

LFOP Bookstore News

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August Specials

\$5 Bag Sale: Fill a grocery plastic bag with paperbacks, hardbacks, magazines, or puzzles. (DVDs not included). Also, standard paperbacks: 2 for the price of 1.



June Results

The Bookstore's sales total for June was \$1054.45. Four of the six months thus far have brought in over \$1000 each month! The Bookstore's sales year-to-date are \$5798.97, just slightly less than the same period last year. The Internet Sales group's June profit was \$401. *American Indians*, a 23-volume Time-Life set sold for \$120! The combined group's year-to-date total is \$9050.97, 7.7% less than last year.

Notes from Dianna....

This month we are having our **BIG BAG SALE** again, so be sure to keep our shelves well stocked. For \$5, patrons can fill a plastic grocery bag with any books, magazines or puzzles. This does not include DVDs. There are extra bags under the library table, but if you have extra bags at home, they would be most welcomed. Some purchases may need to be double bagged depending on weight. The only bags to be used are the grocery store size bags, not the reusable bags or larger department size bags.

Judy's Jottings....

First, a couple roster changes: We thank both Bruce Halvarson and Paul Kvasnicka for their help in the Bookstore and with internet sales, and wish them the best. With Bruce gone, I again have six spots to fill on a permanent basis, so if anyone is interested let me know. A friendly reminder that when you are shelving books in the back room, please check the printing date. Today (7-20), I was moving some books around and in checking the date of printing, found three that were printed in 2019. I gave them to David and one they did not have in the library. The other two should have been placed with the current publications instead of being shelved. We are again overloaded so, hopefully, the sale in August will give us a chance to trim our stock. I have placed some paperbacks under the table that are available for 2 for the price of 1, so feel free to put them out wherever possible. I know you all do your best every time you are in the book store and I appreciate all of you for your hard work.

Meet Jeanne Matt. . . .

Each month, we randomly select and feature one of our valued volunteers. This month, please meet **Jeanne Matt**. Jeanne Matt has had a long history of volunteerism, beginning in 9th grade in Tucson with the migrant ministry at her church. She is a lifelong Presbyterian, with many years of serving on governing bodies, organizing church groups, and with a special interest in women's issues. Her experience in setting up meetings, which of course meant serving food, led to a career as an itinerant cook for various churches after someone suggested she should get paid for her talent. In recent years, she has set up a 'Free Table' at Presbyterian luncheons stocked with cookbooks and puzzles that she has purchased from our Bookstore.

Jeanne is also a collector, with 3000 books in her Phoenix home as well as many more in her Payson home. She discovered authors she never would have read when she began collecting her 240 Penguin paperbacks. Her collecting hobby started at age 7 in Kansas, when she paid \$.35 for a box of miscellaneous items at an auction because there were a lot of sea shells in it. She sold a potty chair from her purchase for \$.25 and hasn't stopped bargain hunting since. She often goes to the local thrift stores in search of her next treasure.

When Jeanne married her mining engineer husband, they lived in San Manuel, where he worked for Magma Copper. One day he came home complaining of facial injuries the miners would suffer because the eye shields were inadequate, so she designed and manufactured larger size plastic eye shields in their home. After raising their 3 children, they relocated to Phoenix to be near the Phoenix Art Museum, where she gave more than 480 volunteer hours.



Jeanne became interested in mineralogy through her parents, has a cataloged collection, has spoken at the local Rock Club and has even had a display in the rotating display in the library. Of all the things Jeanne has accomplished, she is most delighted to have a granddaughter with a Master's Degree in Library Science, who is currently working for the Phoenix Library system.

Jeanne is pictured with a replica of a 13th Century Danish castle created in the 70's by her engineer father after he retired. Rygaard is her mother's family name. The sides come off to see the rooms, furniture and décor that her parents created. Jeanne's cheerful, positive personality are a real asset to our Bookstore. Thanks, Jeanne!

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