Friends of the Novi Library
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Book Nook News:
Come in and check out our new Foreign Language shelf located on the right hand side of the Book Nook near the glass cases.

With the Holiday Season coming up remember Book Nook Gift Certificates in increments of $1 and $5 for all the avid readers on your list.

September monthly sales total was $2,855.92 with a year-to-date total of $19,975.61. We would love to exceed our target of $25,000, so keep those donations coming in and stock up for your winter reading.

A Community Reads!
Chris McDougall’s “Born to Run”
Register for author event on Wednesday, 11/2, 7-9pm. Sponsored in part by the Novi Friends.

What’s New:
Bob Gatt, Mayor of Novi, proclaimed October 16-22, 2016 as Friends of Libraries week in Novi. Friends president, Sue Johnson, attended the Novi City Council meeting on October 10th to receive the proclamation. It acknowledged all of the contributions that the Friends organization has made over the years to the Novi Library. It is on display in the Book Nook.

Attention Enthusiastic, Creative members: The Friends newly formed Promotion Committee can use your help. Our aim is to promote our wonderful organization in order to enable us to increase awareness of the many ways we help the library and assist the Friends in raising funds to accomplish this. We hold only occasional, brief committee meetings. We welcome your ideas and suggestions. For more information call Vicky McLean 248-533-8775.

Over 64 people attended the Friends Kaleidoscope given by Jack Lessenberry on the upcoming election. Regardless of your politics, you could not help but enjoy his insight and humor into this especially contentious election.

New Donation Procedure:
Now in effect: Donations of 5 bags/boxes of books or more must be dropped off at the Library by appointment only through the Library Facilities Department.

Call for appointment:
248-869-7209 or 248-869-7219

Appointment Hours:
Monday, 6-8pm
Wednesday, 10am-12pm
Saturday, 1-5pm

Mark Your Calendars - Events:
November 2, 2016 – A Community Reads, Chris McDougall’s “Born to Run”, 7-9pm
November 6, 2016 – Listen@Library, Violin prodigy, Hannah White, Sunday 2-3:00 pm
November 9, 2016 – Friends Board Meeting, Wednesday, 7-9:00 pm
November 15, 2016 – Kaleidoscope – “Under Your Keel: Researching the Great Lakes” by Daniel Harrison, researcher and award winning author, 7-8:30 pm
March 21, 2017 – Kaleidoscope - Michigan Literary Luminaries by Anna Clark, 7-8:30 pm
April 27, 2017 – Kaleidoscope - Discovering and Sharing Detroit’s History, Mysteries and Surprises by Paul Sewick, 7-8:30 pm
May 23, 2017 – Kaleidoscope - Performance and History of Bagpipers, Bagpipes and Bagpipes Music, 7-8:30 pm