

# FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY NEWSLETTER



**Pi(e)Day** will be celebrated at the library on **Wednesday, March 14th**. Please join us as we celebrate the mathematical Pi Day. Pi Day is observed on March 14 (or 3/14 in month/day date format), since 3, 1 and 4 are the most significant digits of pi in the decimal form. Please help us celebrate the mathematical Pi Day, by eating PIE, all kinds of pie! We will be selling slices of pie from 10-2 at the library on Wednesday, March 14th. Tell all your friends and co-workers about Pie Day!!!!

**FOL Book Sale** - The annual *Friends of the Library Book Sale* will begin Saturday April 14th at 10:00. All current Friends members will receive a 10% discount all day on Saturday. As you are doing your spring cleaning please keep in mind that your gently used books are greatly appreciated for our FOL Book Sale. We accept all books in good condition EXCEPT Reader's Digest Condensed Books, Encyclopedia sets over 10 years old and magazines. Please make your donations by April 12th anytime during library hours.



**Memberships** – Even though the membership drive is officially over, we are still accepting memberships. We have 84 paid household memberships. We have 18 new memberships and there are 29 households that have NOT renewed.

**Winter Getaway** - The 17th annual Adult Reading Program was an overwhelming success. There were 55 participants who read 401 books in the 6 week period. To qualify for the grand prize they had to read at least 5 books. There was a kick-off party, a midway event and a celebration party to end the program. Fun, food and games were shared by all. There were numerous prizes won at our get-togethers, such as gift certificates, food prizes and other items too numerous to mention. The winner of the grand prize chair and cd player, valued at over \$100.00 was Pam Howarter. The sponsors who made this program possible were: Avon (Paula Sjorland), Beachner Grain, Beckman Motors Inc., Bulldog Carwash, Chamber Players Community Theatre, City of Garnett, East Kansas Agri Energy, Feuerborn Funeral Home, Friends of the Library, Garnett Area Chamber of Commerce, Garnett Public Library, KDS Auto Detailing, Leo's Auto Supply, Miller Hardware, Nature's Touch, Pizza Hut, ReFine ReCherished, Sandra's Quick Shop, Short Stop, 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Boutique & Bronze and Trade Winds Bar & Grill.

As part of the Spring Fling activities being held during spring break  
the Library will be hosting

## Lego Day at the Garnett Public Library

**Tues., March 20th**, 11:00-1:00 for 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grades, at the Library.

The library will provide lunch and the kids will enjoy Lego themed games and activities. Please preregister by stopping by the library or calling 448-3388

## CAFFEINE & COLORS

All adults are invited to come enjoy a relaxing afternoon chatting with friends and coloring away your stress.

Wednesday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 1:00

Coffee, coloring pages and colored pencils will be provided, but if you have your own feel free to bring them along.



## *2018 Summer Reading Program*

### **Libraries Rock!!!!**

The program will begin on Monday, June 4th and run through July 27th. Kids may join at any time during the program, but if they sign up on Monday, June 5th between 1 & 4 they will receive free ice cream. Weekly storytimes will be held on Tuesdays at 10:00 for preschoolers, beginning June 12th. We will have several activities for the K-8th graders throughout the program. Volunteers are needed to make this a successful and fun program. If you are willing to help with any of the following: storytime programs, refreshments, parties or games please give Katy a call at 448-3388. Even if you can only volunteer on a one-time basis we would appreciate your help.

#### **Friends of the Garnett Public Library**



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