

The Friends of the Mount Carroll District Library, NFP

Who are the Friends?

The Friends of the Mount Carroll District Library, NFP support the Library and its mission. *"The mission of the Library is to serve as a gathering place and a gateway to knowledge, community resource, and opportunities for life-long learning."*

What do the Friends do?

Since our founding in 2005 we have;

Donated \$75,000 to enhance the Library including:

Rehab and Restoration of the two main floor rooms of the old building. Made a substantial contribution to the Rehab and Expand 2021 Fund.

Purchased Young Adult study kiosk and purchased appliances for kitchenette.

Ongoing sponsored programs for both adults and children which include:

Illinois Humanities Road Scholar Programs

Sponsoring guest speakers, artists, and TLP children's theater.

HOW DO WE DO THIS?

Membership

Fundraisers

Farmers Market Book Sale

Bookshelf Quilt



Members of The Friends sponsored the young adult's reading section and donated a study pod for the Rehab & Expand Project.

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

The Mount Carroll District Library has served the community since its opening in 1908. As a Carnegie library, it is one of a select group of libraries across the country built using grants from the Carnegie Foundation. Its entire exterior and much of its interior are in "as built" condition, a unique heritage for our community. With the Rehab & Expand project the Library was updated to meet current needs while remaining true to its historical character. All funds raised by the Friends are dedicated to the continued restoration of the library and to enhance the library's programming efforts. We sincerely thank all donors and volunteers for their ongoing generosity to meet those goals.

Friends' Membership Application

Please mark the type of membership you prefer and the amount of your donation. All memberships are for one year.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

☐ Individual Membership \$10

☐ Family Membership \$20

☐ Donation in the amount of \$ _____

In honor or memory (circle one)

Name _____

☐ \$250 or more to place a name on the Bookshelf Quilt.

Name added to the Quilt _____

Thank you for your generosity.
We appreciate your support!

The Friends of The Mount Carroll District Library, NFP is an exempt organization as described in the section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue code. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. All funds go to programming and expenses. No member receives any compensation.



The Bookshelf Quilt
handcrafted by
The Friends of the Mount
Carroll District Library, NFP
recognizes donors gifting
\$250 and more for program-
ming for the community.



Friends' Events

Bookshelf Quilt
Farmer's Market Booth
Quilt Raffle
Road Scholar Speakers



The Friends of the
Mount Carroll District Library,
NFP is dedicated to generating
community support for the
programs.

**Your Help is Needed!
To Volunteer
Call 815-244-1751**

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Libraries Need Friends!

The Friends of the Mount Carroll
District Library, NFP
Meetings on the Second Tuesday
at 6:00 p.m. at the library.



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Zoom link available, contact Library Director