Friends of the Olympia Library Newsletter

March 2022



Friends of the Olympia Library

What's new?

Do you love your library? Are you looking for a way to support it?

Then please consider joining the board of the Friends of the Olympia Library.

Our mission

To support, promote and augment the operations of the Olympia Library.

Find us on the web Find us on Facebook

Olympia Timberland Library 313 Eighth Ave. S.E. 360) 352-0595 Hours

Our Nominating Committee is recruiting candidates for this low-stress way to give back to your community. The board meets just once a month to discuss our book and media sales, to get an update on Olympia Timberland Library news, and to discuss other business as it arises.

Board members must be Friends members (\$10 or \$5 for those 65 and over) and have an interest in supporting library programs and staff. More about what we do is on our website and on Facebook.

The candidate slate will be presented to the current board in April and officers and board members will be elected at Friends' annual meeting at 1 p.m. May 10, at the downtown Olympia branch. In addition to the slate from the committee, nominations will be taken from the floor.

Also in April, the newsletter and our Facebook page will have info on other business for the annual meeting.

If you are interested in becoming a Board Member, please contact FOL73volunteers@gmail.com.

Do you know?

Friends of the Olympia Library sells books, CDs and DVDs on Amazon! We have a wide selection of fiction, non-fiction, music and more for children, teens and tweens and adults. Find us here.

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Friends of the Olympia Library news blurbs

• For the foreseeable future, we won't be having any large-scale sales at the library. However, we still need volunteers to accept book donations from noon to 2 p.m. every Wednesday and Saturday. You can sign up here to choose the day and time that's most convenient for you. Experienced sorters are happy to give you an orientation.

• We also accept donations during the week in the clearly marked donation bin near the Friends sales shelves. However, we don't accept textbooks, old encyclopedias, books with outdated material, magazines or jigsaw puzzles.



• We are planning a booth at the Secondhand Safari April 23 at the Thurston County Fairgrounds. Volunteers are needed on April 22 to ferry books from our storage area to the Fairgrounds and to help set up. On the 23rd, volunteers are needed to staff the booth during the sale and to help clear everything. It's too early to schedule now, but if you're interested, please let us know at fol73volunteers@gmail.com and hold this space on your calendar!

Thank you again for your generous support of our library!

Volunteer Form



Our Mission: "To Support, promote and augment the operations of the Olympia Library."

Volunteer

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:

fol73volunteers@gmail.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. The FOL volunteer coordinator will contact you.

| I would like to | volunteer for the Friends of the Olympia Library! |
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| All volunteers are require | ed by the Timberland Regional Libraries to have a background check |
| Jobs that interest | me:Book sale set-up, cashier and /or clean upBook sorting. |
| | Stocking ongoing book sale shelves. |
| | Help with Board committees. |
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| Date | |

FOL Membership Form

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| 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 Membership | Renewal | Date | | |
| 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 Family Senior (65+)/Student Good Friend Really Good Friend Business Best Friend | \$ 10.00 \$ 15.00 \$ 5.00 \$ 25.00 \$ 50.00 \$ 100.00 | I'D LIKE TO HELP WITH:Book SalesNewsletterAdvocacy/publicityBook Sorting Board Committees | | |
| ONE PAYMENT ONLY (T | , | Other: | | |

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

Olympia, WA 98501-1307

or go to the website, <u>www.olylibraryfriends.com</u> to join using PayPal.

or place it in the cash box on the Friends slat board near the Atrium in the Olympia Library.