



500 Thorn Street • Sewickley, Pennsylvania 15143-1533 • 412-741-6920
www.sewickleylibrary.org

Brenda Kovacs
President

November 7, 2011

Janet Huddleston
Vice President

Dear Friend:

Priscilla Castner
Secretary

Each year at this time, we write to library supporters in the community to share the success stories of the gem we share in the Sewickley Public Library, and this year is no exception. Those successes can be demonstrated via an assortment of measures and here are just a few:

Thomas Hay
Treasurer

- ✓ 254,726 people visited the library in 2010 ;
- ✓ 353,164 items were borrowed from the library's collection of 94,764 items;
- ✓ 22,257 people attended 1,189 programs offered by the library; and
- ✓ 59,859 computer logins were recorded for a total computer use of 2,316,633 minutes (this does not include laptop logins or minutes used on the wireless network).

Chris Bichsel
Karen Fadzen

This year the Friends of the Sewickley Public Library made donations for significant enhancements of the library's collections. As in the past, the Friends continue to support the library's Summer Reading Clubs and Battle of the Books competitions. The Friends donated funds to the library to lease a color copier and printer for the next five years. Check out the library's colorful newsletter and flyers! Donations also included a popcorn machine for programming purposes across all departments, the microfilm preservation of the *Sewickley Herald* and Barnes & Noble Nook e-readers for the public.

Paul Fuener
Paul Gould

Ann Jabro
Karen Menhart

Fundraising by the Friends for support of the library includes Used Book Sales, Savoring Sewickley, the sale of the colorful "I'm a Friend" library card with the handy key tag, and this yearly mailing. The funds earned or collected by the Friends enable the library to purchase new books and other materials that we enjoy on a daily basis.

Yunsu Park
Dawn Patterson

Amy Quinn
Nancy Rostek

Joel Swanson
Mary Walker

Saundy Waseleski
Bonnie Wenk

Please help us invest in the ongoing growth of the Sewickley Public Library by sending a tax-deductible check to the Friends of the Sewickley Public Library in the enclosed envelope.

We are grateful for your support.

Carolyn Toth
Library Director

Sincerely yours,
Brenda L. Kovacs

Brenda Kovacs, President
Friends of the Sewickley Public Library