

WHO ARE THE “FRIENDS” OF THE LIBRARY?



The “Friends of the Woonsocket Harris Public Library” is a non-profit organization designed to stimulate community interest in library services and to support the library in providing these services.

“Friends” are those citizens who regard the library as a vital agency for information, a cultural center, and a major educational institution. These citizens understand that a community is a better place in which to live if it supports a first rate library.

IMPORTANT ROLE OF FRIENDS

Through a program of volunteer, promotional, and fundraising activities, we help to acquire important materials and equipment beyond the library’s regular operating budget. We also aim to inform the community of the library’s resources, services and needs.

FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP

Your membership ensures that we are able to promote the Woonsocket Harris Public Library as an important community resource. Your “Friends” membership allows us to bring educational programs to our community. It also affords the Library the funding needed for items such as discounted museum passes for local venues, and for other items not included in the library budget.

CONTRIBUTIONS OF FRIENDS

- ◆ Purchase of discounted passes to local museums and zoos
- ◆ Funding for required summer reading books for Children and Teens
- ◆ Sponsor of Children, Teen and Adult Library Programs
- ◆ Purchase of furniture, shelving, and other functional hardware not covered by the library budget



GOALS OF THE FRIENDS:

- ◆ To increase library awareness
- ◆ To provide funding for essential materials and programs not included in the library budget
- ◆ To advocate for and encourage public support for the development of the library’s services and facilities
- ◆ To promote literacy and support the library in its important mission as a valuable community resource

**Friends of the Woonsocket
Harris Public Library
Membership Form:**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Annual Membership Dues:

___ \$5.00 Individual Senior/Student

___ \$10.00 Individual Adult

___ \$20.00 Best Friend or Family

___ \$50.00 Benefactor/Community
Friend

Please make checks payable to:

Friends of WHPL

Bring form and check in person or mail

to: **Friends of WHPL**

303 Clinton Street

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FRIENDS FUNDRAISING

The Friends support an on-going,
every day book sale. Friend member
volunteers sort donations and keep
the on-going book sale in order.
Ask at the Reference Desk for a
volunteer application if you are
interested in donating your time to
become a volunteer book sorter.



*Thank you for your generous
donation. Your support is
greatly appreciated.*

Email questions to:

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