



FRIENDS OF THE CROOK COUNTY LIBRARY

FALL
2010

Join the Friends in welcoming our new Library Director



Camille
Wood

There will be a reception for Camille on Friday, October 1,
2010,

Come and meet Camille, enjoy some light snacks, and rub shoulders with fellow library lovers.

Camille is an “East-sider”, having grown up near Walla Walla, and most recently comes to us from Nampa Idaho, where she was the Assistant Director of the Nampa Public Library. Camille’s beliefs about the library parallels that of the Friends organization: she believes that a library should be a place where the community can find inspiration, education, and entertainment; and inspiring in children a love of reading. Come help celebrate Camille’s arrival and help forge a productive and long-lasting relationship between the Library Director and FOL.

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Meet Julie Handyside—the new Children’s Librarian.

“I am originally from Hillsboro, and I have also lived in LA and Scotland. I have a BA degree from George Fox University, a Master of Library Science from Emporia State University (Portland, OR), and a School Library Media Specialist License from Portland State University. I have always loved libraries and reading. Growing up, my brother teased me I would become a librarian, but I resisted until after returning home from Scotland where I volunteered at a small library. I am enjoying meeting the families of Prineville and look forward to planning new programs and events”.

What does a Children’s Librarian do, you may ask?

Julie is responsible for selecting, purchasing and cataloging all the materials for children and young adults, including the CD and DVD collections. She supervises and designs the outreach programs such as The Summer Reading Program, Wee Read, and Story Time. She organizes and coordinates the Late Night @ the Library Program for teens. And yes, she is even responsible for the fish tank in the children’s section !



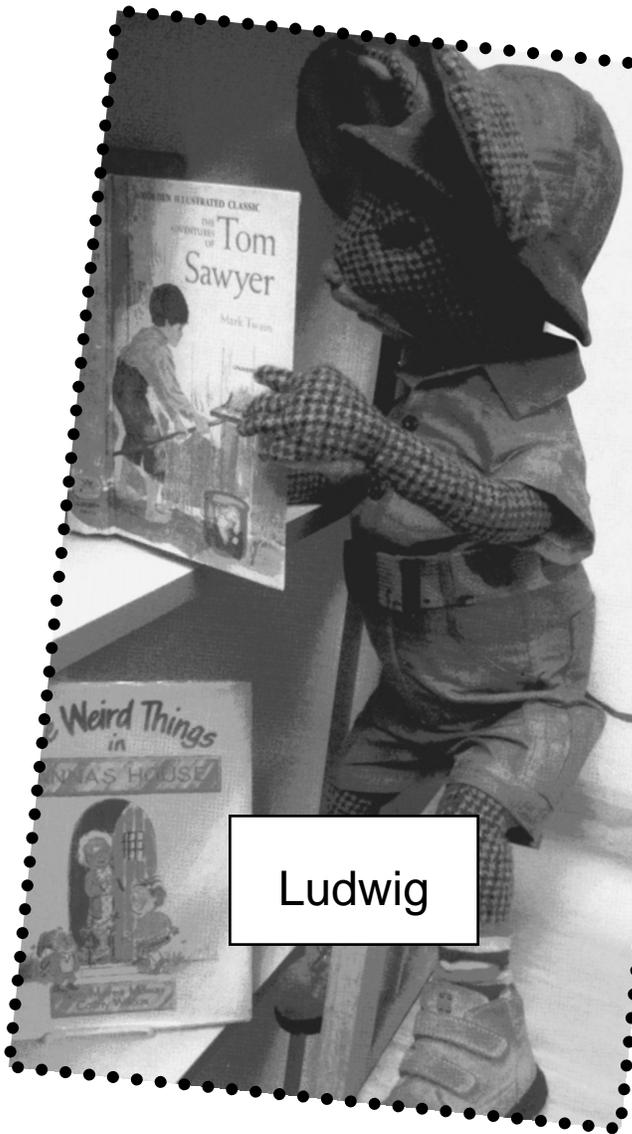
Over 300 cubic feet of books left over from the Friends 4th of July Book Sale will not end up in the county landfill. Half the books are headed to the Heppner Oregon FOL group for their annual book sale held on St. Patrick’s Day. The other half is going to the Irrigon, OR FOL group. This is our favorite kind of recycling—many of the books are hardbacks in excellent condition, and we are pleased to put them in the hands of other grateful readers, while supporting Oregon’s small community libraries in the process.

“To read good books is like holding a conversation with the most eminent minds of past centuries.”

George Orwell

Charlie Thomas develops flyers to Advertise the chapters bookstore

Many thanks to Charlie Thomas who volunteered his time and resources to create some wonderful graphics to help build awareness of the Chapters Bookstore. Several of the flyers feature Ludwig the Mouse, the children's library mascot.



CHAPTERS
A CHILDREN'S BOOKSTORE IN THE LIBRARY LOBBY
Just imagine...a book can enrich a child's life!

Just some of the things that books can do:
Take children places they've never been
Introduce new friends Make them laugh
Explain mysteries Answer questions

**We have a wide selection of gently used books
and small gift items for children.**

Chapters hours:
Monday: 10:00 am-4:00 pm Tuesday: 10:30 am-4:30 pm & 5:30 pm-7:30 pm
Wednesday: 11:00 am-2:00 pm Saturday: 10:00 am-1:00 pm

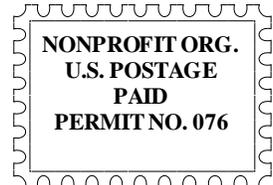
*The Chapters Bookstore was created by Friends of the Library and has an all volunteer staff.
All proceeds go directly to support programs at the Crook County Library.*

Charlie Thomas is a local Graphic Artist and owner of CT and Associates (541-280-7023). He has been doing graphic arts for over 25 years.

Volunteering runs in the Thomas family—his wife Lisa, and mother Peggy both volunteer at Chapters. Speaking of volunteering at Chapters, do YOU have a few hours to spare? Please call Susan Swan at 541-447-1428, stop by the Library, or email Susan at susan.chapters@gmail.com. Days and times are flexible to fit your schedule.



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4TH OF JULY BOOK SALE RESULTS

This annual fundraiser brought in \$1,822.25

Books = \$1,420
Membership Dues Paid = \$123
Silent Auction Items = \$156
Donations = \$23.25

Members-Only Drawing Winners:

Joann Larson—Pine Theater Gift Certificate
Riley Stock—Dinner Gift Certificate to either Dillon's or Club Pioneer
New member Tamara Vineyard—copy of "The Art of Racing in the Rain" and a book light

Thanks to all of you who volunteered for this successful event:

Fowl Play 4-H Club (Beth, Addison & Annalisa Peer, Christa, Nash & Holt Porfily) * Becky & Michael Kreachbaum * Glenda Jannsen * Jim Van Vlack * Cameron & Susan Danison * Barb Franano * Ruthann McGovern * Larry Thomas * Cher Sullivan * Tamara Vineyard * Alice Austen * Jim Haggerty * Chuck Hedges * Tom & Deb Mafera * Linda Evans * Barb Marshall * Steve Bucknum * Tim Pilcher * Carrie Gordon * Susan Swan

And special thanks to our lead organizer Denise Reinhart, who

The Friends Board members —

What are YOU Reading?

RECOMMEND A BOOK TO OTHERS!

Review of Richard Russo's Novel: Empire Falls

Rivers divide people and land as well as unite them. Richard Russo in his Pulitzer Prize winning novel focuses mostly on the former. The Knox River creates a mill industry in a small New England town and divides the people into the owners and the owned. Who owns what and whom comes into question throughout this tale of won and lost love and missed opportunities. The matriarchal mansion of Mrs. Whiting and the Empire Grill managed by Miles Roby, appear to be seats of power and powerlessness. The novel's characters are drawn toward one and repelled from the other. Family members, friends, lovers, antagonists, each has one, perhaps more roles to play in this in-depth record of lives going downstream. They could be asking us to evaluate our motives in our not so secret lives.

"The Road Not Taken" by fellow New Englander, Robert Frost hints at what can happen in the lives of Russo's vividly sketched characters. Does the landscape of their hearts and minds prove to be more enduring than the decaying landscape of the town? And what of the destructive current of the river? Enter "Empire Falls" and discover what may be the deeper meaning of the title of the book! **REVIEWED BY JIM HAGGERTY**



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