



Who are the Friends of the Library?

The Brookfield Friends of the Library are members of the community who love our Library.

What do they do?

Our mission is simple: to help the Library prosper and grow. We raise funds through membership dues, the Book Nook and our Book Sales. All of the money we raise goes to the Library, and here are two recent examples:

- We have helped fund the new magazine racks in the adult services area, which showcase the Library's magazine collection
- We have funded new shelving carts for the Library

When are the meetings?

The Friends meet at the library on the second Wednesday of the month at 7 pm. All meetings are open to both Friends and the public at large. Our 2006-2007 meeting schedule is:

- 2006 – September 13, October 11, November 8 and December 13
- 2007 – January 10, February 14, March 14, April 11, May 9, June 13, July 11 and August 8

What's new with the Friends?

In 2006, the Brookfield FOL joined the nationwide support organization Friends of the Library USA to benefit from ideas and resources of other FOL groups across the country. The Friends also have a new email address; contact us at friends@brookfield.lib.il.us. Additionally the FOL will be hosting the Taste of Brookfield @ your library on September 16, 2006.

Who can join?

If you enjoy – and appreciate – your Public Library, you're already one of us: a friend of the Library. And now is a good time to make it official: become a Friend with a capital F and join The Friends of the Brookfield Public Library.

Yes! I want to join the Brookfield Friends of the Library!

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____

e-mail** _____ Phone _____

Membership Type – renewed annually (make checks payable to the Friends of the Library)

Individual \$5 Family \$10 Senior \$2 Youth (under 18) \$2 Corporate \$50

Please complete this form and turn it in with your dues at the Circulation Desk or mail to:

Brookfield Friends of the Library
3609 Grand Blvd.
Brookfield, IL 60513

**We use email to send out meeting minutes, meeting reminders and agendas, as well as special notices regarding our events. We average 2 emails a month and we never distribute your email to any other source. By using email, we save on paper and postage.