

Friend-ly News

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From Assisting...to Setting Up...to Celebrating: Friends Volunteers Have Fun Doing All This and More!







Oceanside Public Library celebrated and thanked volunteers at a party in January.

Volunteer Mijana (left) helps a customer at the Civic Center Bookstore.

Left to right: Friends volunteers Craig Tedman, Hilarie Schmalz and Curt Still.

Friends volunteers have fun bringing people and books together at their bookstores; planning, setting up and staffing the Friends' special events and fundraisers; assisting with outreach and other publicity efforts including social media and website maintenance; and participating in other activities that help Oceanside Public Library continue to provide vital resources and services to our community.

Join the fun! If you'd like to learn more about volunteering, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Cheri Noel at (760) 435-5564, or email her at <u>CNoel.@oceansideca.org</u>.

Meet Jane & Evie's Used Books Opportunity Drawing Winners!

Jane & Evie's December Opportunity Drawing winners were Anna and her mom Evie – pictured left and center – with store manager Maggie Mula, who reminds us that *everyone* at Jane & Evie's is a winner!

That's because you'll find great bargains on gently used books, along with DVDs, CDs, puzzles, and a rotating inventory of other items including framed artwork.

The Friends bookstores offer both in-person and online shopping at five locations; for store hours and other information visit the "Bookstores" page at oplfriends.org, or <u>click here</u>.



Our Donors Love Oceanside Public Library and We Love Our Donors

'Tis the season of love, and Friends often show their love for our Library in a variety of ways: book donations, cash donations, and memorial/honorarium gifts. All these gifts help the Friends support the Library's purchase of books and other materials, and so much

more. If you'd like to donate to the Friends, please click "Join/ Donate" or "Bookstores" at oplfriends.org or <u>click here</u>.



Reminder Re:



Every month the Friends' in-person bookstore locations offer a special selection of items at reduced prices, available while inventory lasts – from comic books to cookbooks and more!

Visit <u>oplfriends.org</u> for bookstore hours and other information.

Thank you!