

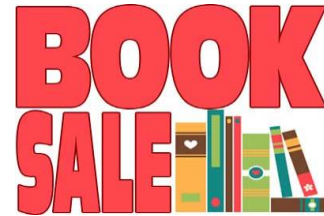
Newsletter July * 2024



Highlights of the fiscal year – July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024

Fundraising:

- * Annual Book Sale held offsite at Jordan Lutheran Church, Orefield
- * *Book Shop* operates on a regular schedule, open year-round with special sales throughout the year
- * eBay online sales
- * Promotions
 - ~ *Around the City* coupon Books
 - ~ *Dan Shantz Monthly Maddness* cards
 - ~ *Kuhnsville Car Wash*



Outreach:

- * Free monthly issues of *Bookpage* magazine
- * Parkland High School *Community Resource Fair*
- * Parkland High School *Festival of the Arts*
- * Awarding of Scholarships to college students
- * Informative Newsletters and emails
- * Membership open to all adults



Support:

- * Provide copy machine which includes remote printing
- * Provide self-checkout station
- * Fund **all** library programs for children, youth, and adults (Calendar year 2023 included 683 programs for all ages with total attendance of 12,479 patrons.)
- * Maintain library garden landscape



ANNUAL USED BOOK SALE 2024

Jordan Lutheran Church
5103 Snowdrift Road
Orefield, PA 18069



SALE DATES

Thur Aug 15 4pm – 6pm
\$15 Entry Fee
Friends of PCL - Free

Fri Aug 16 10am – 6pm
FREE ENTRY

Sat Aug 17 10am – 5pm
FREE ENTRY

Sun Aug 18 10:30 am – 5pm
FREE ENTRY
Bag Sale Day - \$10/bag

*For information call
(610) 398-1361
Extension 111

DONATIONS

Donations received **ONLY**
at Jordan Lutheran Church:

Mon Aug 12 10am – 7pm
Tue Aug 13 10am – 7pm
Wed Aug 14 10am – 7pm
Thur Aug 15 10am – 12pm

NOT ACCEPTED

Bibles, *Chicken Soup*, Coffee Table
Books, Dictionaries, Encyclopedias,
Hymnals, Magazines, *Reader's Digest*,
Textbooks, VHS tapes

DAMAGED ITEMS

Help is needed August 12 – 15 to set up and to organize the books.
If you are interested, please email Lharakal12 @gmail.com.



*Friends of the Parkland Community Library
Board Members and Support Positions
2024-2025*

Officers

President	Ila Dietrich	<i>T</i>
Vice President / Program	Pat Elliott	<i>E</i>
Vice President / Membership	Lisa Nyce	<i>A</i>
Secretary	Sharon Laub	<i>M</i>
Treasurer	VACANT	<i>W</i>

Township Representatives

North Whitehall	Judy Kemmerer	<i>O</i>
	Lorna Rabe	<i>R</i>
South Whitehall	LuAnn Epstein *	<i>K</i>
	Gail Wotring	
Upper Macungie	Lois Doncevic	
	Mary Sue Schnell	

Standing Committees / Support

Book Shop / Book Sales

- Pat Barlok
- Pat Elliott
- Lynne Harakal
- Nancy Holler

Publicity / Community Relations

Helen Papathanasiou

Support

- | | |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| Deb Moyer | Technical Support |
| Lisa Roth | Library Board Liaison |



* Congratulations to *LuAnn Epstein*, nominated by library director Maryellen Kanarr, and chosen by Lehigh County Aging and Adult Services, as an *Unsung Hero* for her dedicated work with the *Friends of PCL*. Her many hours of time include training new volunteers, processing books, organizing procedures, communicating with patrons, attending meetings, and more, all done with a helping hand, a humble heart, and a caring way. The *Book Shop* is her second home. We're grateful for *LuAnn*, who works tirelessly for *Friends* and the *Parkland Community Library*, always with a smile.

Thank you, *LuAnn*, for **ALL** you do.

The Friends' Book Shop

- * Is located in the *Parkland Community Library*
- * Is open year-round, staffed by *Friends'* volunteers
- * Has something for everyone
Adults * YA * Children
- * Offers various used items
Books * CDs * DVDs * Novelties
Audio Books * Puzzles * Games



HOURS

Monday	10am – 12pm
Tuesday	10am – 12pm 4pm – 7pm
Wednesday	10am – 12pm
Thursday	10am – 12pm Effective 6/6/24
Saturday	10am - 1pm*

- * Saturday summer hours
9:30am – 12:30pm
June 22 through August 24, 2024



Donations are accepted in the *Book Shop* during open hours.

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Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, Hymnals, Magazines,
Reader's Digest, Textbooks, VHS Tapes

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MEMBERSHIP

Board Meetings

September 5, 2024

November 7, 2024

January 2, 2025

March 6, 2025

May 1, 2025 – offsite
Annual luncheon/meeting

June 5, 2025

September 4, 2025

November 6, 2025

Meetings are held at 1 pm in the Zirkel Meeting Room in the library.

- * All members are welcome.
- * Each member has a vote.
- * Please join us!

A colorful graphic of the word "WELCOME" in large, 3D block letters. Each letter is a different color: W (red), E (yellow), L (green), C (blue), O (purple), M (orange), E (pink).

Membership Categories

- ~ Individual (\$10/year)
- ~ Family (\$15/year)
- ~ Lifetime (\$100/one-time payment)

Membership year runs January 1 through December 31.

- ~ Members enjoy free entry to *Preview Night* at the annual sale.
- ~ Lifetime members receive a 25% discount (once/year).
- ~ Annual members receive a 25% discount (one-time use).

For information, please contact NyceFriends@gmail.com.

FUNDRAISER

A promotional poster for a fundraiser. It features logos for "Friends of the Parkland Community Library" and "Kuhnsville CAR WASH". The main text says "CHECK IT OUT! KUHNSSVILLE CAR WASH SUPPORTS Friends of the Parkland Library!". Below that, it states "10% of your 'Full-Serve' Car Wash Sales will be donated directly to Friends of the Parkland Community Library!". It also says "Just mention 'Friends of the Parkland Library' at your next Car Wash visit!". At the bottom, it lists "All Full-Serve Exterior Car Washes + Express Interior qualify!". Contact information is provided: "5627 Tilghman St. Allentown, PA 18104", "https://kcwash.com", "info@kcwash.com", and "610-395-8011". An illustration of a red car with a stack of money labeled "Friends of PCL" in the back seat is also present.

Friends of the Parkland Community Library

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*Parkland Community Library
A Place of Possibilities*

An Exciting Announcement

The public libraries of Carbon County, Lehigh County, Monroe County, and Northampton County are excited to announce the formation of the Multi-District Lehigh Valley Pocono Library Partnership.

The twenty public libraries began directly sharing resources, such as books, DVDs, CDs, and other library materials on April 3, 2024.

Library patrons will now have unprecedented direct access to an incredible number of items - more than 1.4 million, from 26 library outlets, located across the Lehigh Valley and the Poconos.

This process is made possible by SPARK, the integrated library system (ILS), that each library uses for the management of its library materials.

Patrons can search for items, place holds, and in most cases, will have the item sent to their home library within three business days.





*Friends of the Library
go to the Movies*

*Bring the Kids and Grandkids
for a Night of Fun*

10% of that evening's food profits donated to FPCL



**DRIVE - IN
Shankweiler's
THEATRE**



**JOIN FRIENDS
OF PCL AT
THE MOVIES**

SATURDAY, JULY 20



Story time will be held prior to the opening movie.



Watch for news in the coming months as *Friends* continue to support the *Parkland Community Library* and its programs for patrons of all ages and interests.

Contact Information

Location: Parkland Community Library
4422 Walbert Avenue
Allentown, PA 18104

Email: friendsofpcl@parklandlibrary.org

Phone: (610) 398-1361 Extension 111