The Friends of the Library: May Updates

Thank you to everyone who enjoyed a meal at Applebee's last month as part of our fundraiser!

Town-Wide Yard Sale: May 10th, 8AM-2PM

Find new treasures at the Library! Make your offers on household goods, kitchen items, holiday decorations, scrapbook materials, craft supplies, puzzles, and more that we'll have for sale. We'll be set up by the patio, and we can't wait to see you.

Plant Sale: May 17th, 8AM-2PM 👺 😃

We're excited to continue our partnership with the Massabesic Garden Club for our annual Spring Plant Sale at the Library. Shop for vegetables, perennials, annuals, and heirloom seeds. Enjoy 4 free kids' crafts and, new this year, our "Ask a Master Gardener Booth." We'll also have two raffles going throughout the day; the wall applique (see below) at noon and a gardener's delight basket at 2:00 PM.

In advance of this event, we're seeking donations of new or gently used garden-related books, statuary, supplies/tools, and pots. We're also looking for perennial donations and are happy to have a member of our digging committee pick them up at your house. To schedule, please call Jess Taynor at (603)505-2359. Items may also be dropped off at the library on Thursday, 5/15 or Friday, 5/16 (please label any plants with the type).

Welcome Spring Appliquéd Quilt Wall Hanging Raffle

Enter to win a beautiful wall hanging (15x22"), generously donated by Judy Bellerose! Raffle tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5 and can be purchased at the library where the hanging is also on display. The drawing will be held at our Plant Sale on May 17th at 12PM.

Zoo New England Discount Pass

Did you know the library offers discounted passes to the Stone Zoo in Stoneham, MA and the Franklin Zoo in Boston, MA? Visit zoonewengland.org for more details on the properties, including when each is open during the year, and griffinfree.org for more information on borrowing the passes.

Visit <u>friendsofgriffinfree.org</u> for news, event information, and event photos. We can be reached at <u>secretary@friendsofgriffinfree.org</u> and invite you to our next meeting at 6:30PM at the library on Monday, May 5th.