



Friends of the Library Mission Statement

The purpose of the Friends organization is to assist in raising funds to meet special needs of the library, and to enhance community awareness of the Gilford Public Library by promoting its projects, lectures, and programs.

What's Bula Bula Mean? "Bula" (boo-la) is a Samoan catch-all word meaning "hello, welcome and salutations!"

Bula Bula

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The Newsletter of the Friends of the Gilford Library



The Cat in the Hat delighted children with stories during our week long celebration of Dr. Seuss' birthday.

Happy Spring!

We are thrilled to spread the word about some exciting library happenings...

Celebrate National Library Week with us!

April 11–17: Here in Gilford we have so much to celebrate: free access to materials and information, hundreds of programs emphasizing culture and entertainment, and a beautiful building in which all this takes place. The library will have special events and programs every day of the week for all ages. Please visit the library's website www.gilfordlibrary.org for more details.

Just for Kids during National Library Week...

Each day at 11:30 a.m. children will be treated to guest readers and their accompanying vehicles including a boat from Marine Patrol, a school bus, a street sweeper, a police cruiser, and a fire truck.

The Bookworm Shop

Located on the library's lower level, beyond the Children's Room, the Shop has all kinds of gently used books, DVD's, and puzzles available for purchase. The Bookworm Shop is open daily from 10-2:30. Thank you for supporting this Friends of the Library venue, which in turn supports our wonderful library programs.

Sponsorship Opportunities

We are currently seeking sponsors for the Summer Reading Program. This always popular program is a great way to keep kids, teens, and adults reading all summer. Sponsorship opportunities include: Children's —\$1,500, Teen —\$750, and Adult —\$300. Did you know the Friends of the Library purchases a variety of Museum passes that may be borrowed by library patrons? Sponsorships for one or all of these passes are also needed. Please pick up a brochure at the front desk or contact Kate Hamel, Friends of the Library President at 603.582.7270 / bulabula@metrocast.net.

Be in the Know: If you do not already get the weekly e-newsletter from the library, sign up today at www.gilfordlibrary.org under Contact Library Staff.

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Calling All Volunteers!

If you are interested in volunteering with the Friends or serving on a committee, please call Kate Hamel (582-7270), or come to the Friends' meetings on the second Wednesday of each month at the library.

Next meetings: April 14 and May 12, at 6:30 pm

The Bookworm Shop



HOURS

Monday thru Saturday
10:00am - 2:30pm