Volunteer Opportunities

Help your library today!
Volunteer!

**Please check any areas you would
be interested in helping**

☐ **Finance:** Activities in this area can include the holiday appeal letter, grant writing and general financial governance.

☐ **Programs:** Activities in this area can include children's programs, adult programs, special programs and author events, book sales, Project Happy Birthday, the Medallion Hunt and Project Library Card.

☐ **Membership:** Activities in this area can include Membership Drives, communications with members, and Membership Appreciation Events for both individual and business members.

☐ **Public Relations:** Activities in this area can include promotion and publicity, the web site and the newsletter.

Looking for a long-term partnership with FOCL?

☐ Please send me information about contributing to the Friends of the Chanhassen Library in my will.

Friends of the Chanhassen Library

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Annual Events

Chanhassen February Festival
    Medallion Hunt
    Literary Bingo
    Book Sale

Book Sale - February, May and October

Poetry Challenge - April

Summer Reading Program -June - August

Barkus Parade - 2nd Saturday in August

On-going Programs

Author Talks

Speakers - Great Decisions

Children's Entertainment
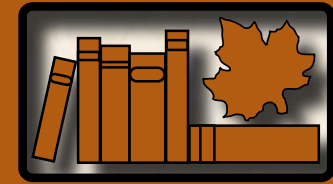
Reading Program - Lap-sit Story time

Teen Program

Friends' Book Club-In-A-Bag

Project Happy Birthday

All programs at the Chanhassen Library are provided by the Friends of the Chanhassen Library (FOCL) with the financial support of our members, both individual and businesses (BiFOCL). The city and county do not provide funding for programming.

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Mission Statement

The Friends of the Chanhassen Library (FOCL) is a volunteer, non-profit organization that believes a dynamic library is a community gathering place that enriches the lives of all citizens. We support strong library services to educate, provide resources, and meet the growing information needs of our community.

Meetings

The Friends meet on the second Saturday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at the Chanhassen Library. All members are welcome to attend.

What do the Friends do?

- Sponsor author talks, children's programs, and special interest programs.

- Provide volunteer assistance for the library as needed.

- Purchase resources and equipment that enhance the library appearance.

- Advocate for library concerns at the city and county levels.

- Write grant applications for library resources.

- Conduct used book sales and other fund-raisers.

What do you receive as a Friend?

- A periodic Friends of the Chanhassen Library newsletter with current library information.

- Member invitations to special programs.

- Advance admittance to book sales.

- 15% discount on book purchases at sponsored events.

- Opportunities to associate with fellow library supporters.

- Opportunities to volunteer and financially support an organization that benefits and positively influences people of all ages in our community.

- Tax deductions for your contributions.

- Discounts at area merchants such as:
  - Toy World - 20%
  - Smudges - 10%
  - Dry Cleaning Station - 10%

YES! I want to ☐ Join ☐ Renew
The Friends of the Chanhassen

Name(s):_____

Address:_____

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City:_____State___Zip_____

Phone: (_____)-_____-_____

E-mail:_____

E-mail will be used to help to keep you informed of meetings, special member events and programs.

☐ Good Friend..$25.00
Your gift is a Bookmark!

☐ Special Friend......................................$50.00
Your gifts are a Bookmark and a Pen!

☐ Best Friend..$100.00
Your gifts are a Bookmark, Pen and a Book Light!

☐ Fabulous Friend.................................$250.00
Your gifts are a Bookmark, Pen, Book Light, and Tote Bag!

☐ Awesome Friend Indeed!...................$500.00+
Your gifts are a Bookmark, Pen, Book Light, Tote Bag and a mention in our Newsletter!

☐ Senior/Student(ID Required)...Voluntary Donation

Your annual membership is tax deductible according to the guidelines provided by the IRS.

☐ I am interested in becoming more involved with the Friends. (Please complete the section on back.)
☐ I am unable to volunteer at this time.

Your new membership card will be mailed to you within three to four weeks of receipt of this form.
Thank You!