



FRIENDS
OF THE WINNIPEG
PUBLIC LIBRARY

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Volunteer Application Form

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Thank you for your interest in being involved with the Friends of the Winnipeg Public Library.

Please share why you are interested in volunteering, along with the areas and why those ones are special to you, include your availability week/monthly.

Please attach a resumé, including Volunteer/Board experience.

○ **Serve as a Board Director**

- This board raises funds in support of projects and programs for the City of Winnipeg Libraries
- The Board meets the third Tuesday of the month (except during July and December) between 3:30 pm and 6:00 pm *currently via Zoom*
- We review operational needs, make decisions on funding expenditures and plan events
- Board members are encouraged to assist with fundraising events that occur on weekends

○ **Best of Friends Gift Shop (ongoing)**

- Retail experience is useful
- Computer knowledge is necessary
- Training is provided to work independently 3 – 4 days a month
- Shifts are 5 – 6 hours

○ **Book Sale Preparation (ongoing) at St James Library**

(Currently on hold)

- Familiarity with various book categories needed
- Includes sorting, pricing, and packing donated books
- Involves lifting and reaching

○ **Fall Book Sale in October - Friday Eve Set up, Sat. & Sun. Sale**

- One or more 5 hour shifts – within the 2 ½ day event
 - Tasks include set up, assisting shoppers, tending tables, payment area, packing up
- (Currently on hold)*

PRIVACY: Personal information collected on this form and in the interview will be used for the sole purpose of placing volunteers with the Friends of the Winnipeg Public Library.

This completed form can be dropped off at the Best of Friends Gift Shop located at 251 Donald St in the lobby of the Millennium Library or mailed to the address listed above. It can also be completed on line through the Friends web site.

Thank you for your interest. You will be contacted within one month.