

Friends of the Vermillion Public Library 2021 Membership Form

We invite you to join or renew your membership with the Friends of the Library!

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

☐ \$10 Senior/Student

*Please make checks payable to the **Friends of the Library***

☐ \$15 Individual

Return forms to the Vermillion Public Library or mail to:

☐ \$25 Family

Anne Dunham

☐ \$50 Friends Patron

200 Forest Ave

☐ \$100 Top Shelf Sponsor

Vermillion, SD 57069

☐ \$_____ Donation to Summer Reading Program

☐ I am interested in volunteering at Edie's Book Shop or other Friends activities

Thank you for your support!



Dear Friends,

Unlike previous years, we do not have a colorful newsletter highlighting all the many programs, activities and events the Friends sponsored in 2020.

Due to Covid, all in-person events at Vermillion Public Library were cancelled for much of the year. Nonetheless, VPL rose to the occasion, offering a wide range of virtual programming, and working admirably to meet the needs of its patrons during the pandemic. The Friends once again made a major contribution to the Summer Reading Program, which was held remotely, and we co-sponsored the Messy Hands Summer Art Camp, providing art supplies and kits to the over one hundred children who participated.

In gratitude for the hardworking staff at VPL, who went above and beyond in finding creative ways to provide services to the community, the Friends provided them with lunch several times this summer.

We realize this has been a very difficult year for so many of us, but for those able to, we gratefully ask for your continued support to the Friends of the Library. This is especially needed because Edie's Bookshop doors closed in March, and regrettably, we do not yet have a date for when we will reopen.

When that time does come, we will welcome you all with open arms, books galore, and smiles on our faces! Here's hoping we can all gather together again soon at VPL!