

# BOOK SALE IDEAS FROM FOLUSA

## YOUNGSTOWN , NY :

Friends of the Youngstown Free Library recently included a "Book Buck" in the newsletter mailed to Friends members. The dollar-size Book Buck, printed on bright green paper, was affixed inside the newsletter with a circular sticker and entitled the bearer to one dollar's worth of books at the upcoming book sale.

## MARBLEHEAD , MA :

Friends of the Abbot Public Library invite senior citizens for two hours of "Seniors Only" shopping at their used book sale, with a special incentive of 20% off. The "Seniors Only" time was held at 10 a.m. on the second day of the public book sale, with the doors open to the general public at noon.

## NORTH WILKESBORO, NC:

Friends of the Wilkes County Library teamed up with the Wilkes Art Gallery for a joint sale. The one-day event featured used books sold by the Friends and a "Trash-to-Treasure" sale of donated yard sale items to benefit the gallery.

## MOKENA , IL :

Faced with a large number of romance paperbacks left over from their book sale, Friends of the Mokena Library invested \$3 in a roll of ribbon and assembled the paperbacks into bundles of seven books each. Here's their report: "We set up a table near the front entrance of the library starting January 23, charged \$1 per bundle (payable at the circulation desk, so we didn't even have to man the table!), and made more than \$90 in two weeks." Now they're considering a similar project with the large number of leftover Goosebumps books, perhaps with an orange ribbon for Hallowe'en.

## KINGFISHER, OK:

The Friends of the Kingfisher County Library have begun a new service -- patrons who wish to donate magazines or books for the Friends sale can call the library and have their donations picked up.

YORBA LINDA , CA :

The silent auctions at the Book Corner, the bookshop of the Friends of the Yorba Linda Public Library, continue to draw interest. Special books and items are in a center display case at the shop. Bidding begins on the first day of the month and ends 15 minutes before closing on the last day of the month that the shop is open. The April auction included an autographed baseball and some Disney books and raised \$313. In July they planned to have children's books in the auction, with an upper age limit for bidders.