

Join the Friends of Whitman County Library

Make a difference...



What is a Friend?

FRIENDS are a vital link between Whitman County Library and the citizens we serve! The FRIENDS of Whitman County Library is a non-profit group that supports vital library services and helps promote them to our community.

Members lend support via membership dues, donations of money or materials and volunteerism. Often, Friends take an active role at community presentations, the fair booth or other library activities.

Whether you choose to be an active or inactive Friends member, **your library needs and appreciates your support..**

When do the Friends meet?

FRIENDS business meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 11 a.m. at the Colfax branch (102 S. Main).

*The only way to have a friend
is to be one*

Ralph Waldo Emerson

Recent accomplishments:

- NEW Barn calendars are a hit at just \$5.00!
- Over 1500 "More Recipes from our Friends" have been sold. Proceeds benefit children's services in the library's 14 locations. Our first cookbook, "Recipes from our Friends" sold over 2800 copies.
- Sponsored **Summer Reading Club** for hundreds of children throughout the county.
- Sponsor **Adult Summer Reading** Programs throughout the county.
- Teen Advisory scholarships countywide and annual Teen Dance
- Troll's Corner used Book store in the Colfax Library
- **Newborn Baby Packets** for new parents provided through area hospitals.
- Funding for **special activities**: helium balloons, free coffee, Pumpkin Decorating, etc.
- Sponsor and staff the library **booth at the Palouse Empire Fair** in September and the **Family Fair** each spring.
- Provide funds to purchase **book-giveaways for "TV-FREE WEEK"** to celebrate National Children's Book Week.
- **Christmas** decorations, celebration and host Santa's visit.
- Provide **information to voters** on legislation that affects library services or funding.
- Sent representatives to **Washington Library Day** in Olympia to advocate for WCL and Whitman County.
- **Facility** fundraising, remodeling &

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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Library Branch: _____

(remember dues stay in YOUR town library)

New Member Renewal

Active Member: ____ Inactive Member: ____

____ \$5 Volunteer

____ \$10 Basic

____ \$15 Supporter

____ \$25 Advocate

____ \$50 Major

____ \$100 Benefactor

____ \$1000 Premier Membership

____ \$ Donation without membership

____ \$ Support the Endicott Library Renovation

Because the Friends of WCL are a 501 © (3) tax exempt organization, your donations are tax exempt.

Publication of our membership list is often used as a way to recognize the generosity of our donors. If you would NOT like your name used for this purpose, please mark here: _____

Return Address:

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102 S. MAIN
COLFAX, WA 99111**

Please help



Join our Friends today!