### **Good Reasons to Join the** FRIENDS OF THE MILLVILLE FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Assist the library with the purchase of the latest books, videos, and DVD's.



Help sponsor a wide variety of valuable library programming.



Receive advance notice of special events.



Meet others who love books as much as you do.



Be a part of the library's vision for the future.



Know that your contribution will touch the lives of people in our community.



Join in the fun with Friends projects.



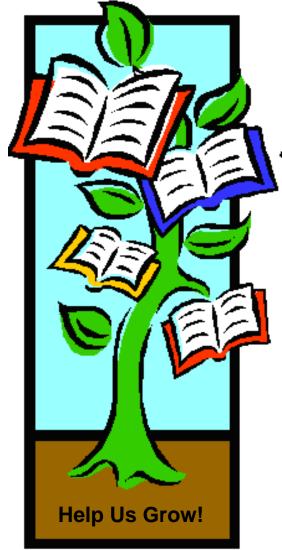
Support children, young adult, and adult library special events and services.



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# A Brief History of the Millville Free Public Library

- In 1984, a generous donation was made by Dr. Thomas Lalor to be used as seed money for the town library.
- The town purchased the Kellett Funeral Home property at 169 Main Street
- In March of 1985, Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School students began renovations of the property with contracting assistance by S. Tulumello and Robert Rice, Design Consultant, who donated their services.
- Townspeople and other Massachusetts libraries generously donated books and furnishings.
- Other than the \$2,500 budgeted by the Town, all renovations and maintenance expenses were covered by fundraising monies and grants.
- BVT students completed work on May 30, 1986 and the formal opening of the Millville Free Public Library was held on June 8, 1986.
- In 1996 an entryway was added to the building as well as a new circulation desk. The first computers were also installed. All done with donations and state aid money.
- In 1997 air conditioning was installed and internet access was begun.
- In 2000, the Town allocated \$25,000 to renovate the adult reading room and created a new young adult section with new shelving, paint, carpeting, and furniture.

## The Purpose of the Friends

The purpose of the Friends shall be:

- To maintain an association of persons interested in good library service.
- To increase the services of the Millville Free Public Library.
- To enrich the cultural opportunities available to the citizens of Millville.
- To bring together a group of citizens who actively support the library through volunteer services and fundraising.
- To enhance the partnership between the Library and the community and to advocate for quality library service for all the people of the Town of Millville.



# **Membership Application**

### I would like to join as a(n):

Student/Senior	\$5
Individual	\$15
Family	\$25
Corporate	\$50
Lifetime Individual	\$100
Lifetime Family	\$150
I do not want to be a member, but enclosed is	

### I would like to be an <u>active</u> member!

Volunteer Activities	Fundraising Events	
Board Member	Special Events	
Anything!		
Name(s)		
Address		
Town/State/Zip		
Phone		
Email		

#### Please make checks payable and mail to:

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