Friends of the Sterling Heights Public Library

Established in 1976

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Mission Statement: The Friends of the Sterling Heights Public Library, organized in 1976, is a volunteer non-profit group dedicated to enhancing and improving library services for our community. Friends contributions, fund-raising activities, and volunteer efforts support adult and youth programs, maintain and improve collections, and provide new technologies and capital improvements.

Yes, I would like to be a Friend

Make checks payable to: Friends of the Sterling Heights Public Library. As a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization, dues and contributions are tax deductible and also qualify for a Michigan Tax Credit.

Check one:

- ❑ $ 20.00 Family _____ number in family
- ❑ $ 10.00 Individual
- ❑ $100.00 Corporate/Business
- ❑ $300.00 Life

Monthly newsletter by mail:___ or e-mail_____
(address)

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Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please Volunteer

Select your special interests:

- ❑ Bookstore
- ❑ Board Officer
- ❑ Special Projects
- ❑ Children's Programs/ Storytime Volunteer
- ❑ Other _____

Fundraisers and Projects

Adult Summer Reading Club 1992-
Annual Author/Speaker Events 1980-
Beyond Words Photo Contest 1999
Community Reading Program 2002-
55 Alive Driver Refresher Course 1995
Focus Group Facilitator 1995
Friends Bookbags 1980-
Friends Cookbook - *Cooking with the Friends* 2001
Friends Express Books 1998-
Friends Tea 2002-
Gourmet Coffee and Pop Vending Machine 2004-
Great Literature Series 1985-1996
Libraries Change Lives Contest 1993
Movies @ the Library 2003-2006
Murder Mystery Fundraisers 1992, 1993, 1994
National Library Card Sign-up Month 2005-
Newsletter Mailings 1980-
Online Book Club 2002-
Programs, Activities and Summer Reading Club for Children and Young Adults 1980-
Published Book on Local History - *Seven Miles from Home: An Oral History of Sterling Township 1999*
Staff In-Service Training 1996
Sterlingfest Cart 2002-
Super Patron Contest 1981
Tiny Tots Chair Program 2000
25th Anniversary Programs & Contests 1996
Used Book Sales 1980-1999
Used, but Sterling Bookstore 2000-
Walk for Books 1999
Welcome Packets for New Patrons 1995

Fundraisers 1980-2006

Used Book Sales/Store	$609,539
Program Fundraisers	$44,945
Grants/Donations	$55,940
Memberships	$65,020

Furnishings, Equipment & Collections

Art Prints and Artwork
- *Boy and Girl Reading on Bench* Bronze Sculpture 2004
- *C is for Cat* Bronze Sculpture by Ann LaRose 2001
- *In Use* Sculptural Relief by R. Farrington Sharp 1995
- *Journeys* by Douglas Chick and Lisa Berman
- *Two Bears* Sculpture by Marshall M. Fredericks 1981
- World Relief Map by Ken Pellar 2002

Book Bins, Book Carts, and Bookcases
Books on CD, Books on Tape, and CD-ROM Software
Cable Channel Educational Programs
Cassette Players and Digital Camera
Classic DVD Movie Collection
Compact Disc Shelving Units
Computer Station Furniture (Adult and Youth)
Ellison Letter Machine
English as a Second Language Collection
Horizontal Blinds
International Language Collection
Kitchen Supplies, Stove, and Refrigerator
Large Print Bestsellers
Library Card Sleeves
Library Decorations and Plants
Magazine Subscriptions
Magnifiers and Book Holders
Microfilm Reader/Printer
Paperback Classics
Picture Books and Storybooks
Picture Book Display Racks
Puppets and Storytime Props
Reference Books
Shakespeare Video Collection
Shelving Units and End Panels
Storage Cabinets
Storytime Room Furnishings
Study Tables and Chairs
Utica Sentinal on Microfilm 1876-1971
Video Projector and Stand
Work Room Furniture
Young Adult Display Unit
Youth Services Programming Videos