

**ALL ABOUT  
FRIENDS OF THE LONG BEACH PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**The purpose of this organization shall be:**

- to maintain an association of persons interested in libraries and for the assisting of financial support for the needs of the children visiting your library;
- to focus public attention on the library by contributing monies as members of the Friends of the Library or as supporters of the library in many ways;
- to stimulate the use of the library's resources and services by purchasing computers, children's books, and furniture as part of the library's main resources and services; to receive and encourage gifts, endowments and bequests to the library;
- to support and cooperate with the library in developing library services and facilities for the community; to lend legislative support where needed; and
- to support the freedom to read as expressed in the American Library Association Bill of Rights.

**Our local chapter serves in many capacities as a volunteer auxiliary;**

- to assist the librarians and the staff in planning year-round special events and activities for the library such as luncheons, book sales, fashion show, etc.;
- by planning educational activities and literary events of interest to our local youth of school age such as police "dare" programs, spelling bees, storytelling, musical talent shows, etc.;
- and
- to consistently work toward an increasing interest and usage of our library facilities and services.

**Your interest and support, whether in person or as a financial supporter, is needed and most appreciated by the friendly staff of the library and friends of the library.**

Please make your check out to Friends of the Long Beach Public Library. You may mail in your membership to the following address:

Long Beach Public Library  
Attn: Friends  
209 Jeff Davis Avenue  
Long Beach, MS 39560

Thank you!

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Friends of the Long Beach Public Library  
2019-2020 Membership

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Membership Fee (\$10.00) \_\_\_\_\_

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