

Be a Friend!

■ The “West Hill” branch library opened in 1930 in a house near Highland Square and moved to its present locale in March 1956. In 2007, the new Highland Square Branch Library opened as part of the redevelopment of the Highland Square area. Currently, our branch houses a collection of over 75,000 items, including books, magazines, movies, and reference materials, as well as a variety of works from a number of local artists such as Don Drumm, Mark Soppeland, Bob Pozarski, P.R. Miller, and Leroy Flint, among others. In addition, it proudly showcases an eclectic display of paintings and creations from aspiring young neighborhood artists who take part in the library’s many hands-on programs. If you would like to be part of this thriving community, become a Friend of Highland Square Branch today. Your membership and participation will support a variety of information services, book talks, book sales, and other unique programs and activities.

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**Join the
Friends of
Highland Square Branch Library**

The Friends of Highland Square Branch Library is an organization committed to supporting the work of the Library.

- We raise funds for Library projects and activities through book sales, membership donations, and other Friends fund-raising programs.
- We purchase special supplies and materials to support the Library's programs, collections, and buildings.
- We support the mission of the Library in the community.

Friends Benefits

When you join the Friends you'll receive:

- Invitations to special activities and members only events.
- A copy of the Library's newsletter **Shelf Life** mailed to your home or office.
- A **15% discount** on all regularly-priced purchases at the **Library Shop on Main**, lower level at Main Library.
- Invitations to special events at the **Library Shop on Main**.

How Can I Be A Friend?

Just fill out this application and return it with a check for the Friends annual membership gift.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State ____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

e-mail: _____

This is a gift membership. Please send me an acknowledgement card.

Send my Gift membership to:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State ____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____

e-mail: _____

Detach and Mail

Enclosed is my annual membership gift to the Friends:

Students (through 12 grade)....\$1

General.....\$2

Patron/Family\$5

Corporate.....\$25

Please make checks payable to **Friends of Highland Square Branch Library**, and send to Highland Square Branch Library, 807 W. Market St., Akron, Ohio 44303.

_____ I would like to volunteer at book sales and other Friends events at Highland Square Branch Library. Please call me.

_____ I would like to volunteer at the Library Shop on Main and other Friends events at Main Library. Please call me.

_____ My gift to the Friends of the Library is my membership donation. Please do not call me for volunteer activities.