



Friends of the Olympia Library Email Newsletter

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President's Message

We had a lively and productive Board Meeting--enhancements to our website and Facebook page are coming soon. The ongoing sale shelves are often being restocked and rearranged; don't forget to check out the CD/DVD spinner rack.

Book donations have been substantial and steady; we're gearing up for the Giant Book Sale on September 29-30. We can always use more volunteers, especially those with strong backs and/or pickup trucks! And if administration is your preference, we are looking for a Volunteer Coordinator as well. For more information, please contact me at olympiafriends73@gmail.com.

FOL Board Meetings are the third Tuesday of the month at 12:00 noon in the Library meeting room. All Friends of the Olympia Library are welcome to attend.

Thank you for your support.

Beth Dubey, President

Giant Sale of Books and Media September 29-30, 2018-Volunteers Needed

It is almost time for the big event--the FOL Giant Sale of Books and Media. These sales only happen quarterly and are a true bonanza of reading, listening and viewing pleasure for everyone in the family at bargain prices. A good time to stock up for the rainy months to come.

The only way these sales work is because of the wonderful people who volunteer their time and expertise on the set up and sale days. If you can give the Friends an hour or two on Thursday, September 27 and Friday, September 28 for room set up or September 29-30 for the actual sale it would be a great help. Please email volunteers@olympiafriends.com or call temporary volunteer chair, Pat Harper, 360-866-1106 to sign on.

Facebook for the Friends of the Olympia Library

The FOL have maintained a presence on Facebook since 2010. It has been a wonderful way to communicate with the general public as well as with the Friends membership. However, with all of the turn over of Board members all of the passwords and administrative information has been lost. This meant we couldn't update events or take down the site. Two years ago, a new page on Facebook was created **Friends of the Olympia Library@olyfriends73**. Please like us and follow this page for current information.

FOL Needs Your Used Shipping Supplies

Shipping supplies:

As we sell more books via Amazon, we have an increased need for shipping supplies. Rather than buy new, we are asking Friends of the Olympia Library to donate any unwanted shipping supplies you may have. We are especially looking for the following:

- **Bubble wrap:** We can use any size but small is preferred.
- **Padded envelopes:** Any size and we will remove labels before re-using.
- **Air pillows:** These are the small bags of air used to fill in the spaces.
- **Styrofoam peanuts:** We aren't currently using them but if people have them to donate, we can use the peanuts if we run out of pillows.

If you have any of these supplies, please bring them in to the Library. If you have just a couple of envelopes, you can leave them with library staff at the returns counter. A larger donation of shipping supplies can be brought to the staff entrance at 8th and Adams streets. Ring the bell to the right of the door for assistance.

Thanks, so much, for your help in this matter. Any donations we get mean we are saving money and helping the environment by recycling. We appreciate your support!

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

For more information: www.olympiafriends.com

FOL September 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: <https://www.trl.org/locations/olympia> for a full listing of activities for adults and children. Some programs require pre-registration.

TRL Online Art Showcase	May 1-Sept. 30, 2018	Adult	
More information: http://www.trl.org/showcase2018/Pages/Showcase2018.aspx			
Open Book Club	September 4, 2018	Adult 18+	8 p.m.
Film Club	September 10, 2018	Adult	6:30 p.m.
Teen Book Club	September 11, 2018	Ages 14-18	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
TRL All Staff Day	September 12, 2018	All Timberland Libraries Closed.	
Zine Club	September 15, 2018	Adult	3 p.m.
Creative U: Art of Japanese Calligraphy	September 17, 2018	Adult	5 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
FOL Board Meeting	September 18, 2018	Public Welcome	12-1 p.m.
Grant Writing 101	September 19, 2018	Adult	3 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
Page Turners <u>The Little Old Lady Who Broke All the Rules</u> by Catherine Ingelman-Sundberg	September 21, 2018	Adult	10 a.m.
Reading Explorers	September 25, 2018	Ages 9-12	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
FOL Giant Sale of Books & Media	September 29, 2018	All ages	10 am-4 pm
	Members only presale on Saturday 8-10 am		
	September 30, 2018		1-4 pm

Hold Those Book Donations!!

If at all possible, hold your book donations until after the Giant Sale on **September 29 and 30**. The FOL storage is completely full. We are going to have a fabulous sale, but then we need to start all over again collecting donations for the next sale on **January 12-13, 2019**. Contact our book donations coordinator, Irene Osborn, Irene.bookworm@gmail.com for more information.

FOL Officers & Committees

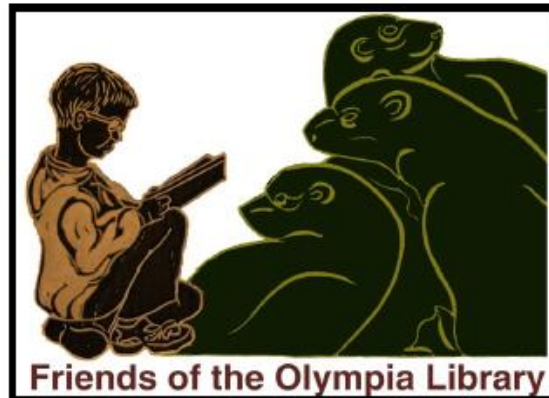
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More Information

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, September 29, 2018, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

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

Sunday, September 30, 2018, 1-4 p.m.

Sunday option: Fill a provided bag with sale items for \$5.00

Hard cover books \$1; Trade soft cover \$1; Mass market paperbacks 50¢;
Vinyl Records, CDs \$1, DVDs \$2; 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

More books on Amazon: www.amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks



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.