

Friends of the Commerce Township Library

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Message from the President

At the June meeting of the Commerce Township Board of Trustees, the Friends were presented with a Resolution recognizing the Friends “for their 17 years of outstanding community service and contributions”. It was an honor to accept this recog-

nition on behalf of all of our members, past and present, who have volunteered their time and efforts to support our wonderful Library.

If you want to see it, the framed Resolution will be displayed in the lobby.

-Pat Hillebrand

USED BOOK SALE

The Friends have cancelled our Fall Used Book Sale. Our supply of donations is very low and is a small percentage of what we need to have a successful used book sale. The next sale is scheduled for April 2024.

If you participated in the Summer Reading Program and received a Book Sale Coupon for 1 Free Book, we are making arrangements to honor those coupons. Follow us or the Library on Facebook for further details.

DONATIONS

We receive many calls asking if we are taking donations. Except for a few weeks during the book sales (or if our storage room is full!), we are always taking donations of books, CD's, DVD's, and games. We also take magazines, such as crafts, cooking, and hobbies, as well as record albums.

All items should be in good condition. Damaged items should be disposed of, not donated. Games should have all parts in the box.

We truly appreciate all who donate, for without you we couldn't have a book sale.

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Barb, the Book Bike

Thanks to a very generous donation, the Library now has a Book Bike. The bike will make scheduled appearances at Scarlet's Park during the summer and is full of children's books that can be checked out at the park.

The bike has a storage compartment between the back wheels, and shelves in the upper compartment that closes for the ride to and from the park. It also includes a very colorful umbrella and the colors on the bike reflect the official blue of the Library.

The Book Bike is currently on display in the lobby of the Library.



The Great Puzzle Give-Away!

Last May we received the biggest donation of puzzles! We couldn't store them all and we were quite puzzled. Alyson Lobert, our Library Director, had a great solution and thus we held The Great Puzzle Give-Away.

We put several tables in the vestibule and piled them with all kind of puzzles. Signs were posted that they were free, and a notice was posted on the Library's Facebook page. The GPGA lasted about 10 days, and 100's of puzzles were taken away by very happy patrons.

