



# Friends of the Olympia Library Email Newsletter

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## *President's Message*

Thanks to the work of many dedicated volunteers, our on-going sale shelves in the library have been re-organized with new categories and new signage. They continue to provide a steady stream of income for the Friends.

We note with sorrow the passing of Jean Finely, along time member of the Friends and past President. She was passionate about books, reading and the Library and gave many hours as a member of the Board and dedicated worker on many years of book sales.

We are still looking for a Volunteer Coordinator to help with book sale scheduling. We also need a publicity chair to contact local media about book sales. For more information about either position, please contact [volunteers@olympiafriends.com](mailto:volunteers@olympiafriends.com)

Coming up, FOL Board member Lauren Danner will speak about her book "Crown Jewel Wilderness" on Nov. 15 at 7:30 pm. at the Olympia Library.

Don't forget our **Pop-up Sale of Books** on *Friday*, December 14, 2018, 10 am-4 pm with the Members presale from 8-10 am.

*Beth Dubey, President*

## *It's on Friday! Pop-up Sale of Books and Other Stuff*

**Very awkward!** *Friday, December 14, 2018*, was the only day FOL could work out a time for this very necessary add-on or Pop-up sale. There are sixty-five boxes of hard cover and trade soft cover books that could not be included in the September Giant Sale. In addition, there was a huge donation of children's books, and we have a wonderful collection of holiday books and media to offer shoppers. Almost everything is in excellent condition and will make great gifts at bargain prices.

Volunteers will be needed on Thursday afternoon, December 13, to set up the sale and from 8 a.m.-4 on Friday to work the sales table and monitor the room i.e. keep things tidy and answer questions. Please contact the volunteer coordinator at [volunteers@olympiafriends.com](mailto:volunteers@olympiafriends.com) if you'd like to help.

## *The Ongoing Sale of Books and Media Is Different!*

From a distance, the sale shelves look very much the same as always, but a closer look will reveal, as Beth Dubey noted in her President's Message, new categories and signage. It will take several visits to realize that the inventory is being updated at a much quicker pace thanks to the new system implemented to facilitate tracking the amount of time the books and media have been offered. Materials rotated out will go into the next Giant Sale.

As always, the very best of the donated books and media are added to the ongoing sale which is located in the Library next to the holds pick up shelves. The ongoing media sale is across the aisle in the atrium. Shop anytime the Olympia Library is open.

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

*For more information: [www.olympiafriends.com](http://www.olympiafriends.com)*

### FOL November 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.

Creative U: Watercolor Greeting Cards	November 3, 2018	Adults	2 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
Film Club @ the Library	November 5, 2018	Adults	6:30 p.m.
Open Book Club	November 6, 2018	Adult 18+	8 p.m.
Explore and Create	November 7, 2018	Grades 3-5	4 p.m.
A Dream Called Home with Reyna Grande	November 8, 2018	Adults	7:30 p.m.
Teen Book Club	November 13, 2018	Ages 14-18	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
Kids' Comic Studio	November 14, 2018	3-5th graders	4 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
Page Turners <u>My Grandmother Ask Me To Tell You She's Sorry</u> by Fredrik Backman	November 16, 2018	Adults	10 a.m.
Zine Club	November 17, 2018	Adults	3 p.m.
<b>FOL Board Meeting</b>	<b>November 20, 2018</b>	<b>Public Welcome</b>	<b>12-1 p.m.</b>
Lego® Plus	November 21, 2018	Children	4 p.m.
Toddler Storytime Special Event Creative Dance	November 27, 2018	Walkers to age 4	10:15 a.m.
Reading Explorers <u>Greenglass House</u> by Kate Milford	November 27, 2018	Ages 9-12	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>

### More Ways to Support the FOL

The *Friends of the Olympia Library* is a volunteer driven organization. Everyone who presorts and sorts the books is volunteering. Volunteers fill the ongoing sale shelves and do everything needed to make the Giant Sales happen. The happy result of all of this work is money for the library to offer programs and services not covered in the regular budget. Anyone who has an hour or two or more to offer every week or once in awhile is welcome to join us. The work is sometimes hard, but the feeling of a useful job well done is hard to beat. For more information, contact [volunteers@olympiafriends.com](mailto:volunteers@olympiafriends.com). To learn more about FOL, visit the webpage: <http://www.olympiafriends.com>

### FOL Officers & Committees

President Beth Dubey	<a href="mailto:olympiafriends73@gmail.com">olympiafriends73@gmail.com</a>
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Webmaster Lauren Danner

Board Member-at-Large: Irene Osborn & John Nunn

### 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>

*See below for a postcard to advertise the Pop-up Sale of Books in December.  
Please print and distribute copies wherever there is a public notice bulletin board.  
If you don't have a printer, additional copies of the handout are on the FOL  
slat-board in the Olympia Library.*


Our mission: To support, promote, and augment the operations  
of the Olympia Timberland Library

**Pop-up Sale  
of Books**

One Day Only!!  
Friday, December 14, 2018  
10 am - 4 pm

olympiafriends.com

JOIN TODAY!



**FRIENDS OF THE OLYMPIA LIBRARY**

*More ways to support the  
Friends of the Olympia Library*

**Become a member  
Volunteer your time & expertise  
Donate your used books & media  
Shop the quarterly Giant Book Sales  
Shop the ongoing sale in the Olympia Library  
Shop online: [amazon.com/shops/  
whatmorebooks](https://amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks)**

**Visit our website for more information:  
<http://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](http://www.olympiafriends.com) to join with Pay Pal.



# Volunteer



## Friends of the Olympia Library

### Our Mission:

“To Support, promote and augment the operations of the Olympia Library.”

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](mailto: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.