

New Book Sale Location

Let us start our book sales in a different place this year. Yes, the Friend's March Book Sale will be held at the Tippecanoe Fairgrounds (portion of the East Wing) March 3, 4 and 5. We have been collecting and culling donations and library withdrawals, looking for the most recently published books in some of our unique nonfiction categories. This book sale will be smaller. We do not want to haul 750 boxes of books from downtown to the fairgrounds, so we are limiting this sale to 450 boxes maximum.

Do not worry. There will be all your adult fiction categories available. So far, we have more than 40 boxes of various Mystery/Thrillers, 20 boxes of Fiction, and 30 boxes of Romance/Romantic Suspense stored in our garage. Large Prints, Science Fiction, Westerns, and Christian Fiction titles will be well-represented.

This sale will not have our EASY, JER, nor Middle level children's books. These are being saved for three Saturday events at our branch libraries (we will keep you informed about these sales throughout 2023). We will have boxes of Young Adult as well as a few boxes of OLD Children's books for you to peruse. Likewise, media will be held to DVDs (18 boxes). Old TV shows on CDs or DVDs and DVD audio books will be on sale, too. Remember, box limits for this event!

We have collected many boxes of Art, History, Military, Biographies, and Cooking books. We hope to have representations of all nonfiction categories by the sale start.

Our sale will start Friday, March 3, at 7:00 P.M. **Note the earlier starting time!** Friday evening is for Friends only, and you may purchase memberships at the door. Our Saturday and Sunday times will be from 10:00 to 4:00 each day, and the sale is open to the general public. Sunday will offer books at ½ price or \$8 per bag (we provide the bags). The Tippecanoe Fairground is located on the north side of Teal Road between 9th and 18th Streets in Lafayette. There will be plenty of parking to the front and side of the building.

Please join us at our new site!

Suzanne Cunningham
 TCPL Friends, book sale chair



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Book Sale Schedule
March 3-5
 Friday
 7:00 - 9:00
 open to Friends only

Saturday
 10:00 - 4:00
 open to the public

Sunday
 10:00 - 4:00
 half-price or \$8/bag



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The Mission of the Friends is to provide programs and financial support to the Tippecanoe County Public Library.

This is your pass to our Friday Friends Only Preview

A Note From the President

Friends of TCPL, as some of you know the downtown branch is going to undergo a major renovation this year. It will affect the Friends some, so please be patient with us as we try to utilize any options that will benefit the Friends and TCPL. We are going to hold our March and September book sales at Tippecanoe County Fairgrounds. Children's book sales will be held at our branch libraries. We will try to use the other branches for our donation drop-offs. We are also looking for an At-Large Member for the Friends board starting in March. If anyone is interested, please contact anyone on the board or you can leave a message on our phone line.

Thank You,
Jim Plantenga

Annual Meeting March 21

Our annual Friends of TCPL meeting is on March 21 at 6:30pm in the downtown library. This is an opportunity for all our members to enjoy some time together. There will be reports from our president and committee chairs, scholarship presentations to library staff members, and induction of our new board.



Attention!

Here is our proposed Friends board for 2023-2024. President: Jim Plantenga; Vice President: Scott Irvine; Treasurer: Barb Gibbs; Secretary: Suzanne Cunningham, and At Large Members: Joan Briller, Nick Fetchina, Dave Gevers, Jean O'Reilly, and Jim Vann. All members are welcome to attend.

Our newsletter, *notes"es*, is published quarterly for the members of the Friends. We are a 501(C)3 non-profit organization.