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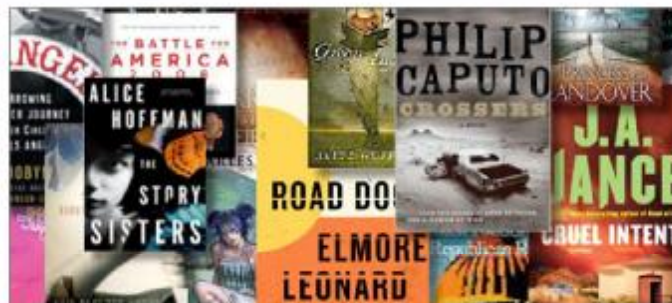
FRIENDS

of the Pima County Public Library

Tucson Festival of Books - A Highly Anticipated Sequel! March 13-14, 2010

The Tucson Festival of Books is a celebration of literacy where favorite authors gather to speak about their work and sign books. There are writing workshops and

competitions, panel presentations, live cooking demonstrations, children's activities, storytelling, artists and musicians ... and all this entertainment is free to the public.



More than 400 authors have already signed up to participate. Two favorites from the inaugural festival, J.A. Jance and Elmore Leonard, are among the headliners.

The Tucson Festival of Books is sponsored by the Arizona Daily Star and hosted and organized by The University of Arizona. Net proceeds promote literacy in Southern Arizona.

As they did last year, the Friends will be selling books at the Festival. Volunteers who worked the event last year were very enthusiastic about the event and look forward to being involved again.



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Friends Bookstore opening at Main Branch

The Friends will be opening a book store in the Joel D. Valdez Main Library this month. The large space was provided by the branch specifically for the bookstore: it is about 200 sq. feet. The hours will be Monday through Friday, 11am - 2pm.

The Friends currently sell books in the following branches: Abbett, Catalina, Columbus, El Rio, Flowing Wells, Geasa Marana, Golf Links, Himmel Park, Main, Mission, Nanini, River Road, Southwest, Valencia, Wilmot, and Woods. The books are set up on book carts or shelf space that has been provided by the branch.



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There are usually 2-4 volunteers per branch who work to select the books, stock the shelves, and collect/deposit the sale money. The carts have been very successful and our thanks go to those volunteers who keep them rolling!

2010 Book Sale Schedule

Saturday, January 23

Members Only Day 9am - 3pm

February 5-8 and

February 12-15

Thursday, Feb. 4 is Members Day

9am - 6pm all days

Half-Price Sundays, Bag Day Mondays

April 2-5

Thursday, Apr. 1 is Members Day

9am - 6pm all days

Half-Price Sundays, Bag Day Mondays

May 14-17

Thursday, May 13 is Members Day

9am - 6pm all days

Half-Price Sundays, Bag Day Mondays

June 26 - 27

8am - noon both days, regular prices

August 21 - 22

8am - noon both days, regular prices



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Members Only Book Sale

2010 Summer Sales

New Friends Bookstore

Tucson Festival of Books

Just for YOU!

Members-Only Book Sale

Saturday, January 23

9am - 3pm

One-Day Appreciation Sale

Here's your opportunity to get some great books, CDs, videos, and more!

We truly appreciate your support of the Friends. We are always looking for ways to enhance the benefits of being a member.

The next community book sale will be February 5-8 and 12-15, with Members Day on Thursday, Feb. 4.

Summer Sales are HOT!

We tested a summer sale in 2009 and you let us know that you liked it, so we're planning more for 2010. Be sure to include these on your summer calendar!

Monsoon Mini Sales

Open to the public

Saturday & Sunday - June 26 & 27

Saturday & Sunday - August 21 & 22

Hours will be 8am - noon both days

Regular prices both days.

Please remember - the Friends is a volunteer-based organization. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Libby Stone, Managing Director, at 795-3763 or email her at Libby@FPCPL.org.
