



# The Friends



Winter 2011

## WINTER BOOK SALE

The holidays are behind us and the decorations are packed away. But perk up, big **Winter Book Sale** lies just ahead on **January 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>**. Continuing with tradition this will be a **two room sale**. Individually priced better books will be in the large Meeting Room A, where we will offer an excellent assortment of newer and better books, as well as records and tapes, videos and audio books. Regularly priced books will be down stairs in the Friends Sale Room. There you will find the usual sorted selection of tens of thousands of hard bound and paperback books priced at \$1.00 or 50¢. Donations of really nice books for both kids and young adults continue to be very generous so there should be much to choose from.

## BOOK SALE

The October sale raised \$8450, a 5% increase over October 2009. A majority of the audio and video items offered in the 25¢ sale sold as did about three fourths of the individually priced better books. Thanks to everyone that put in many volunteer hours to bring it all together.

On Saturday afternoon of December 11 we held a Kids and Christmas book sale. Enthusiastic patrons purchased \$675 of Christmas and holiday books. That is over 20 boxes of books. In spite of severe winter storm warnings we were busy most of the afternoon and every one seemed to have a great time. We are definitely looking forward to making this an annual event. Many thanks go to Pat Klawitter who priced and organized most of the materials.

## 2011 BOOK SALE SCHEDULE

Members Only Night	Friday	January 21	6:30 – 9:30
General Public	Saturday	January 22	9:00 – 4:30
General Public	Sunday	January 23	Noon – 4:30
Members Only Night	Friday	April 15	6:30 – 9:30
General Public	Saturday	April 16	9:00 – 4:30
General Public	Sunday	April 17	Noon – 4:30
Members Only Night	Friday	July 15	6:30 – 9:30
General Public	Saturday	July 16	9:00 – 4:30
General Public	Sunday	July 17	Noon – 4:30
Members Only Night	Friday	October 14	6:30 – 9:30
General Public	Saturday	October 15	9:00 – 4:30
General Public	Sunday	October 16	Noon – 4:30





### **COOK BOOK SALE**

The Kids Christmas sale went so well that we thought we would try a cook book sale on Saturday **February 12, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm**. We will be advertising the sale at the Library and January book sale but mark your calendars to set an hour or so aside. Donations of really nice cook books have been especially generous recently so there should be nice selection to choose from. We like to try different things from time to time as the opportunity presents itself.

### **EVENING BOOK DISCUSSION**

The Book Group is looking forward to a year of reading interesting books. Their first selection in January is *The Private Papers of Eastern Jewel*, by Maureen Lindley a spy story based on the life of a real person. James Patterson's *Sunday at Tiffany's* will be their Valentines treat in February. And another historical thriller *Dreamers of the Day* by Mary Russell is the March selection. The Friends Evening Book Discussion meets the third Wednesday of every month in Meeting Room B at 7:30 p.m. New Friends are always welcome.

### **GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY**

In 2010 the Friends raised approximately \$44,500 from the sale of used books and other donated items. We gave the Library \$29,400 in gifts and support for numerous programs. This included support for the all the reading programs, the baby talk program, film discussions, staff awards and luncheons, plant rentals, the Teddy Bear walk, the writers group and authors programs, a defibrillator for South Branch, support for the Sevres librarian visit, the iPads trial program, computer classes, battery recycling and green tote bags. All this and much much more enhances the Library's activities and resources beyond what would be available from the tax base alone. Thanks much to everyone that generously provided the donations that enabled this scale of fund raising. And of course thanks to all the volunteers that organized these donations into the book sales.

### **HELP WANTED**

As always, we could use your help. We need volunteers to set up Thursday evening before the sale and take down Sunday afternoon after the sale. Thursday and Sunday involve moving boxes of books which seem to get a little heavier each year. If there are any younger folks that need volunteer hours for school requirements we can offer a few hours on each day. We could also use a few cashiers. So, if you have a few hours to spare and would like to help a good cause, please give Peter Hicks a call at 847-439-7916 (PDJHicks@Yahoo.com)

We are looking forward to another successful year for the Friends. We really appreciate all the help and donated time our dedicated volunteers contributed toward the successful venture. So let's make 2011 another great year and have some fun doing it.



Dr. George F. Luteri  
President



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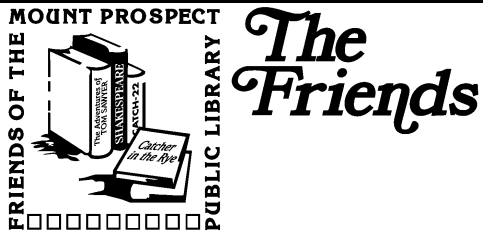
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