



Newsletter

Friends of the Rohnert Park-Cotati Library
Winter 2020 Edition

Book Sale: February 5th through February 8th

Where: Rohnert Park-Cotati Regional Library →

When: ◆ **Wednesday, February 5th 2020: *Members-Only Event***
Not a member yet? Membership (\$5.00) available at the door 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Student Membership (\$2.00)

◆ **Thursday, February 6th, 2020:**
10:00 am to 5:30 pm

◆ **Friday, February, 7th, 2020:**
10:00 am to 5:30 pm

◆ **All Day Saturday, February 8th, 2020**
10:00 am to 3:00 pm
Half Price for individual books,
OR
Bag of Books for only \$5.00!

Community Room
6250 Lynne Conde Way
Rohnert Park
707-584-9121
www.sonomalibrary.org

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What: **LOTS OF GREAT BOOKS:**
Fiction, Non-Fiction, Mysteries, Sci-Fi
Children's Books, Book Sets
Also: CDs, DVDs, VHS, and Books on Tape

Prices: An amazing **50¢** for small paperbacks,
and **\$1.00** for hardbacks and large
paperbacks (unless otherwise marked)

Donations: Please limit donations to 1-2 bags
from February 2nd through February 5th. (Thank you.)



What's Happening at Friends of the Library?

Dear Friends of the Library

The Board of Directors would like to thank you for your generous support of the Rohnert Park/Cotati Friends of the Library. We are so thankful to have such a dedicated group of members, friends and volunteers. Here are some of the ways you have made a big difference in supporting our library including:

59 dedicated Friends Volunteers worked 5,600 hours as cashiers in the Book Store and during the Book Sale, sorters of donated books, book movers, selecting books to stock the bookstore, and moving books destined for the Book Sale to storage.

400 boxes of books are moved from storage to the conference room in preparation for each of our three book sales. Thank you for bringing your pick-up trucks and strong backs for the big Saturday move in. (We could use more strong backs to help move boxes for each Saturday-morning move-in!)

The average annual amount generated by the Friends efforts is \$50,000, which is used to support book acquisitions, programs, and much more for the Library.

*Our 200 Members
look forward to Members-Only Night
when they get first choice of books from the Book Sale.*

> PLEASE NOTE <

Take a look at your address label on this newsletter. You will find your FOL Expiration Date after your name. If it has expired, please drop by the library to renew your membership or send a \$5.00 check to PO Box 1521, Rohnert Park, CA 94927 (If your label reads "Life," it will never expire!)

ROHNERT PARK/COTATI FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP (please print legibly)

DATE: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> New Member	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal
NAME : _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual - \$5.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Student - \$2.00
ADDRESS: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Family - \$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining - \$10
_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Life - \$100.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Patron - \$25

Your E-Mail Address: _____ Your Phone Number: _____

Give this application & payment to the Bookstore Cashier or mail to: PO Box 1521, Rohnert Park, CA 94927.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

To participate in the Friends of the Library activities, please check those of interest below:

Committed Weekly Schedule:	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Bookstore Cashier	<input type="checkbox"/> Process book donations
Volunteer when you are available :	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer at book sales	<input type="checkbox"/> General Support

Come Visit Our Book Store!



Lots of brand new, and nearly new books,
including hardbacks and paperbacks.

A good children's section.

Lots of history books and classics galore.

A great collection of Art and Photography books.

You need it -- we have it , and the Price is Right.

Open Tuesday through Saturday every week!!

You'll be sure of a welcome!

Want to become a Friend of the Library?

It's a great bargain for only \$5.00 per year
(\$2.00 for students).

Remember: All funds raised by the Book Store
go to support our Library's collections, materials,
and programs.

Stop in the **Bookstore**
for a **Membership Application**.

(see page 2).

In Memoriam



FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Board of Directors:

President: Pam Novelly

Vice President: Sara Dawn Shafer

Secretary: Mary Jane Beccaria

Treasurer: Janis Brokaw

Volunteer Coordinator: Olwen Peterson

Board Members:

Fred Albrecht

Mary Condon

Dawn Dewell

Joyce Harr

Joan Schmutz

Toney Sweeney

Anneliese Eggert retired from the Sonoma Co. Water Dept. and started to volunteer with Friends of the Library (FOL) in the late 1990's, working in the Back Room processing books. Her husband Walter worked in the Book Store.

She was President of the FOL from 1998 to 2012.

She created lovely "Thank you" notes to volunteers who worked at the Book Sales. After she became ill and could no longer work at the Library, she still worked at home managing the Volunteer lists.

She passed away October 26, 2019.

She is very much missed by her friends .

Friends' Volunteer Opportunities

We are scheduling volunteers for the February Book Sale---New Volunteers are Welcome! Call or come by the Friends Bookstore or Back Room for information on signing up for a work shift at the Book Sale .

(phone number 707-584-9121 Ext. 0940)

We also need another volunteer with a pickup truck/SUV to help transport books from Rohnert Park-Cotati library to a nearby storage unit. The schedule is flexible, at your convenience - usually takes about 45 minutes about every two weeks. Call Toney Sweeney for details at 702-290-1971, or leave your information at the Friends' Book Store.





2020 Sale!



Book Sale Update

February 5th thru February 8th

February 5th from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm...A Members-Only Event

MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR!

Join the Friends of the Library to take part in this event!
Annual membership is only \$5.00, or \$2.00 for students.

Thursday February 6th from 10:00 am to 5:30 pm

Friday February 7th from 10:00 am to 5:30 pm

Saturday February 8th from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Now is the time to pick up those special books you've been looking for at rock-bottom prices!

Money raised from our book sale in October 2019 totaled \$4,114.15,

Plus new renewing memberships \$204.00.

We hope to top those numbers in February 2020!

ALL FUNDS RAISED BY FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY BOOK SALES GO TO

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