

**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!

Friends of the Long Beach Public Library
2020-2021 Membership

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Membership Fee (\$10.00) _____
