

What is Friends of the Library?

Friends of the Library is a non-profit, charitable group that supports the local library.

It sponsors fundraising activities, such as book sales and the annual gift basket drawing. All proceeds from these events go toward support of the library's community literacy efforts.

- ◆ It provides volunteers for library activities and services.
- ◆ It promotes public awareness of library activities and services.
- ◆ Its members serve as library advocates before governing bodies that pass the laws affecting libraries, their funding, and their services.

In all these ways, Friends of the Library works to keep the local library strong and to extend the services, programs, and resources it provides to the community.

Support your local library while you shop online.

AmazonSmile

When you shop on AmazonSmile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible products to the charitable organization of your choice.

Type in "[Friends of the Dorothy Bramlage Public Library of Junction City](#)" as the charitable organization you wish to support. Any donation from your eligible Amazon purchases will be sent directly to the Friends.

Dillon's

When you use your Dillon's Plus Card a small percentage goes to the Friends of the Library. Please enroll in Community Rewards and enter **Code IN907** or search for the [Friends of the Dorothy Bramlage Public Library](#).



“A library in the middle of a community is a cross between an emergency exit, a life raft and a festival. They are cathedrals of the mind; hospitals of the soul; theme parks of the imagination.”

Caitlin Moran

Journalist, author, and broadcaster

Why should I consider joining?

Friends have a greater voice in the programs, collections, and services the library provides.

The library supports the community; the stronger the library is, the stronger the community becomes.

Friends members receive a 25% discount on all book sale items upon presentation of their current membership card!

Friends members can also receive discounts at selected local businesses upon presentation of a current membership card:

- **Ace Hardware:** have one key made & get a 2nd key at no charge

Screen Machine: 10% off in-store merchandise (excluding letter jackets and PE uniforms)

- **Tyme Out Lounge:** Free appetizer with the purchase of an entrée.

Friends of the Library

Public libraries rely on their Friends groups to:

- Act as Library Ambassadors in their communities
- Serve as library advocates before the governing bodies that pull the purse strings and pass the laws that affect libraries and library services
- Extend the services the library provides through their fundraising and volunteer efforts

Why do I need to be a Library Friend?

- The opportunity to participate beyond borrowing materials and attending programs
- The opportunity to meet and get to know other readers and library supporters
- The opportunity to take advantage of special member benefits, such as receipt of the Friends' newsletter and participation in the annual meeting.

What do the Friends for the Dorothy Bramlage Public Library do?

The Friends of the DBPL is offering or working on a number of exciting programs and projects including:

- Book Sales
- Gift Basket Drawing
- Homebound delivery

REGISTER OR RENEW MEMBERSHIP HERE

Name: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please check one:

New Member _____ Renewal _____

_____ Level 1: Edgar Allen Poe (\$10)

_____ Level 2: Dr. Seuss (\$20)

_____ Level 3: Phyllis Wheatley (\$30)

_____ Level 4: Laura Ingalls Wilder (\$50)

_____ Level 5: Louisa May Alcott (\$100)

_____ Level 6: Mark Twain (\$300) ^{Lifetime} Membership

Can we contact you about being a Friends volunteer?

_____ Yes _____ No

Please mark any event/service you would like to help with:

___ Book Sales ___ Gift Basket Drawing

___ Special Events ___ Newsletter

___ Friends Board ___ Other

_____ Please have a representative contact me to discuss a donation to the foundation.

Please return this form and your membership fee to

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