

The Friends of the Easton Library

Who Are We?

The Friends are a group of library users who appreciate libraries and what they bring to communities for adults, teens and children. We contribute our time and money to support the Library and its programs.

How Do We Help?

Traditionally the Friends:

- Raise funds to provide extra items not in the library budget, as well as for special events
- Collect, sort and sell the books and media at the Library's semi-annual Book Sales
- Plan events for the library – cultural, educational, crafts, and entertainment
- Enrich the Children's Summer Reading Program with shows and materials
- Provide and serve refreshments at library events

Major past contributions were funding the building of the Marx Local History Room and the restoration of the painting of the Paxinosa Inn.

In 2010, we:

- Staffed two successful book sales
- Funded performances by the Flow Circus at the Main Library and the Branches to kick off the 2010 Children's Summer Reading Program
- Organized a letter-writing campaign, asking elected state officials to restore full Library funding
- Held a bake sale and worked Boscov's Children's Literacy Day to benefit the Library
- Paid fees to bring programs with Harry Rinker and Richard Wittman to the Library
- Purchased die cuts for the Children's Summer Reading Program
- Paid to resupply the plastic library card holders

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You Can Make A Difference – Join Today!

Please print legibly or use an address label.

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

E-mail _____

Phone _____

2011 Membership

Membership runs from 4/1/11 to 3/31/12

_____ New _____ Renewal

Membership Level:

_____ \$10 Basic Membership

_____ \$ 8 Senior (65+) Membership

_____ \$25 Bronze Membership

_____ \$50 Silver Membership

_____ \$100 Gold Membership

_____ \$150 Corporate Membership

\$_____ One time or additional gift

Everyone in a Member's immediate family counts as a Member of the Friends.

How many in your household? _____

Volunteering

_____ I'd like to join the Planning Group

I'd like to help with:

_____ Baking refreshments for library events

_____ Hospitality at events

_____ Book Sales – set up, sell and/or pack up

_____ Increasing book donations

_____ Fundraising

_____ Event development

_____ Marketing and Library Event Publicity

_____ Technology in Publicity (html, etc.)

_____ Establishing a Friends internet presence

_____ Citizen Library Advocacy

_____ Establishing a Children's Friends Group

_____ Friends' Membership Growth

Make your check payable to: **Friends of EAPL**. Mail form and check to: Friends of the Easton Area Public Library, Easton Area Public Library, 515 Church Street, Easton, PA 18042, or give them to a Staff Member at the Circulation Desk of the Main, Palmer or South Side library.