



# Newsletter

## FRIENDS OF THE SANTA FE PUBLIC LIBRARY

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**Friends of the Santa Fe Public Library raises funds for the purchase of new books, media, and other items for our public library system, by donations, grants and the sale of books given to the library. Sales offer a wide variety of low-price books, both hardcovers and paperbacks.**

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\*see these notices to get a sense of the many programs your donation supports, in addition to new books.

"A library is a home for the imagination." ...Lisa Scottoline

Booksales are listed on page 4, as well as on our website: [santafelibraryfriends.org](http://santafelibraryfriends.org) or email us at: [friends@santafelibraryfriends.org](mailto:friends@santafelibraryfriends.org)

### FRIENDS PLAN ANNUAL MEETING

James McGrath Morris will be the speaker at the Friends Annual Meeting on Jan. 30 at 2 p.m. at Main Library. Santa Fe author, Mr. Morris wrote *Pulitzer: A Life in Politics, Print and Power*. **The public is invited.** Refreshments will be served.

New officers will be installed at this time. Members will also be able to see a Treasurer's report and budget.

### (from the Mayor's State of the City Address)

"Even as the economy struggles, we've worked hard to keep direct services to people intact. Our libraries have maintained their hours and continue to offer after-school programs for young people, reading programs for parents and babies; and library computers are being used for writing resumes and searching for jobs.

"728,000 books were checked out, 17,739 children attended programs, 970 children took part in Summer Reading and 950,000 people visited the libraries

"And I want to tell you about my experience with the Library. I asked the library if they could help me find a book I had heard about on a radio program. I did not know the author or title, but just the subject. By the next morning the book was on my desk! Thanks to the library for great service. Thank you, Pat. I still don't know how they did that!"

Mayor David Coss

(The thanks go to Main's Library Director Tim Greer, who used great reference techniques to find the book.)

## Santa Fe Library announces new Catalogue features:

Two new features have been added to the Santa Fe Public Library catalog to assist patrons in their use of the Library collections and their reading wishes.

**My Lists** is a new feature that allows patrons to keep track of items that they may want to check out in the future, but don't want to check out or place a hold on right now. Patrons can have several *My Lists* and give them their own titles and descriptions, such as "Movies to Watch" or "Interesting Nonfiction". Patrons can also place holds on the items right from their lists when they are ready for them.

**My Reading History** is a way to keep track of items that a patron has checked out already. For one's privacy and security, this is a feature that can only be chosen and maintained by the patron. Neither the Library staff nor the Library software is able to access patrons' past checkouts even if they choose this feature. However, patrons need to be aware that all lists could be accessed by government agencies if the agency has obtained a search warrant. To access these new features go to the Library's Website, [www.santafelibrary.org](http://www.santafelibrary.org), call your local reference librarian for assistance, or email the Library at [library@santafenm.gov](mailto:library@santafenm.gov)

### Free TEEN Manga Programs

Manga workshops, including graphic novels, will be presented at the Main branch of the Santa Fe Public Library on Saturdays, in November. The programs will be held from 2:00-4:00 p.m. The free programs will be presented by FACT, Fine Arts for Children and Teens. Registration is required.

Part 1 was held on Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Part 2:** Saturday, November 13: 2:00 - 4:00 pm  
Classes are taught by FACT instructors Aline Hunziker and Melinda Baker. All materials are provided for these FREE programs.

Space is limited, so call to register: **955-6783**

**Sponsored by YOU: the Friends of the Santa Fe Public Library.**

"Americans go to school, public and academic libraries nearly three times more often than they go to the movies."

The American Library Association.

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### New Computer Workshops

started November 9, 2010

Main Library, Community Room  
145 Washington Ave.

Tuesday Mornings, 10:15 - 11:45 a.m.

Each *free* workshop is limited to ten adults, aged 18 and over. Registration is recommended. Call 955-6781 or register in person at the Main Reference Desk.

**Basic Internet E-mail** - November 16 :

Set up a free e-mail account on the internet, send and receive messages, attach documents, and set up contact lists.

**Basic Internet Searching** - November 23:

An introduction to web site navigation, using a browser, web addresses, and links, and searching the internet.

**Basic Internet E-mail** - November 30:

Set up a free e-mail account on the internet, send and receive messages, attach documents, and set up contact lists.

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### Workshop for Adults: Calligraphy, Handwriting and Making Your Own Holiday Cards

Southside Library, November 15, 5:30-7:30pm

LaFarge Library, November 17, 6:00-8:00pm

Advance registration required.

Presented by teacher, artist and professional calligrapher Sherry Bishop. All supplies provided.

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"There are more public libraries than McDonalds in the U.S." 16,604 including branches...

(source: The American Library Association)

Bonjour...Hola....Nǐ Hao...Ohaiyogozaimasu

Most people know that each of these words is a form of greeting in its respective language - French, Spanish, Chinese and Japanese, in that order, to be exact. Most people probably wouldn't know how to say much else. Here is another thing they probably don't know. Internationally, nearly seventy percent of people are bilingual. In the United States, that number is only nine percent.

Why is that number so low? It's not because people don't want to learn a second language. Instead it's because people think it's too hard, or will take too much time, or will cost too much money. None of those reasons apply now because **the Santa Fe Public Library has Mango Languages in its list of Online Resources.**

Mango is a simple, easy-to-use language learning program that is offered online and is the most effective way to learn a language. It's fun! The courses are presented with an appreciation for cultural nuance and real-world application that integrates components of grammar and culture. Students learn actual *conversation*.

Mango is available in two versions. One is Mango Complete, a 100-lesson course that is designed to provide a full understanding of an entire language and its culture. It is available in nine foreign language and three ESL courses. The second is Mango Basic, which teaches everyday greetings, gratitudes, goodbyes and helpful phrases in a short period of time and is designed to appeal to a beginner in a new language, currently available in 22 foreign languages and 14 English as a Second Language (ESL) courses.

To learn more about Mango and get a preview of what the program has to offer, you can visit the company's website at [www.mangolanguages.com](http://www.mangolanguages.com).

Even better, if you have your library card and have access to the internet, you can access the actual courses remotely from anywhere!

For more information, go to Online Resources on the Library's web site: [www.santafelibrary.org](http://www.santafelibrary.org).

And, by the way, Au Revoir...Adiós....Zài Jiàn...Sayonara

MANY THANKS TO ALL WHO SUPPORTED THE LIBRARY BOND ISSUE, WHICH PASSED. 'YOUR SUPPORT SPEAKS VOLUMES.'

## WHAT IS YOUR BOOK CLUB READING?

The Santa Fe Woman's Club has a book club. Here are some of their selections:

*Run* by Ann Patchett

*Peace Like a River* by Leif Enger

*A Year in the South-1865* by Stephen Ash

*Skeletons of the Feast* by Chris Bohjalian

*Look Homeward Angel* by Thomas Wolfe

(Please share with us what your book club has chosen to read: [friends@santafelibraryfriends.org](mailto:friends@santafelibraryfriends.org))

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## FRIENDS PROVIDE SCHOOL BUS TRIPS TO THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Santa Fe Public Library pay for the school buses to bring students to the library. Each teacher can call the library and make arrangements. Last year Friends provided 35 trips.

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### Those who gave donations over \$50 in

**September/October:** Sally & Ed Evans, Pat Feather, Mimi Hubby, Mr. & Mrs. Loren Mall, Albertson's Community Partners, Elizabeth Rhine-Egelhof, William Brancard, Jean & Kent Watts, Hope Curtis, Barbara Meem, and Samuel & Judith Berger.

### Memorials in September/October:

In memory of Robert Winson, given by Eli Sagan's donor advised fund.

In memory of Jeanne Lawton: gifts by Marian Jacobs, Pat Feather and Margaret Ehrenkranz.

In memory of Dorothy Ray: gifts by Terry & Susan Floyd and Marvin & Carol Lachman. (Recently a long time "Friend" and supporter of the library, Dorothy Ray, passed away. Gifts to honor her memory, or in memory of others, may be made to Friends of the Santa Fe Public Library, 145 Washington Ave., SF, 87501)

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## Join Now

### SUPPORT SPEAKS VOLUMES

Through membership dues, extra contributions and sale of books in the bookstores and in special sales, the Friends of the Santa Fe Library pays for **new books and programs**. Members receive newsletters and are admitted early at some sales. Friends of the Santa Fe Library is a non-profit organization, so dues and extra gifts are **tax deductible**.

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City, ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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Individual Membership, \$10.00

OR

Household Membership, \$15.00

**extra** contribution to FOL\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(to help to buy more books!)

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Check here if you want  
info on helping as a volunteer.**

Send form and check to:  
Friends of the Library  
145 Washington Ave.  
Santa Fe, NM 87501

## Upcoming Book Sales:

### Discount Book Sale at LaFarge Branch Saturday, Nov. 20 & Sunday, Nov. 21

LaFarge Library (1730 Llano St.)

Hardbound \$1, buy one get one free!

Paperbacks \$.50, or 3 for \$1

CDs, DVDs, audiobooks also available

10 am – 4 pm Saturday, 1-4 pm Sunday

All hours open to the public

## Holiday Book Sale

### Quality Books only, Individually priced

Saturday, Dec. 4 in the Southwest Room

at Main Library

(145 Washington Ave.)

One day only:

10 am – 4 pm

All hours open to the public

Great bargains on  
potential gift books!

All proceeds go  
toward purchase  
of books and  
other resources.

Books on sale  
every day (except  
Sunday) at our 2  
Book Stores at  
Southside Library  
Main Library.