

Friends of the Olympia Library Newsletter

October 2022



What's new?

Some news about donations!

Our donation station is changing locations!

Due to construction at the downtown Olympia Timberland Library, we're now taking donations through the front door of the library.

Signage will direct you to our volunteers, who take your generous book donations from noon to 2 p.m. each Wednesday and Saturday.

Please limit your donations to two bags or boxes a day. Proceeds from the resale of books benefit a multitude of library programs!

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](#)

Friends of the Olympia Library Book & Media Donations Here

Gently used books, please.

We're sorry, but the FOL cannot use old encyclopedias, textbooks, or books with outdated content.



All proceeds benefit the Olympia Library

pronunciator: 
Learn a new language!

Use your Library Card for free access to Pronunciator, the world's largest language content resource, with 164 languages to learn, including ASL and ESL. Here's an online tutorial: [Pronunciator - Language Learning Online](#)



FRIENDS *of the* LIBRARY

Friends Forum 2022

Two Timberland Regional Library Friends Forum gatherings are scheduled this month, one in person and one via Zoom.

Both events will be loosely structured and casual, to give Friends of the Library members across five counties a chance to reconnect, socialize, and share ideas. It will also be an opportunity for Timberland Regional Library staff to show Friends members how much they appreciate all we do!

Gatherings are:

In-person: Saturday, October 15, 11 a.m. to 2 pm at [Centralia Timberland Library](#).

Online: Thursday, October 20, 1-3 p.m. via Zoom.

Contact Public Experiences Coordinator Kristen Hylton for the zoom link at khylton@trl.org

Author visit coming up



You can spend an evening with Olympia resident Jasmin Faulk-Dickerson, who will read from and discuss her book, "The Last Sandstorm," a memoir of her life in Saudi Arabia from childhood to young adulthood, and her daring escape to the West.

The book is a coming-of-age story and an immigrant's saga, overlapping narratives told with generosity, humor, and a pervasive sense of longing and loss. The event begins at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, October 11, at the downtown Olympia Library.

Friends of the Olympia Library news

Remember to renew your membership. It's so easy. Just fill out the last page of this newsletter. New to Friends? Find information on volunteer opportunities on Page 3.

Friends is part of the Combined Fund Drive. For state employees, giving is easy through a Combined Fund Drive payroll deduction. You can give \$1 or more per paycheck as a monthly contribution, one-time donation, or limited-time gift. Donations can be managed online at give.wa.gov. Our CFD number is 1480404.

Membership Form



Friends of the Olympia Library

Join the Friends of the Olympia Library

Members receive our newsletter, *and*
the good feeling of supporting your
local library.

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 Membership _____ Renewal _____

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

If your dues are for more than 1 year, indicate # of years here _____

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP (Tax Deductible)

Individual	\$ 10.00
Family	\$ 15.00
Senior (65+)/Student	\$ 5.00
Business	\$ 50.00
Best Friend	\$ 100.00
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 membership box on the Friends slat board
near the atrium in the Olympia Library.

or

Join online: www.olylibraryfriends.com/join

Volunteer Form



Friends of the Olympia Library

Volunteer

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

Jobs include: Accepting book donations on donation days.
Book sorting and/or pricing.
Emptying the donation bin.
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 this form and leave it in the box on the FOL slat board
in the Olympia Library. The FOL volunteer coordinator will
contact you.

Name: _____

Best way to contact me: _____

Email: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Jobs that interest me:

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Date _____

Your information will not be shared.

For more about the FOL: www.olylibraryfriends.com