

Results of Fall Book Sale

by the Book Sleuths

We always wonder if the many hours spent by the Sleuths in sorting and individually pricing selected books are worth it. Our treasurer broke it down to show that the individually priced books returned \$3,194 and books from the Bargain Room netted \$1,315. The efforts of the Book Sleuths were definitely rewarded. All day Saturday is Bargain Day and at \$3 a bag in the Bargain Room books seemed to fly out the door. We found at the end of the day that almost all of the books in that area, except fiction, had found new homes. Next spring will find many new selections at our low price of \$1 each in the Bargain Room. The quality of books has contributed greatly to the success of sales of both individually priced and Bargain Room books. This income makes our continued support of the Boone County Library and its various projects possible. So, again, thanks to all the volunteers listed below who willingly gave of their time and to the patrons who generously donated the books. Thanks to the library staff for their cooperation and patience during our sale and for the clever display showing how your book donations became dollars to purchase books.

Jane Adair	Al Davis	Joan Lipsmeyer	Joy Polus
Amanda Baker	Dianna Decker	Marjorie Malone	Barry Posterick
Danny Baker	Camilla Dezort	Kay Maris	Sondra Rabone
Nola Barnett	Jean Drennon	Barbara Martin	Lori Rae
Caiden Barron	Pat Evans	Kelly Mattix	Andy Robinson
Roberta Beatty	Connie Ford	Jeanette May	Sally Robinson
Carolyn Bennett	Debbie Goens	Robert McCorkindale	Joyce Rose
Buz Boswell	Catherine F Golden	Kathleen McMurrin	Lori Schultz
Lena Boswell	Richard Harding	Dicksie Milburn	Nancy Sharp
Jane Brown	Henry Hern	Millie Mondahl	Ruth Sinor
Malinda Brown	Jackie Hern	Norm Mondahl	Chuck Speice
Stephen Christ	Tammy Hogan	Donna Murphy	Mary Wright
Linda Clark	Marcia Holcomb	Michael Murphy	Faye Yarbrough
George Cline	Polly Hudson	Bonnilee Nodolf	Amy Young
Shirley Copeland	Vina Kaspereit	Teri Penquite	Phyllis Young
Kathryn Crunkleton	Megan Keener	Greg Polus	Tucky Zima

Outreach Reviewed

As has been mentioned before, FOL and the library are involved in several outreach programs. FOL delivers books to the homebound once a month. FOL maintains mini-libraries at and reads to Head Start and ABC schools in the county. Library personnel read to and present programs at various day schools in the county. Library personnel also deliver books to senior centers. And the most recent outreach program is paperback exchange at several city halls in the county.

Then there are library electronic data (e-data) available to everyone with a computer – genealogy material, the card catalog, law review and forms, reservation of books. And in the future, there will be the ultimate outreach program. A patron will be able to check an e-book from the library and read it at home or where ever, on any device with a display such as smart phones, ipads, laptops, desktops, and dedicated e-book readers (Nooks and Kindles). All this e-data is available at your finger tips. The reader must however have the internet available at home, at a coffee shop, or at the library.

E-books, of course, will be free through the library and you can purchase your own if the library selection doesn't satisfy you. Better get ready if you are not presently reading e-books. It seems to be the future and it seems to be upon us.

There's more to see at boonecountylibrary.org