

Friends of the Lakewood Libraries

...Serving our libraries to serve our community...

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Subject: Donations for our organization

An Open Letter to the Community:

To the FoLL Board:

Do we agree that we want this letter to be from the FoLL Board?
Action required to offer feedback, please.

Thanks,

Your FoLL Webmaster / info@lakewoodlibraryfriends.org

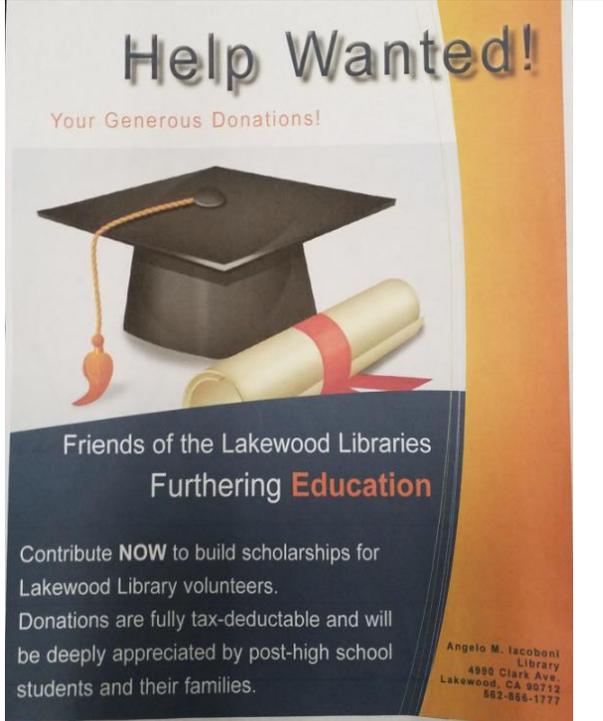
To all community oriented citizens and businesses, as your giving plan allows, please consider a donation to one or both of our funds. Presently we do not have a secure and low-cost way to receive donations by just a click, so we encourage your donation to be by check, cash or money order. Remember, no amount is too small. Your valued donations are fully tax deductible and can be mailed or brought to Angelo Iacoboni Library, 4990 Clark Ave., Lakewood, CA, 90712. Friends of the Lakewood Libraries is a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization with Federal Tax ID 33-0053741.

Donations for Friends of the Lakewood Libraries, (FoLL)	Donations for Friends of the Lakewood Libraries Scholarship Fund
<p>Your donation serves to support our two libraries, Iacoboni and Nye, in their community programs.</p> <p>A partial list of FoLL supported programs: The Lakewood Family Reading Festival at Nye Library. This year, find us set up on 5/4/19, with a mobile touch tank from the Aquarium of the Pacific.</p> <p>Our organization supplements the costs for intellectual property rights needed for public viewing of movies.</p> <p>Another specific example of community support from FoLL is in 2018 we supported the furnishing of an area of Nye library with rugs and bean bag chairs to allow children and teenagers to read and study in comfort.</p> <p><i>FoLL Board of Directors</i></p>	<p>The number and amounts of scholarships awarded each year will depend on available funds.</p> <p>In 2018 we presented scholarships to seven students ranging from graduating high school seniors to a senior in college. Our website has a link to an introduction to our recent scholars. Note that service hours with a library work in a favorable manner to support scholarship awards.</p> <p>Because our scholarship program relies solely on donations, we need your support to keep this program healthy in future years.</p> <p>Thanks, <i>The FoLL Scholarship Committee</i></p>

Thanks in advance for your thoughtful gift.

FoLL Board of Directors

This letter will be accessible on our website when someone clicks our "Give a Gift" button

<p>FoLL Scholarship Fund</p>	
<p>Call for donations for Friends of the Lakewood Libraries Scholarship Fund.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mail or bring donations to Angelo Iacoboni Library. • We also have a donation box in the book store run by FoLL volunteers in the Angelo Iacoboni Library. 	

Box for FoLL...what is a good graphic to put here?

<p>Input #1: One suggestion would be to list the Family Reading Festival as part of the programming we support, as well as magazine subscriptions. I would check first to see if we in fact support these, but I think readers would be interested in knowing that. Another suggestion is to refer potential donors to read about past scholarship winners for them to get a sense for the amount of community work that recipients do and what their goals are. Also, I would mention that recipients need to have been FoLL volunteers or have come from families that are volunteers.</p>
<p>Webmaster observations: Indicate that FoLL has existing fundraising activities from bookstore, book sale and any emerging fundraisers that replace Taste of Lakewood. Perhaps this could be on our website, home page, About FoLL and add “more about us.”</p>

See the [Pan Am brochure](#) for some examples in how to promote your group.