



Trumbull Library



Fairchild-Nichols Memorial Library

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*“The very existence of libraries  
affords the best evidence that we  
may yet have hope for the future of  
man ”*

*- T. S. Eliot*

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# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

[www.the-friends-of-the-trumbull-library.com](http://www.the-friends-of-the-trumbull-library.com)



## Our story

The Friends of the Trumbull Library was created in 1970 to raise funds for a new library. The Friends have continued with their fundraising efforts to provide funding for additions to the library's book collection, periodicals, media, and for special library programs, including the children's summer reading program and "One Book, One Town".

## There are three ways to become involved.

**As a member.** Simply fill out the membership form, print it out and mail it, along with your check to cover the type of membership you desire. Forms can also be brought to the check-out desk in the Library.

**Through a donation.** Gifts in any amount are gratefully received by the Friends, and are disbursed along with other funds, to support library activities. The Friends of Trumbull Library is a 501 (c) 3 Organization. Donations are tax deductible to the full extent of applicable law.

**By volunteering.** Friends volunteer with used book sales, fundraising and special events.

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*"The only thing you absolutely need to know is the location of the library"*

*- Albert Einstein*

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## What are our goals?

More than ever, we need a growing membership to help fill our ranks in order to support our existing book sales and expand our fundraising efforts. The Friends raise and receive funds for books, equipment, programs, and staff training needs not covered in the Town budget. For the future, the Friends hope to:

- Continue to foster citizens' interest in supporting a superior library, one equipped with staff, collections, and facilities to serve the cultural needs of an expanding community.
- Raise money for library materials, equipment, and programs which are needed, but for which there are not enough funds in the Town budget.
- Encourage members of the community to recognize and use the functions and facilities of the library.
- Promote an understanding of a high-quality library with public officials, so that appropriations are sufficient to meet the needs.

## Become a Friend Today!

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership level  
(Make checks payable to Friends of the Trumbull Library")

- Individual \$10    Family \$15    Reader \$25
- Patron \$50    Advocate \$100    Champion \$200
- Please contact me about making a gift. (i.e. bequest)
- I would like my gift to be anonymous
- I have attached a separate gift of \$\_\_\_\_\_

In honor of \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of \_\_\_\_\_

Please inform the following of my donation:

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

What activities would you like to help us with?

- Used Book Sale       Fundraising Projects
- Special Events       One Book One Town
- I would just like to support by giving a donation

Do you have any fundraising experience?  Yes  No

Please detach, hand deliver or mail to:

**Friends of the Trumbull Library**  
33 Quality Street  
Trumbull, CT 06611

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