

FRIENDS OF THE HUNTINGTON BEACH LIBRARY

The latest news, events and announcements from the FOTL



FOTL presents the Huntington Beach Public Library with a check for \$250,000.

Photo by Ray Rydell

GRATEFUL GIVING

By Carol Daus

The Friends of the Huntington Beach Public Library recently presented its annual donation of \$250,000 to the Huntington Beach Public Library.

Thanks to the hard work and dedication of Friends volunteers, members, and library patrons, FOTL raises funds through its community events and fundraisers, membership, donations, the Used Book Store, and the Friends Gift Shop.

At a time when cities are strapped for funds, it's important to note the FOTL provides Huntington Beach with over a million dollars in savings each year through volunteer hours. Friends' roughly 60,000 volunteer hours is equivalent to about 30 full-time employees.

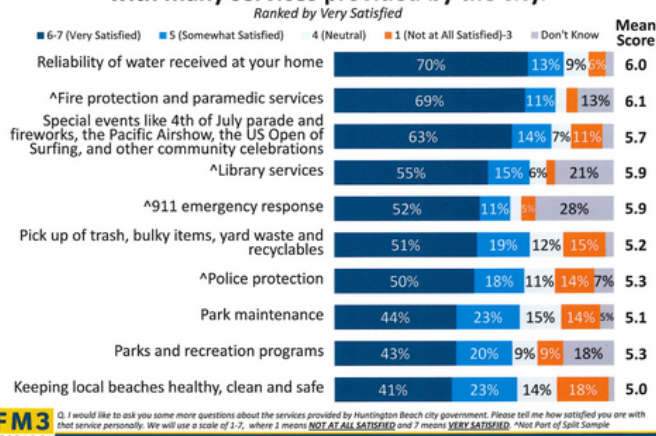
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LIBRARY SCORES BIG

Residents give HBPL strong marks!

Huntington Beach residents are also largely satisfied with many services provided by the city.



A survey conducted in May 2023 of over 500 Huntington Beach residents reveals that the city's Library Services ranked among the highest city services in terms of overall user satisfaction. 70% of the residents surveyed claim they are "satisfied or very satisfied" with the Huntington Beach Public Library system.

The four municipal categories that garnered top rankings were: reliability of water received at your home, fire protection and paramedic services, special events (4th of July parade and fireworks, Pacific Airshow, US Open of Surfing), and other community celebrations.

The study was managed by FM3 Research, a California-based company that has been conducting public policy-oriented opinion research since 1981. View full survey results [here](#).

HBPL's Storytime Wins 1st Place for Consecutive Year

For the second year in a row, Huntington Beach Public Library was honored for having the best Storytime in Orange County by parentingOC Magazine. Winners are selected by readers of the popular magazine for Orange County families. The award winners were published in the September issue of the magazine.



A special award ceremony was held on Sept. 12 at Central Library honoring all the storytellers involved with the award-winning Storytime program.

The Central Library's Storytime is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 and 11am (Toddlers-Tuesdays; Preschoolers-Thursday) in Tabby Theater.

HALLOWEEN AT CENTRAL LIBRARY

Creepy Campfire Tales and Treats

Tuesday October 17th from 6:30-8:30pm

As the chill creeps in, it's time to celebrate spooky season. Adults and teens ages 14+ are invited to join us around the "campfire" to share their favorite creepy campfire tales and enjoy s'mores in a mug, hot cocoa and tea. Please bring a camp chair for sitting around our "fire," and a mug. Bring a cozy blanket if you like and come enjoy the spooky vibes with us. This program is for teens ages 14+ and adults. Come for the s'mores, stay for the spooky. Registration is recommended, please register everyone who will be coming with you. <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11288120>



Pumpkin Painting Party

Tuesday October 24th from 6:30-8pm



Get in the spooky season mood with a Pumpkin Painting night. Bring your own pumpkin, we will provide painting and decorating supplies and spooky ambiance. We will have limited supplies of mini foam pumpkins to paint if you are unable to bring your own pumpkin. This program is meant for adults ages 18+. Registration is required. Visit <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11236777> to register. This event will be at the Central Library in the Talbert Room.

Library Trick-or-Treat Night

Thursday, October 26 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Put on your costume and zombie shuffle over to the Central Library for a not-so-spooky Halloween trick-or-treat evening!

Trick-or-treat stations will be set up throughout the main floor of the library for families to visit in a safe, fun Halloween experience. We may even have special guests helping hand out goodies, like our friends from the Police and Fire Departments! Library Trick-or-Treat Night is open to the public and registration is not required.

Library Trick-or-Treat Night is best suited to children ages birth-12 and their family. Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult at all times. Treats available while supplies last.



Friendsgiving

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14
6:30PM - 8:30PM

Join us for a special night of Friendsgiving! Bring a dish to share at our potluck, participate in our cookie and cupcake decorating contest (some supplies will be provided, but you may bring any extra toppings, frostings, and decorations you choose), make friends, and enjoy the holiday together! (This event is for adults 18 and over only.) Central Library Room C/D <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11119504>

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

Kitty Rozenstraten

BY RAY RYDELL



Imagine the Dutch East Indies prior to World War II. A Dutch soldier, glad to escape the bullets flying in Europe, had found the girl of his dreams. She is Indonesian but not the barefoot, grass skirt-clad maiden on the beach. The girl is intelligent, as educated as he is and more appealing than girls he had dated

back home (not that he had a lot of experience). He knew she was the one. They married and in 1941 were blessed with a healthy little girl.

But paradise was about to be shattered. In 1942 the Japanese invaded the Dutch East Indies and would occupy it until 1947. The Dutch soldier would soon be captured and spend the rest of the war in a POW camp in Burma. The first five years of the little girl's life were uneventful, nothing much to remember even though the rest of the world was embroiled in World War II.

When she was 7, she met her father for the first time. He only stayed for a short time because he felt a compulsion to return home to see what had happened to his family and homeland. Both parents had gained a great deal of maturity and agreed that a divorce was probably the best course for all. So just when she gained a father, the little lost him.

In the meantime, the Dutch East Indies was evolving from a European Colony to an Independent nation to be known as Indonesia. It was not the best of times, there were warring factions roaming the interior and clashing with the temporary government. In the city where the single mother and her little girl were living, they were aware of the unrest but not personally attacked.

By 1951, conditions had grown worse, and her mother decided that her little girl would be safer and have more opportunity if she were with her father. Her mother booked a passage for the little girl on a passenger ship sailing from Surabaya to Rotterdam. She could not accompany her little girl, so she asked a friend who was sailing on the ship to help if needed. Her cabin was shared with 3 women, who guided her to the dining room and familiarized her with the ship.

For 30 days, the ship plodded through multiple seas and finally docked in Rotterdam where her father was waiting with open arms. That was Kitty's first ten years!

Once established in Holland, she finished high school and went on to college to become a teacher. By this time, she had acquired a total of 5 languages. She eventually met a man who captured her heart. His only fault was his obsession with emigrating to the U.S., but they married and 2 years later they're on their way to Costa Mesa, with a one-year-old. They had two more children, and after feeling bored, Kitty became a teacher in a Westminster Catholic school for 20 years. In 1984, she obtained a bachelor's degree in Comparative Literature from Long Beach State. Since the courses were so enjoyable, she ended up securing a Master's in French, as well as proficiency in Spanish while employed as a teaching assistant.

Now with a credential she could go for a better paying job in the Long Beach Unified School District. She wound up teaching French for 19 years at Lakewood High School.

In 2009, she became bored with teaching and started looking for new challenges. She plunged into active retirement, signing up for Masters Gardeners, a couple of book clubs, the Assistance League of Huntington Beach, and Huntington Beach Friends of the Library. She was welcomed into the Gift Shop and still holds court there every Wednesday afternoon.

She has three children: Michael, who was born in Holland; John and Wendy, both born in Orange County. Each of the three have provided one grandchild for Kitty to spoil. She has kept her end of the bargain, taking each on adventures. The youngest traveled with Kitty to France and the Netherlands just last year.

Kitty started out with the adventure of a lifetime and proceeded to embellish that with a dedication to teaching. She still has a lot of life left and is considering learning Chinese. Who knows what may happen if she gets bored again!

MEMBERS ONLY USED BOOKS SALE

Save the Date

November 17

USED BOOKS STORE HOURS

Monday	1pm - 7pm	Friday & Saturday	10am - 4pm
Tuesday - Thursday	10am - 7pm	Sunday	12pm - 4pm



National Friends of the Library Week

October 15-21

Our Friends volunteers look forward to celebrating our hard-working and dedicated librarians, along with their support staff, during the annual National Friends of the Library Week. Huntington Beach is fortunate to have a world-class, award-winning library system, and much of this is due to the talents and professional commitment of the librarians, support staff, volunteers, and patrons that comprise HBPL.

AUTHOR TALKS

The auditorium of Central Library was jam-packed on July 16 as a sellout crowd listened to bestselling author Lisa See describe her writing process and her love for books. See is a huge fan of HBPL and has participated in several prior FOTL Author Talks in recent years. Her most recent book is *Lady Tan's Circle of Women*.



Lisa See, (left) signs a book for FOTL member Judy Aoki.



FOTL President Martha Elliott, Sarah James, Jennifer Coburn, and FOTL Past President Dina Chavez

The September author luncheon on Sept. 21 featured Jennifer Coburn, author of *Cradles of the Reich*, and Sarah James, author of *Atomic City Girls* and *The Woman with Two Shadows*. Both are historical fiction writers.

FUNDRAISING EVENTS



During the city's recent Civil War Days event at Central Park, FOTL volunteers from Used Books raised over \$1,030 in sales of used history books. Becky Roepke spearheaded the event with help from: Tammi Reid, Tom Blanchard, Ron Grace, Gary Long, Michelle & Wally Medal, Sheila Plotkin, Chris Turner, Peter Do, Terri O' Connor, Von Nguyen, Sheraz Anwar, Cristine Arman, Valerie DeMartino, Isha Few, Kennedy Wall, Brenda Baldwin, and Marcy Long.



In late June, local restaurant and bar, Matter of Craft, reached out to FOTL to hold a fundraiser. It turned out to be the most successful fundraiser they ever conducted with a local charity. Over \$600 was raised for Huntington Beach Library. Pictured here (from left): Erin Pilkington (owner), Dina Chavez, Martha Elliott, and Jim Pilkington (owner).

AROUND THE LIBRARY



IN-N-OUT Reading Challenge

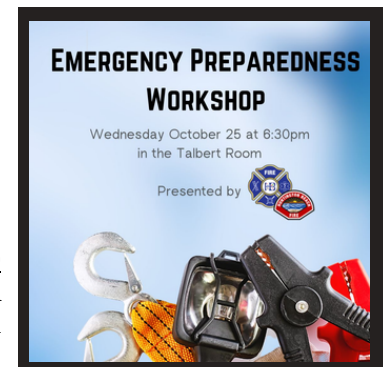
OCTOBER 7 - NOVEMBER 18

Children ages 4 to 12 can earn up to 3 free burgers from In-N-Out! Sign up online at <https://hbpl.beanstack.com/reader365> or in person at any HBPL location to participate. Questions? Ask a library staff member for more information!

Emergency Preparedness Workshop

Central Library, Talbert Room
Wednesday, Oct 25 at 6:30 pm

Join us for a presentation on Emergency Preparedness with HBFD. Registration is recommended. Visit <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11236780> to register. This event will be at the Central Library in the Talbert Room. A bilingual version of this program will be held at the Oak View Library on October 16th at 6pm.



Digital Resource Hour

Wednesday, October 18 -Banning Branch
9:30 - 10:30AM



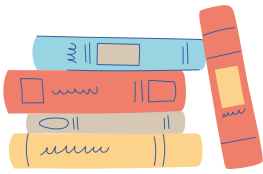
Curious about our digital audio and eBook offerings? Bring your device along with your library card and any device passwords to our Banning Branch Digital Resource Hour. We'll answer your questions and help set you up with access to some of our digital resource apps like Palace Project, Hoopla, or Cloud Library. Please only bring a tablet, smartphone, or eReader. Registration recommended. Visit <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11265776> to register.

DIY: Adding Pockets to Clothes

Wednesday, November 1
6:30PM - 7:30PM

Ever buy a piece of clothing only to discover it has no pockets? Now you can add them yourself! We'll teach you a simple, permanent, no-sew method on how to add pockets to dresses, skirts, or anything you want to modify. Bring a piece of clothing you're willing to cut into, and we'll provide the rest. Registration is required. Visit <https://hbpl.libcal.com/event/11121147> to register. This event will be at the Central Library in the Talbert Room.





BOOK CLUBS & MORE

Central Library Book Club

Tuesday, Oct. 3rd
Tuesday, Nov. 7th
Tuesday, Dec. 5th

This first Tuesday of the month evening book club alternates monthly between online and in-person meetings. Registration is required for both the in-person and online Zoom meetings.

Banning Book Club

Thursday, Oct. 26th
Thursday, Nov. 28th

Banning Book Club meets the last Thursday of every month. It starts at 5:30PM. October's title is *Other Birds* by Sarah Addison Allen. November's title is *Our Missing Hearts* by Celeste Ng.

Silent Book Club

Now at Central and Main Street

If you enjoy reading with other book lovers and chatting about your current and favorite reads, join us the first Friday of each month. We'll be meeting in the afternoon from 2:00pm to 3:30pm in the Talbert Room. Walk-ins welcome.

Central Library: Friday October 6th, Friday November 3rd, and Friday December 1st from 2-3:30pm in the Talbert Room

Main Street Library: Friday October 20th, Friday November 17th, and Friday December 15th from 2-3:30pm

Main Street Book Club

Thursday, Oct. 19th
Thursday, Nov. 16

The Main Street Book Club meets at noon on the third Thursday of the month. Bring your lunch (or not), but be prepared to discuss *The Bean Trees* by Barbara Kingsolver in October and *Killers of the Flower Moon* by David Grann in November.

To register for Book Clubs:

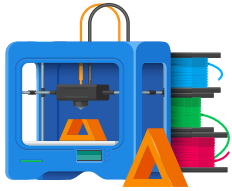
<https://hbpl.libguides.com/adults/bookclubs>

The Hills are Alive!

Special Offer for FOTL Members

Are you in the mood for a live performance of the beloved Rodgers and Hammerstein classic, *The Sound of Music*? Then here's a perk for FOTL members you don't want to miss. Musical Theater West is presenting this feel-good musical, starting on Oct. 20. The theater is based at Carpenter Center, located on the Long Beach State campus. Don't forget to use the PROMOCODE FOLHB23 for the discount. The promotion is limited to section B1 and higher. To purchase tickets at a 15% discount, visit www.musical.org, or call (562) 856-1999, ext 233.





MAKERSPACE: Central Library's Creative Space

By Ray Rydell



Ron Krasnitz (left) and ShaRon Sachse (right) compare spectacles for fit and color on ShaRon's gnomes. The spectacles are a product of the Makerspace 3-D printer

Do you need a 3-D contour of the surface of Mars? How about spectacles for a gnome? Maybe you want a copy of a hand-carved Bohemian plaque, or an embroidered name surrounded by flowers? You could make your wedding memorable with with unique invitations. If you aspire to create anything like these examples, then the man to see is Ron Krasnitz and the Makerspace is the place to be.

A makerspace is a collaborative workplace where people come together to create, learn, and tinker with various tools and materials. Our makerspace is equipped with 3D printers, laser cutters, electronics, and woodworking tools, which allow makers to bring their ideas to life. It is located downstairs behind the snack bar.

There are three-D printers in Makerspace. They have been used to duplicate a tool that will be used on Mars to collect surface samples looking for signs of life. They can also replicate small figures using a scanner (not too precise) or you may select from free 3-D images on-line.

The Glowforge Laser engraver is a multi-purpose machine that can cut and/or engrave on a variety of elements such as wood, plastic, and some metals. One patron brought in a picture of a Yosemite waterfall and engraved it on solid wood with plans to coat it with a clear finish and frame it.

There are a variety of sewing machines, including a heavy-duty machine that will sew leather or heavy fabric. Others will embroider from computer patterns or from forms created on the computer.

One young couple has selected the Cricut machine to produce a unique wedding invitation envelope.

The CNC Router was used to assist Fred Calef, a JPL geologist, to reproduce a 3-D portion of Mars landscape from an on-line 3-D image.

How much does it cost and how can you take advantage of the experience? There is no cost for the use of the machines and there are materials available at no cost if they suit your purpose, or bring your own media. There are volunteer coaches available at each machine site to guide you at each step. Makerspace is open three days a week: Saturday, 10-2; Tuesday, 2-6, and Thursday, 2-6. The only requirement is a library card for anyone 14 years or older. There are special days set aside as family days when younger family members are welcome.

Budget for Makerspace is very limited but contributions have helped to expand the capabilities and keep up with current technology. The machines presently available are limited in size for finished products and not designed for commercial use. To really comprehend the value, an appointment for a tour is recommended and can be acquired by email at: <https://hbpl.libguides.com/makerspace/home>.

One of the patrons wanted to be sure that local merchants were assured that merchandise is purchased for use at Makerspace from Michaels, Joanne Fabric, Hobby Lobby, and other craft stores.

Cicero said: "If you have a garden and a library, you have everything you need." Ron Krasnitz would amend that quote to: "If you have a library, garden, and a makerspace, you have everything you need."

Donations to the Makerspace can be made through the Friends website at www.fotlhb.com/donate

Our Used Books Store Needs Your Help!

Join our team of Used Books Volunteers and help sort & stock used book donations.

Some heavy lifting required, flexible hours, weekday mornings. Good source of exercise, make new friends and support the HBPL!

Email: Volunteer@fotlhb.com



HBPL Summer Reading Recap



A Colossal Success!

The Huntington Beach Public Library's Summer Reading Program brought more than 19,000 community members together for the library's largest annual celebration of reading, which took place from June 24 through August 20.

During the program, more than 3,600 readers took on a 7-week reading challenge, tracking the time they spent reading or the number of books read. Youth readers tallied up a combined 872,916 minutes of reading, and adult readers reported 2,390 books read. More than 16,000 residents enjoyed library events and programs during the same span of time, which included over 200 events across the library's five branches! Program offerings included tiny art nights, ice cream tastings, storytimes, book clubs of all shapes and sizes, and even an afternoon tea workshop.

The library saw an increase in reading challenge participation of 46% over numbers from 2022, with the largest growth in adult participation-up over 120%. Program and event attendance increased by over 130% across all age categories.

HBPL partnered with local business owners and nonprofits to make this event series possible. Sponsors and partners contributed to the program both financially and through the donation of goods and services. Special sponsorship shoutouts go to local tea and coffee hot spot 7 Leaves Café, which offered a free beverage to every person who registered for the reading challenge; and our local Wing Stop locations, which donated free wing coupons for youth participants. Thanks to the FOTL's Used Book team for all their help. Each year, they donate free book coupons to use as completion prizes for participants. Their work helps students build their own home libraries and their reading skills. Finally, thanks to the Friends of the Children's Library of Huntington Beach, which contributes both valuable resources and volunteer time to make this program happen each year.

Holiday Shopping At the Friends Gift Shop

Have you visited the Friends Gift Shop lately? The holidays are coming! If you're looking for spooky Halloween decorations or the perfect holiday gift, we have many unique items – especially jewelry, purses, and home décor, plus a variety of toys, puppets and stocking stuffers for all ages.

You can always check out our website for ideas: fotlhb.com/friends-gift-shop. If you have not been by lately, we invite you back!

100% volunteer operated, all proceeds go to support the library. FOTL and FOTCL members receive a 10% discount on all regularly priced items.

Are you looking for a new and exciting volunteer opportunity? The Gift Shop is looking for volunteers! If you are interested in joining our team, please stop by. Our staff will be happy to answer any questions and have you fill out an application.

FRIENDS GIFT SHOP HOURS

Monday	1:30pm - 4:30pm
Tuesday - Saturday	10:30am - 4:30pm
Sunday	12:30pm - 4:30pm

MESSAGE FROM FOTL PRESIDENT MARTHA ELLIOTT

Welcome to the Fall Friends of the Library activities. As a lover of libraries since I was old enough to read, I am honored to represent the Friends of the Library this year. My first 3 months as President have been a whirlwind of activity with the City Council's proposal to review library materials for children and teenagers. Regardless of how the City Council rules, our library has been professionally managed by knowledgeable staff for over 100 years. They are trained to provide a balanced range of materials for the whole community.



There is a longstanding policy where library card holders can ask for the review of a book's classification. It has been used 5 times in the last 5 years. The librarians research the Publisher's classification and how other California and national libraries have it

classified. There are always library materials that someone feels has no value or should not be available to the public. I'm no different. However, everyone has a right to choose for themselves and their family.

National Friends of the Library Week is Oct. 15 to Oct. 21. The Friends of the Huntington Beach Library will celebrate 56 years by honoring our award-winning, creative, and hard-working professional staff at the HBPL and all the FOTL volunteers who support the library every day of the year.

It's only with the participation of our members that we can provide this support. Encourage your friends and neighbors to join by visiting www.FOTLHB.com or complete the Friends of the Library Membership Form in this newsletter. The paper form can be mailed or dropped off at the Friends Gift Shop.

I want to thank all FOTL members, patrons, and of course our library staff who all make HBPL one of the strongest libraries in Orange County.

MESSAGE FROM LIBRARY MANAGER JESSICA FRAMSON



As we close out summer and transition both into fall and the new fiscal year that began July 1, our Library has numerous reasons to be grateful to our Friends of the Library. First, our annual Summer Reading Program grew by leaps and bounds over the previous year, both in event attendance and in reading challenge participants. The largest increase was seen in adult participation, with a 120% increase in the number of adults reading books versus last year! I have no doubt that members of our Friends group contributed greatly to this increase. Overall, more than 3,600 readers joined the seven-week reading challenge, over 16,000 people attended the 200 events and programs offered at our five locations, and adults reported almost 2,400 books read! What an accomplishment and an amazing community of readers.

Second, the Friends of the Library, through membership dues, Gift Shop and Used Books sales and revenue, events, and donations are able to support the Library with a generous donation every year. For the 2023/2024 budget year, the Friends donated \$250,000 to the Library, with the majority to be used for book purchases. Last year, due to repercussions left from Covid, less of the donation needed to be allocated to book so the Friends donation of \$250,000 was able to be used for some welcomed rejuvenation at all locations. This includes new furniture at Central which was sorely needed, and numerous upgrades for branch locations that have not fit into recent City budgets. At the Branches check out the new shelving, blinds, and even a moveable stylish surfboard display at Murphy Branch Library to show off books in their collection. New signage for all Branch locations will be coming soon as well!

The partnership with the Friends is beneficial to all as the community enjoys the positive impact of donations in numerous ways, as demonstrated above. With National Friends of the Library Week right around the corner, I want to give a special and heartfelt THANK YOU to all our Friends for your support of our wonderful Library system.

Welcome New Members

FOTL membership soared over the summer in large part due to a strong reaction from the public to the Huntington Beach City Council's proposed library book restrictions, as well as the sold-out author talk featuring best-selling author Lisa See. A hearty welcome to all our new members!

Alan Ray	Jean Cezinger	Jacquelyn Neil	Sue Brown
Susan Turner	Tuyen Le	Albert Arvizo	Deboran Boone
Meredith Michaels	Nancy Pearl	Lawrence Hersh	Stephen MacDowell
Ann Palmer	Eileen Parslow	Belanie Bergeland	Lindsay Klick
Julie Carman	Dee Frydman	Anna Combs	Robert Tevis
Pamela Jay	Alyse Hendrick	Lisa Head	Paula Lazicki
Jeanne Paris	Patti Massey	Aileen Manley	Andrew Mills
Steve Quinn	Gollay Family	Toni Aquino	Michele Burgess
Ann Minnie	Karen Kraushaar	Jennifer Weller	Edward Laughlin
Kathy McGuire	Gregory Brewsaugh	Gary Potter	Carole Ryder
Alice & Stanley Roberts	Barara Mizerek	Trisha Lacey	Lisa Kay Zahler
Lorraine Gayer	Debbie Parrett	Claudia Ross	Alexandra Woravka
Gretchen Erickson	Elizabeth San Filippo	Maria Luna	Beverly Mast
Sue Brewsaugh	Kelli Kelly	Bob Ryder	Patricia King
Lorelei Lachman	Vanessa Webster	Letitia M. Johnson	Kevin Maynard
Shaya Tayefe Mohajer	Amy Crepeau	Sharon Petersen	Jean Kersey
Donna Skinner	Catherine Thomson	Nora Pedersen	Bonnie Gruttadauri
Frances Fujii	Kate Rinaldi	Kirby McCord	Gloria Rodriguez
Carolyn Eguchi	Paul Horgan	Cesia Suchite	Dawn Robinson
Lisa Waldbaum	Flossie Horgan	Karen Funk	John Manning
Tony Daus	Buzz McCord	Paula Ste. Marie	Youndy Hung
Nancy Gill	Catherine Kusnick	Phillip Saenz	Michael Moncrief
Audrey Prosser	Pat Dallas	Lisa Marin	Nancy Phillips
Diane Taylor	Shirley Nixon	Thomas Perry	Carol Davenport
Martha Omeara	Mary Saenz	JoAnn Arvizo	Rody Shiel
Adelle Yeaton	Allison Plum	Keri Semmelman	Valerie Hall
Joanne Hastings	Barbara E. King	Betty Martin	Vito Gruttadauria
James Lockhart	Sharon Young	Laurie Wrasse	Melanie Bergeland
Pamela McEwen	Kristi Meyer		

FRIENDS MEMBERSHIP FORM

CONTRIBUTIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____ Zip Code _____

Email Address _____

Yes, I would like to help the environment by receiving all FOTL correspondence by email

Membership Status New Renewal Date: _____

I would like to volunteer:

- Friends Gift Shop Programs Coordination
 Used Books Store Newsletter Production
 Events Support

Annual Membership Dues		Other Membership Options
<input type="checkbox"/> Seniors 55+ \$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining \$30	<input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime \$150
<input type="checkbox"/> Student \$15	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate \$50	<input type="checkbox"/> Benefactor \$500
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual \$20	<input type="checkbox"/> Family \$25	

Mail completed form with cash or check or drop off at Friends Gift Shop at the Central Library
 Friends of the Library 7111 Talbert Ave. Huntington Beach, CA 92648
 To join by credit card visit www.fotlhb.com/membership



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Huntington Beach Library Central Library Information

Address: 7111 Talbert Avenue
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Hours: Monday 1PM - 9PM
Tuesday - Thursday 9AM - 9PM
Friday 9AM - 5PM
Saturday 9AM - 5PM
Sunday 12PM - 5PM

Website: www.hbpl.org

Public Services: (714) 842-4481

Meeting and Banquet Rooms: (714) 960-8839

Children's Library: (714) 375-5107

Friends Gift Shop: (714) 375-8429

Branch Locations and Hours

Banning 9281 Banning Ave. (714) 375-5005

Monday - Closed Friday - Saturday 9AM - 1PM
Tues - Thurs 9AM - 6PM Sunday - Closed

Helen Murphy 15882 Graham St. (714) 375-5006

Monday & Wednesday 1PM - 7PM Friday 9AM - 2PM
Tuesday & Thursday 9AM - 2PM Saturday & Sunday Closed

Main Street 525 Main St. (714) 375-5071

Monday - Closed Friday & Saturday 9AM - 5PM
Tuesday - Thursday 9AM - 6PM Sunday - Closed

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Monday - Friday 9AM - 9PM Sunday - Closed
Saturday 9AM - 5PM