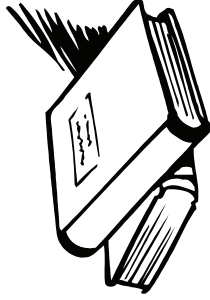


# Join Friends of the Carver Library (FOL)



## FOL FAQs

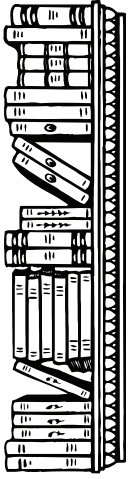
*(Frequently Asked Questions)*

## Mission Statement

The Friends of the Carver Library (FOL) is a group of volunteers dedicated to help the library reach its fullest potential in our community.

The purpose is to establish and maintain close relationships between the library and the people it serves; to increase public awareness of library resources through funds from memberships, gifts, bequests and fundraising; to encourage community participation in library activities; to recommend activities, programs or procedures for the consideration of the Board of Trustees.

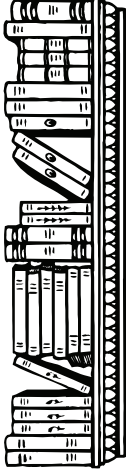




Q: What has Friends of the Library (FOL) done for our community?

A: In general, FOL promotes the Library, raises funds and recommends programs. In particular, FOL

- ❖ Helps fulfill the Library Wish List
  - Bought a puppet stand
  - Bought a VCR/DVD player
  - Bought beanbag chairs for Children's Room
  - Bought computer desks for Children's Room
- ❖ Sponsors Library programs
  - Donates educational materials and supplies
  - Buys craft supplies for Toddler Story Hour
  - Buys craft supplies for Summer Reading Program
  - The Music Lady Carole Kingsbury
- ❖ Organizes Used Book Sales—
  - Ongoing book sales (cart)
  - Plus 2 or 3 annual sales events
- ❖ Manages Book Gift Program
- ❖ Co-Sponsored with Carver Cultural Council the Pass to Plimoth Plantation
- ❖ Purchased a subscription to *Book Page*



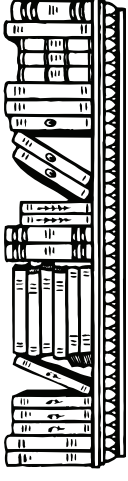
Q: What can FOL do for me?

A: Being a member of FOL will give you these benefits:

- ❖ An invitation to Book Sale Previews
- ❖ A discounted fee for FOL-sponsored events (if a fee is charged)
- ❖ 50¢ off any FOL product over \$1.00
- ❖ “2 for 1” raffle chances
- ❖ 10¢ per book from ongoing 25¢ Book Sale Cart

Q: What can I do for FOL?

- A: Depending on your talents and preferences, you can...
- ❖ Manage Book Sales
    - Set up or clean up
    - Cashier or assistant
  - ❖ Maintain the member database
  - ❖ Coordinate Book Gift Program
  - ❖ Write thank-you notes for donations
  - ❖ Organize fundraisers
    - Design and run
    - Assist
  - ❖ Prepare the Newsletter
    - Write
    - Print
    - Stuff envelopes
  - ❖ Or be a silent member, financially supporting FOL work



Q: How much does a membership cost and how do I join?

A: An Annual Individual Membership is only \$10 (\$5 for seniors). Complete the Membership Form and be a Friend!

Don't you want to join today?

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Street Address (if different from mailing): \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone—home or work or cell (*circle*) \_\_\_\_\_

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

Comments/Volunteer Preferences: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail \$10 (\$5 for seniors) and this form to  
Carver FOL, Two Meadowbrook Wy,  
Carver, MA 02330.

**Thank you!**

Office Use Only \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ or Cash \_\_\_\_\_  
Dep Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Card Sent: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
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