

Friends of the Brick Library

SEPTEMBER 2023

Please Note: Membership dues will be collected at our September 6th Meeting.

Message From Our President

Welcome Brick Friends to the start of another new and promising year. The Executive Board has secured some speakers and activities that we hope you will participate in and enjoy.

At our first meeting, there will be a few sign-up sheets namely Sign-in table at meetings, committee sign-ups and Volunteer sign-ups for National Friends of the Library Week. Please consider joining a committee or two!

Friends of the Brick Library meet the first Wednesday of each month unless otherwise noted.

Meetings start at 10:00am except in June and December when they start at 11am.

DUES are due in September.

Marilyn Lago, President

Upcoming Events

Wednesday, Sept. 6th

The Buzz About Honeybees

Guest Speaker: Cattus Island Naturalist

These busy little insects ensure the pollination of our crops and wild plants that we take for granted. Learn about the structure and hierarchy of the beehive as well as the history of beekeeping.

Wednesday, Oct. 4th

Tunnel to Towers

Guest Speaker: Kathy Cunningham, Board Member

Hear how Kathy, whose brother perished on 9/11 while working in the North Tower of Cantor Fitzgerald, raises awareness and funds to aid our Military and First Responders. Tunnel to Tower builds mortgage-free handicap homes for catastrophically injured Service Members. It also pays the mortgage of Service Members who left young families behind. Please join us for a memorable discussion.

Wednesday, Dec. 1st

Annual Holiday Luncheon

Join us this year at JBJ Soul Kitchen for our Annual Holiday Party.

Once again, we will be having our Crazy Sock Exchange and our Trivia Contest. More information to follow.

MEMBERS ONLY

Community Service

Friends of the Brick Library maintain bookshelves at the Shorrock Complete Care. We collect gently used books, hardcover, magazines and newer titles for our library as well as the assisted living facility. Many thanks to our members who organize and replenish these bookshelves.

National Friends of the Library Week

October 15th - October 21st

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

to sit at the Membership
Table.

BUS TRIP

Thursday, Nov. 9th

Cost: \$99

Tomasello Winery and Resorts Casino

Winery Tour and Lunch

\$15 Casino Money

Transportation & Gratuities

Depart Target at 10:00am

Arrive back in Brick at 7:00pm

Reservations call (732) 673-4451

Friends of the Brick Library

Executive Board 2023-2024.

Marilyn Lago - President

Marie Alfano - Vice President

Dawn Cherry - Secretary

Diane Kozlowski - Treasurer

Flo Tagget - Member-at-Large

Joanne Nebenburgh - Member-at-Large

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MISSION STATEMENT

To create public interest in the library; to promote knowledge of the functions, resources, services, and needs of the library; to foster support for the necessary development of the library to the end that it may serve the needs of the residents of the community.