

Whitman County Library Friends & Foundation ... Make a difference in your community!



What is a Friend?

FRIENDS of the Library focus on improving people's lives every day. They support essential library services, local programs, special projects, community education, and long term goals through the WCL Foundation.

Why support the Foundation?

The Foundation account is dedicated to long term savings and future endowments for Whitman County Library. Please consider the



Insure a strong library system for generations to come!

Help us change lives and transform our communities!



Friends believe in libraries — Libraries change lives and our Friends really do believe that! Through advocacy and support, they spread the word about the value of the library .

Friends volunteer - Tell us where your interests lie and we'll find you a rewarding, hands-on opportunity to make a difference.

Friends have fun - Friends are an enthusiastic group of people that believe in having fun while supporting a great community cause.

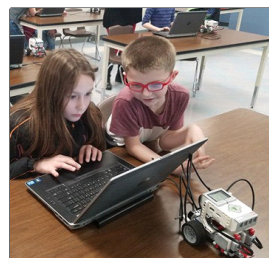
Friends provide funding - They lend support to important areas that would otherwise go unfunded. This support is even more critical in lean funding years.

Anyone can be a Friend - Friends business meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 11 a.m. at the Colfax Library

"It is not how much we give but how much love we put into the giving "
— Mother Teresa

Friends' Activities

- Used book sales, barn calendars, book bags & other fundraising efforts.
- Summer Reading sponsor for thousands of children, teens & adults countywide
- Newborn baby packets promote literacy and assist new parents, distributed through local hospitals
- Fund special programs, guests, experts, artists, & authors at library branches
- Sponsor a booth at the Palouse Empire Fair each September and the Family Fair each spring
- Educate area residents about issues affecting WCL's services or funding
- Help fund improvements to library facilities and technology countywide
- Participate in community events, parades & activities
- Oversee WCL Foundation endowment and facility needs of The Bettie Steiger Community Center



THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO!

Friends and Foundation Donations & Membership

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Library Branch*: _____

**Dues stay in your home town or selected library*

Choose one or more of the following:

_____ Friends Membership or Donation

_____ Foundation Donation

_____ Summer Reading

_____ Bettie Steiger Community Center

_____ In Memory of _____

_____ Program or Project _____

_____ Anonymous gift

Checks payable to Friends of WCL or call (509) 397-4366 to pay by credit card. Friends of WCL are a 501 © (3) organization EIN91-1651792, so your donations are tax exempt.



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WHITMAN COUNTY LIBRARY
102 S. MAIN
COLFAX, WA 99111**



Join us in Supporting the Library We Love!



*Serving you from 14 branch locations,
online, and outreach within local
schools and communities!*



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