



Friends of the Hunterdon County Library (FOHCL)

23rd Annual Used Book Sale – April 26 – 29, 2019

GENERAL BOOK SALE INFORMATION:

Friday, April 26 - Preview Sale Hours: 1-4:30 PM (Application is enclosed with this mailing.)

Saturday, April 27 - Early Bird Admission Hours: 8 – 10AM

Early Bird Admission is FREE to FOHCL members presenting 2019 membership cards.

All others age 18 years and over pay \$20 for Early Bird Admission.

Free Public Admission Hours: 10AM – 5PM

Sunday, April 28 - Half-price Day Hours: 10AM – 3PM

Nonprofit, Educator and Volunteer Gleaning Hours: 3:30 - 5PM

Monday, April 29 - Bag Sale Hours: 9 AM – 2 PM – We provide the bags.

BOOK SALE and BOOK DRIVE Location:

South County Park, Fairgrounds, The Grange Building, Route 179, Lambertville, NJ 08530

Book Drives are two Saturdays, April 13 and 20. Donation Drop-off Hours: 9 AM – 2 PM

Gates open and close promptly at the designated times. (NOTE: Volunteer hours 8 AM – 3 PM because volunteers arrive early for setup and stay later for cleanup.)

Please bring large donations to the Book Drives, if possible. Books can be donated at the HQ Library on Route 12 and at the North County (Clinton) and South County (Ringo's) Branch Libraries during business hours April 15-18. (Libraries are closed on Good Friday, April 19.)

The final day to donate items for the sale is April 20 at the Book Drive.

VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP and NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERSHIP

Volunteers are needed for sale setup from Wednesday, April 10 through cleanup Wednesday, May 1. Please carefully read and fill in the yellow Volunteer Opportunities form included with this mailing and return it as soon as possible. Submit a completed form for **each** individual volunteer. Please make a copy of your volunteer times as we depend on you being there.

Also be sure to either newly join or renew your FOHCL membership for 2019-20. A Membership form and return envelope are included with this mailing. Only 2019 FOHCL members can volunteer. Volunteer high schoolers and undergraduate college students wanting to earn community service hours will be given honorary 2019 memberships.

Special Note to all Volunteers: Please bring your donations ON or preferably BEFORE Saturday, April 20. No donations will be accepted after April 20.

DO DONATE - In boxes with lids, if possible:

- Hardback & Paperback Books for Adults and Children
- DVDs, CDs, Audiobooks on CD, Video Games & Sheet Music

Items may be donated at the South County Park Grange Building during any of the published volunteer hours ending Saturday, April 20. Charitable donation forms are available at the book drives, at the Grange during sorting hours and at the Libraries.

DO NOT DONATE (because we cannot sell them):

- LPs/Vinyl
- Cassette Tapes of any kind
- Former Library Books
- Encyclopedias
- Outdated Computer & Business Books (published before 2010)
- *Reader's Digest* Condensed Books
- Advanced Reader Copies
- Textbooks
- Catalogs & Magazines (including *National Geographic*)
- Torn, soiled, moldy, mildewed or badly worn items
- **All donations deemed to be unsellable (as described above) will not be accepted and/or will be recycled immediately.**

PRICES: Hardbacks, large/trade paperbacks and children's hardback books are \$2.00. Mass market paperbacks and children's soft cover books are 50¢. Special items will be individually priced and found either on the sale floor or in the Special Collections Boutique. All books will be sorted into fiction categories, nonfiction categories and children's categories.

Our Book Sale would not be possible without our wonderful volunteers. Please visit the Hunterdon County Library website – click on the FOHCL page to download a Volunteer Form and a Membership Form. We NEED you and we have plenty to keep you busy!

ANNUAL PREVIEW SALE

Our Annual Preview Sale is back to one session this year. An additional 30 minutes has been added to the session time: 1-4:30 PM on Friday, April 26, 2019. This year 65 FOHCL members can purchase tickets @ \$65 per person. You will find the details on the enclosed Preview Application Sheet. Attendees may leisurely browse through all our books during the Preview Sale before our Book Sale officially begins. We welcome both new and returning Preview attendees.

GLEANING INFORMATION

FOHCL is pleased to welcome Nonprofit Organizations and Educators to attend Gleaning on Sunday afternoon, April 28, 2019, from 3:30-5 PM. There is no charge to glean and the books your organization gleans are free! Just bring your own boxes/bags for packing.

If you are interested or know a nonprofit organization or an educator who would be interested in gleaning, email fohclgleaning@gmail.com to receive the registration guidelines and registration form in advance. Registration at the door may delay your entry to the sale floor.

All book sale volunteers are also invited to glean on Sunday afternoon during gleaning hours.

BOOK SALE CONTACT for GENERAL INFORMATION

HCL Reference Desk for Questions: 908-788-1434

Mailing Address: FOHCL, 314 State Route 12, Building #3, Flemington, NJ 08822

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