Friends celebrate 20th Anniversary

In 1993, a small group of Londoners, convinced that a great library is the key to a healthy community, gathered together to form The Friends of the London Public Library.

Since then they have been joined by hundreds more, and have worked tirelessly to raise more than $1.18 million to enhance library programs and to act as advocates for the Library system.

Wednesday, September 18th

6:45 pm - Annual General Meeting
along with the presentation of the Friend of the Year award
Stevenson & Hunt Room, Central Library

7:30 pm - Special Jazz for the People Concert
featuring the Sandy MacKay Quartet
Wolf Performance Hall, Central Library

Reception following the concert
An opportunity for Friends and guests to mingle and reminisce
Stevenson & Hunt Room

Please plan to join us!

Annual Book Sale

>>>>>> New dates: October 25-27 <<<<<<
>>>>>> New location: West Annex <<<<<<
(adjacent to Canada Building), Western Fair District
Volunteer now - before, during and/or after the sale!
Call 519-661-2448 and leave a voice mail or email us: friends@lpl.london.on.ca
More details on page 2
The cool days of autumn are just around the corner and it’s time to begin planning for A Book For Every Child®’s holiday campaign.

In 2012, nearly 6000 London boys and girls were given new books and for some of these children, this may be the only book they own.

The 2013 holiday campaign begins Saturday, November 9 and ends Saturday, December 21. However, books are distributed all year so it’s always a good time to make a financial or book donation at your local library branch. Help put a smile on a child’s face by donating to A Book For Every Child®.

Mark your calendar!

✓ Wednesday, Sept. 18
Friends of the Library Annual General Meeting & 20th Anniversary Celebration, Jazz for the People concert and reception.

✓ October 1
Friends who renew their membership by October 1 will be invited to the pre-booksale and reception on Thursday, October 24!

✓ October 25, 26, 27
Book Sale - donations of sale items welcome!

✓ November 9 - December 21
A Book for Every Child® holiday campaign

This year’s sale features
- a large quantity of recent, good quality children’s & teen fiction
- lots of hard cover fiction
- history, biography and health materials.
- non-English language materials
- a “Special” table with items individually priced including encyclopedia and reference sets.

Booksale Volunteers are most welcome and, as an added perk, are invited to a pre-sale reception Thursday evening from 7-9 pm. To sign up call 519-661-2448 or email us: friends@lpl.london.on.ca

Ever wonder what happens to all the leftover, unsold material? Local charities are invited to cull materials at the end of the sale.

Prices
- Hardcover & Trade Paper - $2
- Paperback - $1
- DVDs, CDs, VHS - $2
- Audio books - $2
- Children’s - 50¢-$2
- YA - $1-$2
- Magazines - 25¢
- Vinyl LPs - 50¢

Please note that this is a CASH ONLY sale!

The Library Store - now 8 years old!

The Library Store, operated and staffed by Friends’ volunteers, located in the Passageway at the Central Library.

Thanks to generous donations from Londoners, the Store is always very well stocked with a wide variety of reading (and watching and listening!) material. Currently there is an especially great selection of DVDs and mystery and romance paperbacks, all priced to sell!

It’s well worth a visit next time you’re downtown!