

Boulder City Friends of the Library (BCFOTL):

April 2024 - NEWSLETTER

Greetings Friends.....We are still catching our breath from the many March activities that we were a part of.....The Wine Walk was hopping and we had many revelers checking out our “Hidden Treasure” in the Boulder Dam Hotel Lobby. While we were there we also were able to admire our “Little Donation Library”, which is monitored and supplied with books by Pat on a regular basis. She, along with Barb, our BC Company Store volunteer, keep these locations in great shape, and the constant revenue is quite the blessing. We appreciate their time and effort with this Project!!! Maria was our representative at “Rock, Roll, and Stroll” and in spite of the relocation due to weather, a good time was had by ALL!!!

We held a Membership Meeting on March 21st in the Library Basement. The “Basic Book Valuing” class sent us all home to check our shelves for “Treasures”. We finished the month out with Carolyn and Carol frolicking with the goats in the wind at “Flow Fest. We then turned our attention to hauling in books, at the City-Wide “BIG CLEAN”, with the Library Staff.

Update: The progress on the flooring, in the Library, is moving right along and it is looking SO NICE!!!

APRIL EVENTS

April 5, 6,& 7 brings our “BIG BOOK SALE” into the forefront. The entire sale will take place in the Library Basement, accessible through the basement doors ONLY. We have 1000’s of BOOKS, “ Hidden Treasures”, and a very special Saturday Event with the “Young Entrepreneurs” Craft Sale from 11-3. Ruben and Dixie, from Ruben’s Wood Craft and Toys, have helped these young people grow and flourish!!! Please tell everyone you know to stop by and support BCFOTL at this AMAZING “ BASEMENT BOOK SALE and BAZAAR”!!!

Our last Wine Walk of the season will be on April 13 from 4-8 and we will be there with our "Hidden Treasures". Come and see us at the Boulder Dam Hotel Lobby and peruse our collection of "Donated Books of Value."

Join us, on Saturday April 20th at 7:30, in the Library Amphitheater for "Trolls Band Together"

BCFOTL will be there with our wagon of free books and concession items available for a donation.

The 1st Annual:

"Heart & Hand"

Community Volunteer

Recruitment Fair

Will be held on April 20th from 9-11am at the BC Rec Center.

The WAGON of free books will also make an appearance, at the Southern Nevada Railway, for the Story Time Train, earlier that same day, April 20 at 10, 12 and 2.

Last but not least we have scheduled a Quarterly Meeting for ALL MEMBERS on Tuesday April 23 1:30-3:00pm. Our "Meeting Activity" will be "Stuffing Goodie Bags" in preparation for the Summer Reading Program. Donations for this Library Program are being accepted and Toys, Cash, Gift Cards etc. would be appreciated.

Volunteer of the Month

This was an easy choice....

The BCFOTL "Sorting Crew" under the guidance of Laura includes Michael, Sean, Yvonne, Pollie and Turk. They work diligently 2-3 Days a Week, sorting and placing books in the appropriate genre. Their tremendous dedication, effort and time is impossible to measure. This "Crew" creates the platform on which this organization stands!!!

They allow us to put this tremendous asset (our books) to work, generating the majority of our yearly funds. This affords us the opportunity to purchase equipment, fund programs, provide entertainment and support our TWYN (Take What You Need) Program. It also gives us the pleasure of fulfilling the Library Staff's Wish List, items that are sure to put a smile on the faces of patrons young and old.

Thanks and gratitude are not enough for this hardworking and dedicated group but know that your efforts are seen and very, very appreciated.

You ALL epitomize the definition of a
VOLUNTEER— Passionate, Reliable, Team Players,
Patient, Creative, Energetic, Positive, and Organized.. You are ALL an asset
to our organization.

Thank You for Volunteering!!!

SEE YOU ALL
AT THE
BOOK SALE
AND BAZAAR!!!