

# THE OPEN BOOK

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### 2016 Calendar

March Art Exhibit  
June Golf Tournament  
Aug. Spaghetti Supper  
Dec. Membership Drive



**ANNUAL MEETING**  
Wednesday 6:00 P.M.  
December 7th, 2016

## Friends of the Chicopee Public Library Golf Tournament

The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Friends of the Chicopee Public Library Golf Tournament was held on Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup> at the Chicopee Country Club. An excellent turnout of 68 golfers participated in the golf tournament and dinner.

The first place finishers were the team of; Robert Keough, Mark Groffman, James Stone, and John Molta. Their winning score was 11 under par. Second place at 8 under par was the team from the Polish National Credit Union; Henry Lenart, Gene Przybylowicz, Ed Rybak, and Ralph Slate.

Closest to the pin winner on the par 3 third hole was Jerry Underwood.

Following golf over 75 raffle prizes were awarded as well as a 50/50 drawing.

The Friends of the Library wish to thank all participants, CCC Golf Director, Mike O'Neill and Food Director, Doug Girouard for an outstanding day.

### 14th Annual Golf Tournament

**1st Place Finishers:**  
Robert Keough,  
Mark Groffman,  
James Stone and  
John Molta



**Thirteenth Annual Fine Art Friends Art Exhibit**

***Tuesday, February 28th to Thursday, March 30th, 2017  
Chicopee Public Library in the Henry J. Bazan Community Room***

**Awards Reception March 16th, 2017**

***Judge: Felice Caivano, Visual Arts Professor and Fine Arts Curator.***

***Co-Chairpersons: Nancy Michon and Francine Jasinski Hayward***

***Committee Members: Maureen McDonald, Eileen Hodge and Carol Czepiel.***

**Artists' applications are available in the Friends Office, lower level of the Library as well as online at [www.friendsofchicopeepubliclibrary.org](http://www.friendsofchicopeepubliclibrary.org)**



***Pastel—1st Prize  
Maureen Keough  
"Inn Vermont"  
March, 2016 Art Exhibit***

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***To All Members of the Friends of the Chicopee Public Library  
Annual Meeting and Holiday Social  
Wednesday, December 7th, 2016 at 6:00 P.M.***

***Lifetime Members and Annual Members of the Friends of the Chicopee Public Library are invited to attend our Annual Meeting and Holiday Social in the Henry J. Bazan Community Room of the Emily L. Partyka Central Branch of the Chicopee Public Library.***

***Following a short business meeting, you are invited to enjoy Holiday Refreshments and socialize with the Friends of the Chicopee Public Library.***

***PLEASE JOIN US!!!***



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**Membership Drive**

***It's time for The Friends' Annual Membership Drive for 2017. In November, we will be sending notices in the mail to all Lifetime and Annual members. We hope Annual Members will renew their membership and Lifetime Members can update their contact information and may possibly wish to make a donation. By renewing your membership, you will continue to support the great library programs offered by the Chicopee Public Library.***



***Thank you,  
The Membership Committee***

**SPAGHETTI SUPPER August 2, 2016**

Our thanks and appreciation to all who attended and supported the Spaghetti Supper held on August 2nd, 2016 at the K of C #69 on Granby Road. The chefs and their workers along with our volunteers served a great meal. The Friends' Homemade Strawberry Shortcake and special baked goods were a great "hit." Suzan Desmarais chaired the supper assisted by members of the Friends' Board of Directors and several wonderful volunteers.

**HOPE TO SEE YOU THE FIRST TUESDAY IN AUGUST, 2017**

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**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**



Would you like to help with some of our "Fund Raising Projects?" We would like to have the assistance of our members of the Friends of the Chicopee Public Library for our events. If you can spare some time, we always need volunteers for our Golf Tournament, Spaghetti Supper, Art Exhibit, Merchandise Sales, mailings, etc. Please call our office or leave a message via email. Phone: 413-594-1800, Ext. 116. Email: Friendsofcpl@hotmail.com. Thank you.

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*Holiday Raffle & Merchandise Sale*

The Friends of the Chicopee Public Library will be selling merchandise including Chicopee afghans, Chicopee ornaments, book bags, book marks and wood collectables. These make great gifts.....one stop shopping.

This year we will also be raffling off Holiday Gift Baskets for \$1.00 a chance Drawing will be 12.18.16. The tickets will be available during merchandise sale hours as well as at the circulation desk.



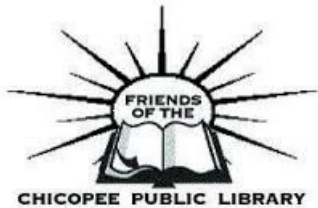
Stop by the library lobby on any of the following dates, to check out the merchandise, buy a ticket or just to say "Hi".

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|-------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>Saturdays:</b> | <b>11.26.16 from 10:00-2:00</b> | <b>Sundays:</b> | <b>11.27.16 from 12:00-2:00</b> |
|                   | <b>12.3.16 from 10:00-2:00</b>  |                 | <b>12.4.16 from 12:00-2:00</b>  |
|                   | <b>12.10.16 from 10:00-2:00</b> |                 | <b>12.11.16 from 12:00-2:00</b> |
|                   | <b>12.17.16 from 10:00-2:00</b> |                 | <b>12.18.16 from 12:00-2:00</b> |

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594-1800

Monday- Thursday.....9 am– 9 pm  
Friday.....9 am– 5pm  
Saturday.....9 am– 4pm  
Sunday.....12 pm– 4pm

**Fairview Branch**  
402 Britton Street  
533-8218

Monday, Wednesday & Friday ..10 am– 5 pm  
Tuesday .....1 pm– 8pm  
Thursday.....4pm– 8pm

SUMMER HOURS  
Closed Saturday & Sunday  
July and August

