

Friends of the Turlock Public Library Newsletter

President's Message

By Jeanne Endsley

I am pleased to announce that I was able to attend and speak at the city council meeting when a proclamation was given to our Turlock librarian, Anne Marie Montgomery, for National Library Week. I told the council and Turlock residents how proud the Friends of the Turlock Public Library is to assist our library with funding and volunteering of our time. I also encouraged the council and the audience to visit our library and see what residents can benefit from the wonderful free service our library provides.

I would like to encourage all members to speak out to family, friends and everyone you meet about our library. My goal for the coming year will be to increase the visibility of our library. We can start now! Thank you for being a member!

Our annual meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 4th at 6 pm. During the Annual meeting we will elect the board for 2014-2015. Nominations may be made from the floor during the meeting before the election. Our general meeting will be held immediately following the annual meeting.

FOTPL Elections Coming Soon!

By Pat Hickman

The Friends of the Turlock Public Library nominating committee met and is proposing the following people to serve on our Board of Directors from July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015.

Officers:

President - Jeanne Endsley
 Vice-President - Jackie Oyer
 Secretary - Michael Fuller
 Treasurer - Carmen Ingols
 Public Advocacy - Pat Portwood
 Membership - Hal Owen

Directors-at-Large:

Linda Davenport
 Fran Fears
 Phyllis Frasier
 Nancy Frykman
 Brooks Judd
 Gity Miller
 Mike Seifert

Our Board of Directors election will take place at the annual meeting on Wednesday June 4, 2014 at 6:00 pm in the Turlock Public Library. Other nominations for the Board can be presented at this meeting.

We hope to see you at our annual meeting.

What Are You Reading?

Jeanne Endsley -

The Mourning Hours by local author Paula Treick DeBoard

Michael Fuller -

The Beast by Faye Kellerman

Gity Miller -

The First Phone Call from Heaven by Mitch Albom

Phyllis Frasier -

The Orphan Train by Christina Baker and *Quiet: The Power of Introverts in a World That Can't Stop Talking* by Susan Cain

Brooks Judd -

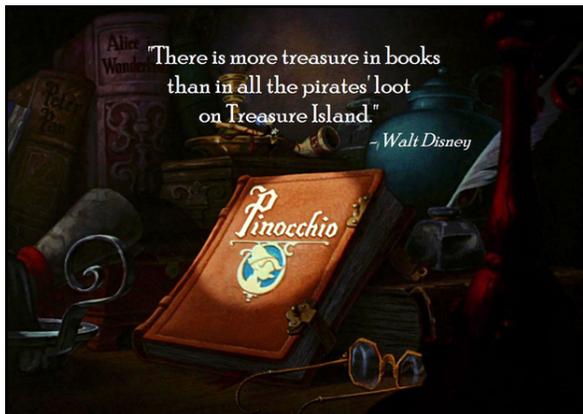
The Adventures of Henry Thoreau: A Young Man's Unlikely Path to Walden Pond by Michael Sims; *As They See 'Em: A Fan's Travels in the Land of Umpires* by Bruce Weber; and *Kings of the Hill* by Nolan Ryan

Jackie Oyer -

The Wrong Man

Fran Fears -

Ticktock by Dean Koontz



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Phyllis Frasier

Friends of the Turlock Public Library

Our Purpose:

To support the Turlock Public Library by raising supplementary funds, by advocating for adequate public library funding and other concerns at the city, county and state level, and by sponsoring special library programs which benefit the Turlock community.

Meeting Information:

The first Wednesday of each month, 6:30 pm at the Turlock Library.

Friends of the Turlock Public Library is a non-profit 501(c)3 tax-exempt organization.

Contact Information:

Email: friendsotpl@gmail.com

ABC Spring Tea a Success!

Story and Photos by Phyllis Frasier



Saturday, April 12th was a beautiful spring day for the ABC Project's 5th Annual Spring Tea. The Spring Tea is the annual fundraiser for the ABC Project. The event was held in Denair and included food, a silent auction, raffles and drawings. Music was provided by John Armes.

Tables were decorated in a variety of themes including two "Mother Goose" tables hosted by Gity Miller and the Friends of the Turlock Public Library.

The ABC Project and the Dolly Parton Imagination Library provides books each month to pre-school age children from birth to age five. For more information on this exciting program for Turlock's young children, please contact:

Dr. Susan Neufeld, Director

209-664-6719

abcproject@att.net or susan@abcproject-ca.com

More information on the Dolly Parton Imagination Library can be found at www.imaginationlibrary.com

"Mother Goose" table decorations by Gity Miller and the Friends of the Turlock Public Library.



Stanislaus Library Foundation's Runway for Reading

By Pat Portwood

On Sunday, March 30th, the Stanislaus Library Foundation conducted the Runway for Reading Fashion Show at the Petersen Center in Modesto. This event was envisioned by Lee Okey, a SLF Board member who gathered support from local stores such as Envy, Eve and Me, Vito's, Royal Robbins and Elegant Bride. The models represented a variety of ages and backgrounds, and all were, of course, library fans. The tables were decorated in beautiful spring colors with gorgeous vintage gloves as the centerpieces. People sipped champagne, nibbled on delicious cookies and enjoyed watching the community models.

The event was well attended, which will help support the Children's Summer Reading Program. The Foundation thanks community members for their ongoing support of our thirteen libraries.



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 NATURAL RESOURCE
 IS THE MINDS
 OF OUR CHILDREN."
 WALTER ELIAS DISNEY

FRIENDS OF THE TURLOCK PUBLIC LIBRARY

Membership Application

(Membership year: July 1 through June 30)

(PLEASE PRINT)

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City / ZIP: _____ Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

(To be used **only** for FOTPL communications)

New member

Renewing member

Membership Category		My Interests
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual (Annual)	\$10	<input type="checkbox"/> Becoming a Board Member
<input type="checkbox"/> Family (Annual)	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/> Book Sorting
<input type="checkbox"/> Lifetime	\$150	<input type="checkbox"/> Annual Book Sale
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Contribution	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Book Store
TOTAL	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising
<input type="checkbox"/> Check	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Collectable Books
<input type="checkbox"/> Cash	\$	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Information

Make check payable to Friends of the Turlock Public Library or FOTPL.

Please mail this form with a check to:

Friends of the Turlock Public Library
P.O. Box 1260
Turlock, CA 95381-1260

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Our email address is friendsotpl@gmail.com

LEGO DAY

Tuesday, May 20th

3:30 - 5:00 pm

Come & Create!

Ages 4 - 12

Younger children must be accompanied by an adult.

STORY TIME

WiggleWorms

Wednesday 10 & 11

Preschool Story Time

Thursday 10 & 11

Turlock Library
550 Minaret Avenue
Turlock, CA 95380

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