



**Do you love our library?
Do you want to do more
for our library?**

*Become a
Friend today!*

Friends of Balsam Lake Public Library

Mission Statement

Our Mission is to support the library and staff, by enhancing the resources and services of the library.

Friends will develop fundraising activities which will provide financial support to the library in promoting the use and enjoyment of the library, by the community in which we live.



What others have said about their friends of the library groups:

"We have a great library. I hope all involved realize what a gem it is. Becoming a friend in one way to show my appreciation"

--Anonymous

"As a Friend, what I do for the library is insignificant in relation to what the library does for me"

--Anonymous



An organization for all who value the public library as a vital community resource and as a welcoming place

library@balsamlakepl.org



As a Friend...

- ❖ You will help ensure that the Library has a base of community support to seek adequate funding to maintain high quality programs and services
- ❖ You will join other concerned citizens dedicated to promoting the value of books, libraries and literacy.
- ❖ You will be saying that you believe the Balsam Lake Public Library is essential to our community.
- ❖ You will have the opportunity to volunteer time to activities and fund raising events sponsored by the Friends of the Balsam Lake Public Library

We Help Our Library by...

- Purchasing materials as needed for the library such as books, music CDs, DVDs, audiobooks, and technology.
- Raising money for the library to supplement needs not met by public funding
- Helping to promote new and existing programs for the library.
- Raising community awareness



Membership Application

*Please complete this form and mail or return it to the library. PLEASE PRINT.
Make checks payable to the Friends of Balsam Lake Public Library.*

PO BOX 340/404 Main Street
Balsam Lake, WI 54810

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Yearly Membership Dues

- Individual - \$10
- Family - \$25
- Business - \$50
- Donation - \$_____

Optional: Select the ways in which you wish to contribute your talents below

- Work at the Book Sale*
- Help with Fundraising*
- Serve on the Friends Board*
- Help with a Special Event*
- Other: _____*