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# Make a Difference in Your Community

*With more Friends, more can be accomplished. Membership is open to everyone in our community, as well as non-residents who use the Barrington Public Library.*

*Join us, make a contribution of your time, your ideas, and your enthusiasm and you'll be rewarded ...and you'll make some new Friends, too!*



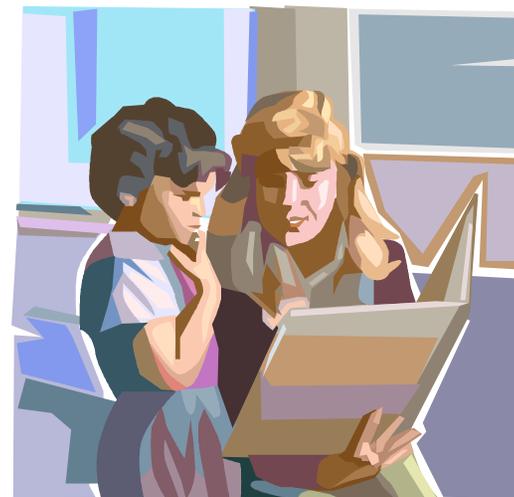
**A good FRIEND is a great  
treasure.**



**Friends of the  
Barrington Public Library**



# Become a Friend *of the* Barrington Public Library



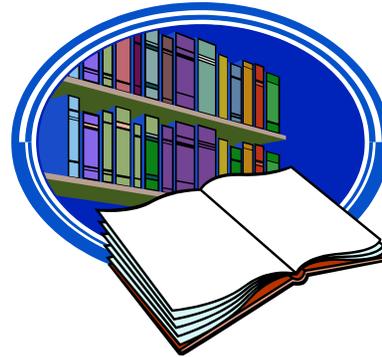
# Who are the Friends and Why Should You Join Them?

The Friends of the Library are people who value their local library and want to lend their support in some way. Friends share a common belief that a thriving public library is a valuable community asset that must be nourished and supported to meet its mission.

In addition to supplementing the resources available at the Library, Friends enjoy some personal benefits as well. Your Friends membership card entitles you to extended loan periods, half-price copy and fax services, and the monthly Friends e-newsletter. And most important of all, Friends gain new friends in town who share similar interests and have fun working together.



Everyone is welcome to join, whether you can donate a few hours a month, or can only contribute your annual membership fee, but want to be informed about library activities.



## Friends Projects and Contributions

### Fund-Raising Activities

- ◆ Perennial Plant Sale—the first Saturday in June
- ◆ Spring Raffle
- ◆ Fall Raffle

### Financial Sponsorship

- ◆ Summer Reading Program
- ◆ Children's Museum Pass
- ◆ Museum Reimbursement Program
- ◆ Library Materials, such as magazines and audio-books
- ◆ Special Programs

### Other Contributions

- ◆ Coordinate the magazine recycling program
- ◆ Provide hospitality for Library events
- ◆ Offer reading recommendations for other patrons
- ◆ Assist with Library book sales
- ◆ Supported the Library building plans

**Yes, I want to be a Friend !**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please don't add me to the Friends email list.

### MEMBERSHIP LEVELS

Individual .....\$5/year

Jr. Friend (under age 18)....\$1/year

Sponsor.....\$50/year

Benefactor.....Over \$50/year

BFF (lifetime member).....\$200

I can't join as a Friend, but please accept my gift in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this form with your dues, or give it to a library staff member. Make checks payable to:

**Friends of the BPL**

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