

Kelowna  
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Library

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NEWS LETTER

Spring/Summer 2006

**Enter in your 2006 Calendars:**  
**future F.O.L. Book Sales,**  
**Lectures, Events, etc.**

**Outdoor Book Sale** at 1898 Barlee Rd. on Saturday June 24<sup>th</sup>, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Weather permitting.

**Mission Quilt Unveiling**

On Friday July 14<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m.  
Her Worship, Mrs. Shepherd, Mayor of Kelowna, has agreed to attend and do the honors for us.

**The 18<sup>th</sup> Great Okanagan Book Sale organized by the Kelowna Friends of the Library will be on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>, 2006 at the Immaculate Church Hall, Sutherland at Ethel.**

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**DONATIONS AND DROP OFF**

***Yet again!*** We gratefully accept Books, CD's, videos, DVD's, talking books, games, records, and other donations for

future sales. Donations can be dropped off at 1898 Barlee Rd., located between Harvey and Springfield; on Fridays from 9 to 12 noon, (while sorting is in process) or at anytime in our drop box at the same location. For more information or to arrange for a pick up please call John 491-1324 or Lee 763-3357

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**F.O.L.'s 17<sup>th</sup> GREAT OKANAGAN BOOK SALE**  
**The best ever!!!!**

**All Thanks to Our Volunteers**

Again the Success of this Sale was your doing! THANK YOU!! - A special Vote of confidence for the talented and hardworking organizers. Many thanks as well to all the loyal shoppers; we hope you are enjoying your reading till our next sale!

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The Spring Book Sale on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2006 at Kelowna Library 1380 Ellis Street was a success – yet again thanks to our organizers, volunteers and clients!

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## **MEMBERSHIP**

We are always looking for new F.O.L. members. It only costs \$5 per year and is a great way to show your support for the Library. Please fill in the form below and mail it with your cheque to our mailing address c/o Membership Director Ursula Wedemeyer; or drop it off at any of our Library's three branches.

**BE A FRIEND! JOIN OR RENEW!**

### **Kelowna Friends of the Library**

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Annual Membership: \$5.00

- New Membership
- Membership renewal

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

I am willing to help with:

- Book sale activities
- Organization of events
- Fund raising
- Being a director
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Special Events
- I prefer to be a silent supporter of the Friends of the Library

\* Detach this portion & either drop it to the Library or mail your application to the above address.

***Got questions?? Would you like to receive our News Letter and other timely information about upcoming sales or other events by e-mail?***

Let us know:

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Our new Friends of the Library bags are for sale at all Kelowna branches, for \$10 each, and it seems they are a great success.

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Every so often, the Friends are asked "What do you do with all the books that are left-over after a sale." "Premiums" are returned to the FOL House, children's books, paper backs and self help books go to the FOL "Book Bank " at the Food Bank. Textbooks go to the textbook store. Remaining books go to Carol Jackson, the majority of which are shelved in good order in her shop-cum-garage on 2120 Tomat Ave. in Westbank. A small price and a long sought book can be yours. How does Carol recycle her "recyclables"? Visit the Recycle Centre on Kirshner and marvel at the neat little "library" Carol had made where books are free for the taking. All and all Carol is an amazing asset to our community and a real friend to the Friends of the Library. Thank you Carol. You can contact Carol at 769-4574

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## PAST EVENTS

MARCH 28<sup>TH</sup> 2006, 7PM KELOWNA LIBRARY, LECTURE BY **MATT JACKSON**  
— CHRONICLES OF CANADA —  
HITCHHIKING ACROSS CANADA FOR 4 YEARS

Very impressive, glib, with human-interest and great fun! If you were not lucky to attend we are happy to announce that there will be another lecture this year.

**MADELEINE LEFEBVRE,** The romance of libraries Monday afternoon 24<sup>th</sup> April 2006. UBCO book signing. Loved the humor and warmth.

**SYLVIA CROOKS:** Homefront & Battlefront: Nelson, B.C, in World War II  
May 10<sup>th</sup>, 7 pm at the Kelowna Library 1380 Ellis Street.

**Watch for upcoming events...**

Welcome to our newest director

**Michelle Ould-Khessal (Ward)**

She comes to us with great enthusiasm for books and a wealth of library experience.



Watch for our Annual General Meeting in November 2006.

Those members who attended the 2005 Annual General Meeting were lucky to enjoy a very humorous presentation by Dr. Sterling Haynes.



## VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The Chatsworth House at 1831 Parkview (at Lekie), an assisted living facility for 140 seniors is looking for a volunteer to read short stories, Friday afternoons, to about 20 residents who are sight impaired. If you are interested and willing to commit the time on a weekly basis please contact Sarah Hemmet at 764-9626. This could prove a very rewarding experience for the right volunteer.