

# Friends of the Olympia Library Newsletter

May 2024



## What's new?

You Are Invited!

Annual meeting set for May 14, 2024

Beginning at 1 p.m., May 14, the Friends of the Olympia Library will hold its annual meeting. All members are welcome.

Elections for the Board will be held at this time. The current candidates are:

President:	Jann Hoppler
Vice-President:	Pat Harper
Secretary:	Amanda Mackison
Treasurer:	Melanie Tyler

Members at Large:

Beth Dubey  
Peter Sweet  
Rose Jetter

If you are interested in joining the Board as an officer or a member at large, please contact Jann Hoppler or come to the meeting.

The President and Treasurer of Friends of the Olympia Library will give annual reports. Friends will discuss plans for the coming year and any other business as needed. The brief meeting will be at the downtown Olympia library branch, 313 Eighth Ave. S.E. (corner of Franklin Street and Eighth Avenue).

## Our mission

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

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Find us on [Facebook](#)

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

[Hours](#)

# More FOL Information

## Donation information

Donations of gently used books, DVDs and CDs are accepted at the downtown branch of the Olympia Timberland Library Monday through Saturday.

**Please note that at this time, we are not able to take donations at the Westside branch.**

Friends' volunteers are on hand from noon to 2 p.m. on Wednesday and Saturday only to assist donors who wish to bring in more than just a handful of books. At other times, you may place donations in the black bin near the sales shelves in the library. Please limit your donations to two bags or boxes at a time and remember that we don't accept old textbooks, outdated computer manuals and medical books (pre-2021), unabridged dictionaries, encyclopedias and books that damaged.

## Looking for rare and collectible books?

Friends of the Olympia Library have listed over 700 of their best books on Amazon. Our catalogue contains limited-edition books, local histories, special editions, out-of-print volumes, and more!

Search the FOL catalogue of rare and collectible books at:

<https://amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks?>

# FOL VOLUNTEER FORM



Friends of the Olympia Library

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

**There are varying degrees of participation for every interest level**

**Fill out this form and leave it in the box on the FOL slat board wall opposite the sale shelves in the Olympia Library. The FOL volunteer coordinator will contact you.**

**If you have questions, please contact: [fol73volunteers@gmail.com](mailto:fol73volunteers@gmail.com) for more information.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Best way to contact me:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Jobs that interest me:**

\_\_\_ **Accepting book donations on Wednesdays or Saturdays.**

\_\_\_ **Emptying the donation bin.**

\_\_\_ **Book sorting and/or pricing.**

\_\_\_ **Stocking ongoing book sale shelves.**

\_\_\_ **Help with Amazon online book sale**

\_\_\_ **Help with publicity, membership and volunteers.**

\_\_\_ **Help with FOL Board activities.**

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_ *Your information will not be shared.*

***A background check is required of all library volunteers.***

**For more about the FOL: [www.olylibraryfriends.com](http://www.olylibraryfriends.com)**

# FOL 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 \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue SE

Olympia, WA 98501

or

place it in the membership box on the Friends slat board wall opposite the sale shelves in the Olympia Library, or join online: [www.olylibraryfriends.com/join](http://www.olylibraryfriends.com/join)