

WHO WE ARE...

The Friends of the Quincy Public library is a non-profit volunteer organization that supports the Library through volunteerism and fund raising. The Friends of The Library meet at various times throughout the year to discuss organization business and host two luncheons per year. Friends of the Library enjoy membership perks such as first choice access to book sales and special invitations to library events.

FRIENDS COMMITTEES:

BOOK SALE COMMITTEE

Organize, plan and prepare for book sales. Committee members sort books, arrange publicity, and schedule book sale volunteers

EBAY SALES COMMITTEE

Research and select rare and valuable books for sale on Ebay. Post books on Ebay, ship materials and maintain sales records

BOOKSTORE COMMITTEE

Manage day-to-day operations of Secondhand Prose, the Friends of the Library Book Store.

COURTESY BOOKS COMMITTEE

Select and deliver books for the courtesy book centers located throughout the Quincy area. Monitor inventory at various locations and replenish when needed.

WHAT WE DO...

- Organize and implement book sales, the primary fund-raising activity of the Friends of the Public Library.
- Volunteer for special events and library sponsored events.
- Stock courtesy books for travel shelves at airport and train station
- Research and sell used books and materials on Ebay.
- Manage and work at Secondhand Prose, the Friends of the Library Bookstore.

HOW WE HELP..

- Donate funds to the Quincy Public Library for materials and equipment and programs such as the Summer Reading Program or The Big Read.
- Raise awareness of issues facing the Quincy Public Library.
- Provide input to long range planning projects of the Quincy Public Library.
- Provide a helping hand at Summer Reading and Big Read kick-off events.

The Friends of the Library have raised over \$100,000 for Quincy Public Library materials, equipment, and programs over the last 10 years.



“There is more treasure in books than in all the pirate’s loot on Treasure Island.”

Walt Disney (1901-1966)



JOIN TODAY

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

PHONE _____

EMAIL _____

DATE _____

MEMBERSHIP TYPE (CHECK ONE)

- Student (\$5)
- Adult (\$10)
- Sponsor (\$25)
- Benefactor (\$50)
- Patron (\$100)

VOLUNTEER INTERESTS

- Book Sale
- Library Programs/Special Events
- Ebay Sales
- Courtesy Book centers
- Secondhand Prose Book Store*

*Select your preference

- Early Cashier
- Early Sorter
- Later Cashier
- Later Sorter

*Thank you for your interest in
The Friends of the Quincy Public Library.*

Secondhand Prose, the Friends of the Library bookstore, is open Tuesday 10 am - 7pm and Wednesday through Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm.

Members of Friends of the Library run the day-to-day operations of Secondhand Prose, staffing it, as well as sorting, pricing and shelving material.

Secondhand Prose accepts donations of books, movies and music and is a 501(c)3 (nonprofit) organization.



HELP YOUR LIBRARY GROW.

Join Today.

Please return application and membership fee to
Friends of the Quincy Public Library,
526 Jersey Street, Quincy, IL 62301

-OR-

Drop off inside Secondhand Prose

*Checks may be made payable to
The Friends of the Quincy Public Library.*

For more information, call 217-223-1309, ext. 257

or visit online at
quincylibrary.org/friends

