



The Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Library is a non-profit group dedicated to assisting the mission of Anchorage Public Library through financial support of APL's collections and programs. In 2008 the Friends donated nearly \$90,000 for books and media; FOL also supported the Summer Reading Celebration, Live @ the Library concerts and other library projects.

Fund-raising activities include *Beyond the Stacks: A Valentine's Luncheon for the Library*, Wishlist, book sales in May and November and the Friends' Gift Shop at Z.J. Loussac Public Library. The Gift Shop is open during Loussac's open hours and features used books and DVDs as well as literary gifts. For further information about the Gift Shop, its phone number is 343-2854.

Upcoming events:

Wishlist, an annual opportunity to "purchase" books for the library's collection and to be the first to check them out, October 3 through 7, Loussac Library
Friends' Annual Meeting: Wednesday, October 7 at 6 PM in the Ann Stevens Room, Loussac Library
Fall Book Sale: Saturday and Sunday, November 7 & 8, Loussac Library
Beyond the Stacks: A Valentine's Luncheon for the Library, February 11, 2010

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Let's work together to keep our libraries the heart of our community!