

# Yes, I want to join!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please help us cut costs by providing your email address to receive meeting agendas, minutes, and other important communications.**

## Annual dues:

\_\_\_\_\_ \$10 Individual/Family

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 Patron

\_\_\_\_\_ \$50 Supporting

\_\_\_\_\_ \$75 Sustaining

\_\_\_\_\_ \$200 Corporation

**Donation** (Provide name if "In Memory of")

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Provide name if "In Honor of")

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

## I am interested:

\_\_\_\_\_ Help with ongoing and pop-up book sales or other events (usually a 2-hour shift)

\_\_\_\_\_ Make gift baskets for the sale in November/December

\_\_\_\_\_ Serve as an officer or on a committee

\_\_\_\_\_ Assist with website updates

\_\_\_\_\_ Help with publicity for events  
(Example: Deliver flyers for posting)

\_\_\_\_\_ Talents I can share: \_\_\_\_\_

## Friends of the Germantown Community Library

**FIND US ON FACEBOOK!**

[www.facebook.com/fgclwi](http://www.facebook.com/fgclwi)

**Contact the *Friends* by e-mail:**

[gtownlibraryfriends@gmail.com](mailto:gtownlibraryfriends@gmail.com)

**Visit our website at:**

[www.germantownlibraryfriends.org](http://www.germantownlibraryfriends.org)



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## Library Hours:

Check the Library's website for current hours of operation.

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## Who are we?

The *Friends of the Germantown Community Library* is a group of volunteers providing support and funding for the library since 1969. For over 50 years it has raised funds for activities and projects that are not covered by the Library's operating budget.

The *Friends* group is funded solely through membership dues and fund-raising activities. We are a 501(c)(3) organization.

## You can be a Friend too!



## How do we raise money?

- **Hold Ongoing and “Pop-up” Book Sales**
- **Hold an annual Holiday Basket Sale**  
The *Friends* assemble gift baskets that are sold in mid-November and December. In addition, seasonal titles, like-new, and collectible books are available for purchase.
- **Sell custom book bags**  
Bags are available for purchase during library hours.
- **Accept employer contribution matches, i.e., “matching gift programs”**



## We’re looking for Ideas!

**We are interested in *your* ideas.**

One of our goals is to help the Germantown Community Library offer outstanding programs and services to its patrons. What would *you* like to see in the way of speakers, programs, services, or amenities to help attract new users to the Library?



## How do we help the Library?

- **Provide funds for programs offered to patrons of all ages**
- **Purchase items to enhance the Library experience for its patrons:**
  - “Grab ‘n Go” Craft Kits
  - Coffee stations and supplies
  - Movie license
  - Popcorn makers and supplies

## How can you help?

- **Join the *Friends of the Germantown Community Library***

Support our efforts with your membership dues. Complete the form on the back of this brochure and mail it or drop it off at the library. Meetings are held on the second Saturday of the month at 9:00 AM at the Library -- September through May.

- **Volunteer your time, talents, and fresh ideas.**
- **Invite your friends, relatives, or neighbors to join!**
- **Don’t have time to help?**

- Consider a donation in memory or honor of someone special or for another reason on the back of this form.
- Attend our fund-raisers.
- Donate 0.5% of your eligible online purchases by designating the Friends as your favorite charitable organization—no fees, no extra cost. Details on how to do it are on the Friends’ website -- just click on the “Support Us” tab.

[www.germantownlibraryfriends.org](http://www.germantownlibraryfriends.org)