

# Join Our Team!

The Ina Thompson Moss Point Library would like to meet new Friends! We are inviting YOU to join our Friends of the Library group and support the library through volunteering. We welcome new ideas you may have for your library.

## Mission Statement

The Friends of the Moss Point Library strive to enhance the programs, resources and services of the Ina Thompson Moss Point Library through fund raising, active participation in projects and programs, and raising awareness of the needs and services of the library throughout the community.

- Friends lobby for and help raise funds to support the library and expand library services.
- They host book sales, cultural events like; author's receptions, community classes, and art shows. We are always open to new ideas about programs we can offer to promote the library.
- The work (and play) of a friends organization is as varied as its membership and the scope of its projects are only limited by the imaginations of its members.
- Most of all, though, the friends are a group of people who are willing to volunteer time, talents and influence to promote, improve and expand library services.

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## Why should I join the Friends of the Library?

Our public library needs your help and new ideas if it is to become the truly exceptional library it can be - capable of meeting the informational and educational needs of our community.

The Moss Point Library can and should touch the life of every member of our community, from preschoolers to senior citizens. To do that we need a diverse group of Friends to let them know what the community wants and needs.

Like any team the library wants to be competitive, especially in serving the community, but it needs you on the team. Without your input how will the library know what it needs to be doing? With you on the team we can make our public library the best it can be. So if you want to play ball and help us reach that goal, then get off the bench and join the Friends team.

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of the Moss Point Library



## How can I become a Friend?

Anyone can join our Friends group by completing the attached membership form on the other side of this brochure. Complete the form and return it to the library along with your dues. You may call the library to ask for the next meeting date and bring it with you

Annual dues entitle you to membership for a period of one year. Dues are renewable each January.

## What are my responsibilities as a Friend?

That's up to you. We want you to be as involved in the Friends and our library as you want to be. If that means attending every meeting and volunteering...GREAT! If it doesn't - that's fine too.

Whatever works - even if you just pay your dues and remember that you're a Friend of the Library.

This could be the start a beautiful friendship.

## Get Off The Bench...

# Join Now!

Simply complete and return the attached form with your dues today!  
Call for information about our next meeting.

# Join Us!



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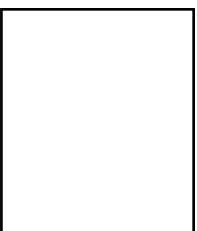
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### Dues:

Student \$1       Individual \$5       Couple or Family \$10       Sponsor \$25  
 Patron \$50       Benefactor \$100       Corporate \$300       Lifetime \$500

I cannot join the Friends at this time, but I wish to donate \_\_\_\_\_ to help the library in Moss Point.

### Make checks payable to:

**The Friends of the Library.** Return this form, along with your dues, to the Public Service desk at the library, or mail to: **Ina Thompson Moss Point Library, 4119 Bellview Ave., Moss Point, MS 39563**

Contributions and dues are Tax deductible.