



# Friends of the Olympia Library Email Newsletter

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## ***President's Message***

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped at our Pop-up Sale of Books, Peter Sweet, Zac Goldstein, Alex Stone, Melanie Tyler, Todd Stamm, Rob Harper, Irene Olson, Lauren Danner, Vicki Zarrell, Mary Belz, John Nunn, Ann Stephenson, Evita Castaneda, Sandra Schafer and Sue Goldstein, We were able to free up much-needed storage space and provide many children's books with new homes. Total proceeds for this one day sale were \$503.

We are still looking for a Volunteer Chair to schedule helpers for our three book sales a year. Most of the scheduling is done by email from our ever growing list of willing elves. Please contact me at [olympiafriends73@gmail.com](mailto:olympiafriends73@gmail.com) for more information.

Our next Giant Sale of Books and Media is January 12 and 13, 2019.

Happy New Year to all!

Beth Dubey, President

## ***Giant Sale of Books and Media Coming Up!***

On January 12 and 13 the Friends of the Olympia Library will be offering 300 boxes of hard cover and trade soft cover books, CDs, DVDs, LPs, mass market paperbacks and 60 boxes of children and young adult books in one of three Giant Sales held each year. The meeting room of the Olympia Library will be filled to bursting. All of this takes two days of set up time, two sales days and clean up. We need volunteers, so if you can offer any time at all, please contact the volunteer chair [volunteers@olympiafriends.com](mailto:volunteers@olympiafriends.com)

The sale schedule will be Thursday, January 10, 2019, 10 a.m. set up from the library closet, Friday, January 11, 9 a.m. set up from storage, Saturday, January 12, 8-10 a.m. for the members presale, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. for the public sale, and Sunday, 1-4 p.m. with clean up at 4 p.m. All willing hands can be put to work. On the job training offered. Coffee, water and treats to all workers.

## ***Timberland Regional Libraries Board of Trustees Meeting***

Nationwide, all libraries are changing and this is the time to keep abreast of what is happening with events occurring in the Timberland Library District. The Board of Trustees meets the second Wednesday of every month at the Administrative Service Center in Tumwater or one of the local libraries. *On January 9, 2019 they will be meeting at 5:30 p.m. in the Administrative Service Center 415 Tumwater Boulevard SW, Tumwater, WA. The Public is encouraged to attend.*

The Timberland District was created in 1968 and funded for the most part by money generated by Washington State Forest Lands. That money dried up in the early 1980s precipitating a crisis of cutting staff and closing libraries.

Timberland became part of the Junior Taxing district receiving money from property taxes. This worked well for more than 20 years, but no longer does the money generated cover expenses. Now more than ever in the digital age our libraries serve as an important part of our communities. For more information about TRL visit the webpage: <https://www.trl.org/about-timberland-regional-library> and plan to attend Board of Trustee Meetings.

*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 January 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.

Adult Winter Reading: Book Bingo Celebrating 100 Years of the 19th Amendment	January 2, 2019	Starts 1 p.m.	Adult Information Desk
Teen Book Club	January 8, 2019	Ages 14-18	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>
Open Book Club	January 8, 2019	Adults	8 p.m.
<b>Giant Sale of Books &amp; Media</b> <b>Members pre-sale 8-10 a.m.</b>	<b>January 12, 2019</b>	<b>All ages</b>	<b>10 a.m. - 4 p.m.</b> <b>Memberships/renewals available at the door.</b>
<b>Giant Sale of Books &amp; Media</b>	<b>January 13, 2019</b>	<b>All ages</b>	<b>1-4 p.m.</b>
Film Club @ the Library	January 14, 2019	Adults	6:30 p.m.
<b>FOL Board Meeting</b>	<b>January 15, 2019</b>	<b>Public Welcome</b>	<b>12-1 p.m.</b>
Build & Play Day	January 16, 2019	Ages 3-8	4 p.m.
Page Turners <u>Rules of Civility</u> by Amor Towles	January 18, 2019	Adults	10 a.m.
Zine Club is cancelled for this month.			
<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Day</b>	<b>January 21, 2019</b>	<b>All Timberland Libraries closed.</b>	
Best Books of 2018 with Librarian Sara Pete	January 26, 2019	Adults	2 p.m.
Chinese New Year Celebration with Chinese Lion Dancers	January 29, 2019	All ages	6 p.m.
Reading Explorers <u>The Hobbit</u> by J.R.R. Tolkien	January 29, 2019	Ages 9-12	6:30 p.m. <i>pre-register</i>

### FOL Officers & Committees

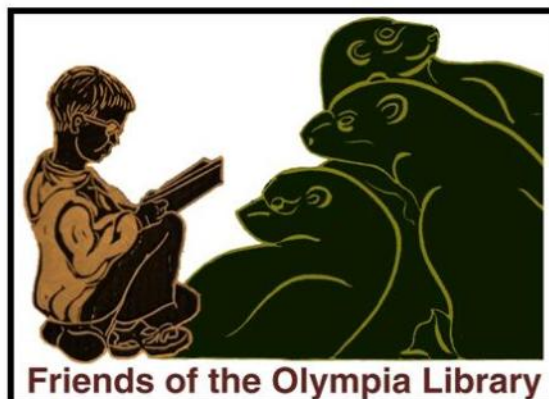
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### More Information

*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, January 12, 2019, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

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

**Sunday, January 13, 2019, 1-4 p.m.**

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

*Special for this sale 60 boxes of children & young adult books.*

Hard cover books \$1; Trade soft cover \$1; Mass market paperbacks 50¢;

Vinyl Records, CDs \$1, DVDs \$2; Children's books 25¢.

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](http://www.olympiafriends.com)

More books on Amazon: [www.amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks](http://www.amazon.com/shops/whatmorebooks)

Visit the ongoing book sale inside the Olympia Library



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.