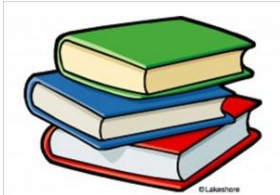


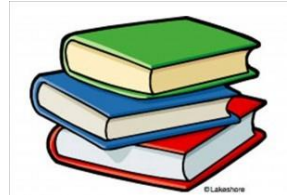
Newsletter

A Bi-monthly Newsletter

May – June 2022



BIG BOOK SALE COMING JUNE 10-11



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Hi PFOL members,

Spring has brought an opening up at our libraries. Library hours have been extended, and we now have 7 day service at Sharp Park Library. Masks are no longer required, however, since the libraries are a youth setting they are STRONGLY recommended, regardless of vaccine status. We are cautiously optimistic about the current COVID swell.

Along with expanded hours, programming has also been expanded. This includes adult programs as well as those for children. The success of the recent live jazz program has given impetus to planning for a fall music series. The staff is busy gearing up for the Summer Reading program with outreach to all schools in Pacifica.

Partnerships have also been expanded. One new partnership is with the California State Parks system. Each Pacifica library has a backpack loaded with hiking guides and other information and a free pass to any State Park. The backpacks can be checked out for three weeks. Get out there and enjoy the beauty of California!

Another partnership is with local school districts. The San Mateo County Libraries have launched Empower

Cards, a new library card for every student designed to simplify and expand student access to library resources. Empower Cards combine the resources of the Redwood City Public Library and San Mateo Co. Libraries to seamlessly connect students of all ages to powerful learning tools including on-line tutoring, on-line test preparation, research journals, eMagazines, as well as read-along digital storybooks to support young readers. Pacifica School District as well as Jefferson High School are participating in this program.

The PFOL is planning to have our regular bi-annual book sale on June 10-11 (set up on June 9). We will need volunteers to set up, staff, and take down the sale. Please help if you are able. We hope to see you all there to snag book bargains that support the Friends of the Library. See the accompanying article for more information.

It is a happy task to spread the word about expanded library services. Fingers crossed for this trend to continue.

Carl Schwab & Joan Putz

Co-presidents of the Pacifica Friends of the Library



Big Book Sale Coming 6/10 – 11

We are happy to announce that we are resuming our regular bi-annual schedule of book sales with a big sale on **Friday June 10 (10am – 5pm) and Saturday June 11 (10am – 4pm)**. We are excited to offer all new inventory at our same bargain prices of \$1 for hard back, \$.50 for paperback adult books and \$.25 for children's books. Our shelves are brimming with every type of book, fiction and non-fiction. You can find books suitable for Fathers' Day gifts or a treasure for yourself. We recommend wearing a mask while shopping for your safety and consideration of others.

We will also have an auction of some unusual items including a beautiful artist's set and a leatherbound Bible. At 3 o'clock on Saturday we will have a bag sale for \$2 a bag.

Our book sales are our main fund raiser, and require a lot of help to set up, staff, and clean up. Our set up day is **Thursday June 9 at 9 o'clock**, and we need some strong people (high school

and college students welcome) to help get the books on to the tables and more helpers at 10:30 to display and arrange them. During the sale, we need cashiers and circulating people to straighten and replenish the books. And of course, the important clean-up needs some willing hands. Joan will be emailing and phoning to request your help.

The donation box will be closed June 1 to allow us to get ready for the sale. Please do not bring more than one bag to the box. Due to the lack of storage space, we cannot accept any large donations until after the sale. Future appointments for donations may be made at pfol94044@gmail.com. Our book nook workers have been hard at work since February sorting all the generous donations so they will be ready for you. See you at the community room!

Sleepover at the Library



Recently the children’s librarian, Rachel Evans, and staff put on a program for children that had the children bring in their favorite stuffed animal for a sleepover at the library. They were happy to share the library with their favorite toy. The stuffies were dispersed around the library and tucked in for the night. Each child got a little book about it showing where their friends were when they came back to reclaim them. A good time was had by all

Events

- May 4 Taking Time to Meditate on-line 11am – 12:30pm. Meditation workshop Register at smcl.org events.
- May 5 (19th, June 2, June 16 Gentle Chair Yoga on-line 11:30-12:30 Gentle vinyasa yoga inspired class for all levels. Registration required at smcl.org events
- May 8 Happy Mothers Day!
- May 11 Meditation workshop in person at Sharp Park Library. 6pm – 7pm Registration required
- June 10-11 Book Sale Community Room Sharp Park Library
- June 19 Happy Fathers Day!

Congratulations to all Graduates

Please be a Friend of the Library. Mail a completed form to >>> PFOL, PO Box 1806, Pacifica, CA 94044

Please note the address change.

Membership Application / Donation Form

Name _____ Date _____

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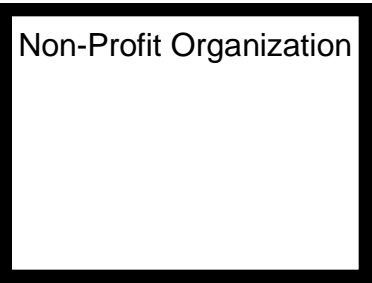
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Categories of membership:

\$10 Individual _____ \$15 Family _____ \$25 Patron _____

\$50 Sponsor _____ \$100 Benefactor _____ Other _____

Dues and donations are tax deductible.



To A Friend of the Library,
 Thank you!
 Your renewal date is _____
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 Or Current Resident