

Library Notes

Spring 2005

Super Saturday Celebration June 11, 2004

Join us for an exciting day of exhibits and activities as the Friends help celebrate Super Saturday.

Open 10 to 5 during Super Saturday, the library and the lobby area will be available for people to view different activities, and to relax in strategically located rest areas. The Library will not be open to provide normal services Saturday or Sunday.

In the Library Lobby from
Noon to 3:00 PM you will find a
Listening Salon featuring
Dobbie Norris, a Seattle poet,
former Seattle Poet Laureate,
and the following artists:

- Brenda Givens, writer, storyteller, teacher and poet
- Crooked Line singer/ songwriters, Charlotte
 Thistle and Susan Harper
- Peggy Sullivan singer/ guitarist
- Rod Tipton poet,
- Jack McCarthy "The Standup Poet"
- Tom Rawson musician, banjo and guitar
- Elizabeth She noted Olympia poet writer and radio show host.
- Laurie Barnoski Olympia area educator and essayist
- Irene Brennan, Greenwich Village artist and poet
- JeAnna Weber, harpist

In the Library from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM, there will be displays showcasing:

- James F Holly Rare books room will have a display of books by Evergreen Faculty, staff and students., including recent acquisitions.
- Exhibition of the glass art project to be installed in the finished remodel of the Library.
- More than ten Friends supported senior student projects.
- Web sites created by Library staff and students.
- Chicano /Latino archives web site.
- Library collection of Middle Eastern video highlights.
- Library Remodel Information Kiosk
 - Photographic displays
 - Artist renderings
 - Architect talk

At the Information Desk you can:

- Sign up to become a member of the Friends of the Evergreen Library
- Buy a unique tile to support the library remodel.
- Sign up to run or volunteer for the Friends sponsored 5K race, on Sunday, June 12. 2005.

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For Members Only!

Reserve October 6, 2005 for the Friends Annual Meeting

We will meet at Childhood's End Gallery in Olympia.

Our featured program will be a discussion led by Gabrielle Levine and an exhibition of her art works.



Friends Sponsor Second Annual 5K Race



The Friends of the Evergreen State College Library will sponsor the 2nd annual Evergreen Classic 5K Race on Sunday, June 12 on the college campus.

The race is the culmination of various community events connected to Evergreen's traditional Super Saturday celebration.

The race begins at 9 a.m. at the Library Loop in front of Red Square. Runners and walkers will travel along a flat, fast course through the campus that ends back at the Library Loop. The race is USATF certified and sanctioned. Timing will be provided by Perfect Time Events.

Friends Provide Funds for Worthy Projects



The Friends of the Evergreen State College recently awarded grants to 28 seniors to help fund their senior projects. Ten students received awards of \$250 each for their Outstanding Submissions.

Another 18 students received Notable Submission awards of \$100 each. The funds will be used for a variety of projects in disciplines ranging from the sciences to the arts.

At their May meeting the Friends Board granted \$600 to support an initial translation project of the emerging web page for the Chicano/Latino Archive project. A local translation company, Spanish Pronto, has been contracted to do that work and will complete it by the end of June. The Board also agreed to fund a project to begin digitizing a series of literary recordings produced by the Library of Congress and purchased by the Library in the early 1980's. We will begin work in July to transfer the recordings from reel to reel audio tape to compact disc, thereby preserving the materials and making them available to researchers and scholars.

Awards will be given to the winners in the overall and masters divisions. The top three finishers in 13 age divisions will also be recognized. People of all ages are encouraged to participate.

The early entry fee is \$20 for people who pre-register and \$25 for those who register on the day of the race.. The registration packet includes a tee shirt and sports bottle.

Day of race registration starts at 7:30 a.m. at Red Square. For race details, visit www.evergreen.edu/library/5K or phone (360) 867-6487.

Special thanks to Jenny DeHaas and her committee for all their time and effort in making this a success!

Library Re-Modeling Changes Book Sale

Due to the remodeling of the Library Building we will not build holding the traditional book sale at Super Saturday.

The construction process temporarily removed all the storage space from the first floor of the Library. This was the area where the surplus books normally were accumulated for the sale. Since there was no space for storage the Friends chose an alternative solution.

We have a marketing arrangement with Last Words Books to sell the surplus material. In return they pay us a commission on all the works they sell. This arrangement will continue through the remainder of 2005.

You are invited to stop by Last Word Books and check out the works on sale.

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