

Are You a Grant Writer Who Can Grant the Friends' Wish?

The Friends of the Oceanside Public Library are in search of a professional grant writer whose skillset matches their desire to give back to our community, and who can commit on an ongoing basis to volunteering their expertise to finding and securing funding opportunities.

You would interact with the Friends' Board to clarify the Library's financial needs; research grant opportunities from government and non-government agencies; and manage the grant writing, Board review, and submission/follow-up process.



If you believe you can grant the Friends' wish, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Cheri Noel at (760) 435-5564.

Thank You for Decluttering – and Helping the Friends Support Oceanside Public Library!

The Friends are grateful to everyone who participated in our June 17 *Bring Your Books Day!*

Reminder:

All year round, the Friends welcome your donations of gently used books, DVDs and CDs (opened and unopened), magazines and puzzles.

For donation locations and other information please visit the "Bookstores" page at oplfriends.org or [click here](#).



At the end of *Bring Your Books Day!* our sort room manager, Blake Kern, had her work cut out for her.

The Friends of the Oceanside Public Library Invite You to Repurpose Your Gently Used Purses and Backpacks to Help Support Oceanside Public Library

Your donations will be sold at our *Purses For a Purpose* fundraiser on October 21, generating support that helps the Library purchase books and other print and digital media; provide programs and events for all ages; offer technology resources such as 3D printing; and enhance outreach efforts through bookmobiles, Mini-libraries and home deliveries.



Please bring your donations by Saturday, October 7 to the following Oceanside locations:

Civic Center Library Lobby, 330 N. Coast Highway
Mission Branch Library Lobby, 3861-B Mission Avenue
John Landes Community Center Library Lobby,
2855 Cedar Road
Jane & Evie's Used Books, 323 N. Coast Highway

Save the Date!

Purses For a Purpose Sale

When: Saturday, October 21, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Where: Civic Center Library Community Rooms

For the Friends' bookstores hours and other information visit oplfriends.org/bookstores. Donations are tax deductible.

Library Mascot SPLASH Makes a Splash in His New Costume at the 27th Annual Independence Parade!

The Friends joined Oceanside Public Library staff, parents and kids at the parade on June 24, and SPLASH debuted his new costume!

Your membership in the Friends helped provide funding for the costume, and helps ensure our Library remains a source of education, entertainment and enrichment. Thank you!

