saturday morning), staffing the sale table and room monitoring during the sale, and finally, clean up on Sunday at 4 p.m. If you can spare an hour or two, contact the FOL Volunteer Coordinator, Jen Merrill, volunteers@olympiafriends.com. She still has openings at most times. Volunteer time and expertise are critical for the success of the sale.

We are still taking donations for this sale up until the weekend. Any questions about donating books and media before the sale (on sale days volunteers are usually not available to take donations) can be directed to the FOL Sale Coordinator Irene Osborn irene.bookworm@gmail.com.

A book sale flyer is on page 3 of this newsletter and can be copied for posting. Please consider using the flyer to facilitate reaching as many people as possible. Preprinted flyers are available by contacting Pat Harper at friendsoftheolympialibrary73@gmail.com. Bookmarks are also available.

Thank You, Janice Kelley!

Janice Kelley has resigned from the Friends of the Olympia Library Board to follow other paths. She has been a wonderful support and will be missed. She is not, however, abandoning the Friends and will help out with the Thursday Sorters and book sales when time allows.

What's Happening at the Library

After many years of working out of a 9 x 12 foot room, the Friends of the Olympia Library will now be allowed to expand into a much larger space for storage and pre-sorting of donations, storing books and filling orders from the FOL Amazon shop, <https://amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks>, and running the ongoing sale inside the Olympia Library. This new space will allow the Friends to accept more and larger donations at one time. It will also allow more than one volunteer to work on a project. The extra floor space will allow for more carts and the shelves for books and supplies. Pre-sorters Wanda Hedrick, Rose Jetter, Mary Flannery and Lois Beck can now spread their wings.

*The mission of the Friends is "To support, promote and augment
the operations of the Olympia Library".*

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FOL February Events

The following Olympia Library events are sponsored by the *Friends of the Olympia Library*. Many other events are held at the library each month. Check the bulletin board in the Library or the TRL website <http://www.trl.org/Events> for a full listing of activities for adults and children. Some programs require preregistration.

Adult Winter Reading Program	January 1-March 31, 2018	Adults	Ongoing
Kate DiCamillo Scavenger Hunt	February 12-17, 2018	Children	Ongoing
Chinese New Year Celebration with the Lion Dancers	February 5, 2018	For Everyone	6:30 p.m.
Open Book Club	February 6, 2018	Adults	8 p.m.
Explore & Create: LEGO Animation	February 7, 2018	Grades 1-5	4 p.m. <i>Pre-register</i>
FOL Giant Sale of Books	February 10, 2018	All ages	10 a.m.-4 p.m.
Members only presale 8-10 a.m. Memberships available at the door.			
FOL Giant Sale Day 2	February 11, 2018	All ages	1-4 p.m.
Sunday only option: Fill a provided bag with books for \$4.			
Creative U: Duct Tape Flowers	February 12, 2018	Adults	5 p.m. <i>Pre-register</i>
Teen Book Club	February 13, 2018	Ages 14-18	6:30 p.m. <i>Pre-register</i>
Page Turners Book Discussion <u>The Underground Railroad</u> by Colson White	February 16, 2018	Adults	10 a.m.
Zine Club	February 17, 2018	Adults	3 p.m.
Presidents' Day	February 19, 2018	All Timberland Libraries Closed.	
FOL Board Meeting	February 20, 2018	Public Welcome	12-1 p.m.
Fellowship of Fans: Harry Potter	February 21, 2018	Children	4 p.m. <i>Pre-register</i>
Reading Explorers This month's book: <u>Crenshaw</u> by Katherine Applegate	February 27, 2018	Grades 4-6	6:30 p.m. <i>Pre-register</i>
Song & Dance with Caspar Baby Pants	February 28, 2018	Children & Families	10:15 a.m.

FOL Officers & Committees

President Patricia C. Harper	FriendsOfTheOlympiaLibrary73@gmail.com
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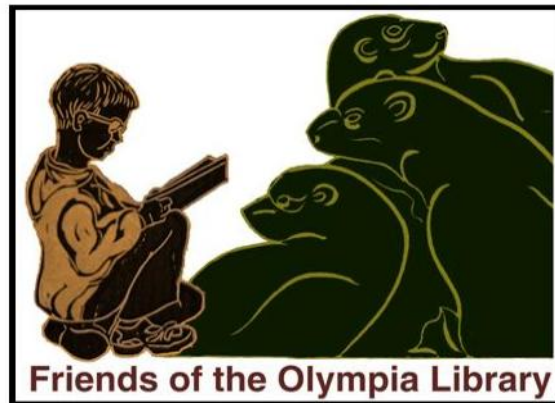
Board Members-at-Large: Victoria Byerly, John Nunn, Peter Sweet, Peter Shaughnessy

More Information

Friends of the Olympia Library board meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday at Noon in the Olympia Library Meeting Room and are open to anyone interested in working for the present and future of our library. FOL Website: <http://www.olympiafriends.com>

Friends of the Olympia Library

Support the Friends
Become a Member
Volunteer



Support the Library
Buy Books
Donate Books &
Media

Giant Sale of Books & Media

Saturday, February 10, 2018, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Members Only Pre-sale 8-10 a.m., Memberships/renewals available at the door.

Sunday, February 11, 2018, 1-4 p.m.

Sunday option: Fill a provided bag with sale items for \$4.00

Hard cover books \$1; Trade soft cover \$1; Mass market paperbacks 50¢;
Vinyl Records, CDs & DVDs \$1; Children's books 25¢; VHS & Cassettes 50¢.

Sets, coffee table books, sheet music etc. priced as marked.

Please, no scanners.

All proceeds benefit the Olympia Library.

**Olympia Library Meeting Room
313 8th Avenue SE, Olympia, WA 98501**

More information: www.olympiafriends.com



Friends of the Olympia Library

FRIENDS of the OLYMPIA LIBRARY
Application for Membership/
Membership Renewal

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State: _____ Zip+4 _____

E-mail _____

Telephone (_____) _____

*None of your personal information will be sold, given, or traded to any third parties for any reason.

New: _____ Renewal: _____

Memberships are for one (1) year, except "Friend for Life".

If your dues are for more than 1 year, indicate # of years here. _____ (minimum \$10.00 per year)

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP (Tax Deductible)

- Individual \$10.00
- Family \$15.00
- Good Friend \$25.00
- Really Good Friend \$50.00
- Business \$50.00
- Best Friend \$100.00
- Students/Seniors over 65 \$5.00

I'D LIKE TO HELP WITH:

- Book Sales
- Newsletter
- Advocacy/publicity
- Book sorting
- Board Committees

ONE PAYMENT ONLY (Tax Deductible)

- Friend For Life \$150.00

Please mail this application and your check to :
Friends of the Olympia Library
313 8th Avenue SE
Olympia, WA 98501

or

Place it in the green membership box at the Olympia Library or
go to our website, www.olympiafriends.com to join with Pay Pal.

Volunteer



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Would you like to help the Friends of the Olympia Library?

Jobs include:

Book sale set-up, cashier and clean up.

Book sorting.

Stocking the ongoing book sale shelves.

Help with Board committees.

There are varying degrees of participation for every interest level! Please contact: volunteers@olympiafriends.com for more information.

or

Fill out the lower part of this page and leave it in the box on the FOL slat board in the Library. A FOL volunteer coordinator will contact you.

I would like to volunteer for the Friends of the Olympia Library!

Name: _____ Best way to contact me: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Jobs that interest me: ___ Book sale set-up, cashier and /or clean up.

___ Book sorting.

___ Stocking ongoing book sale shelves.

___ Help with Board committees.