



Among Friends

The Friends of the Copper Queen Library

Autumn/Winter 2017

You're Invited

to the
Friends of the Library
Annual Holiday Party
Monday, December 4th
3 – 5 pm... music starts at 5...
at the Library.

Mingle
with other Friends.

Taste
refreshments.

Listen
to the Celtic duo,
Four Shillings Short



Four Shillings Short:

Rooted in Celtic and American folk, inspired by Indian Raga and Ethnic idioms; a diverse and inventive Traditional Music Experience.

The husband/wife duo of Aodh Og O'Tuama from Cork, Ireland and Christy Martin from California, have been performing together since 1995. They tour in the US and Ireland, are independent folk-artists with 12 recordings, perform 150 concerts a year and live as the Troubadours of old traveling from town to town performing at music festivals, theatres & performing arts centers, folk & historic societies, libraries, museums and schools.

Thank you to members who have joined or renewed their membership since the Summer newsletter. **SUSTAINING** John and Jane Dailey, Black Sheep Imports LLC, John Crow.

FAMILY: Debra Wright. **INDIVIDUAL:** Glee Willis, Jane Dubovy

BECOME A FRIEND

NAME _____

MAILING ADDRESS _____

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___ INDIVIDUAL \$10

___ FAMILY \$25

___ SUPPORTING \$50

___ SUSTAINING \$100

___ DONATION

Your contribution provides youth and adult programs, books, computers, equipment, outreach... and so much more. Thank you.

Make check to FRIENDS of the CQL / P.O. Box 516 / Bisbee, AZ 85603.

IT'S COMING



Our Newest Board Members



Karen Corey

When Karen joined our Board about a year ago, she immediately jumped in to oversee the traying room for the Chocolate Tasting. We are so happy to share in her positive attitude. Karen is a 37-year resident of Bisbee, migrating from Western Pennsylvania. She taught at Greenway and Bisbee Middle Schools for 30 years of “wonder and fun,” and frequently volunteers around town. Her favorite side job was as a fire lookout in the Chiricahua Mountains. Karen lives with her two dogs in a “lovely wooded canyon” and enjoys reading, gardening and the “beautiful environment around her.”

Friends are always welcome to join our meetings held at the Library at 5pm on the second Monday of the month.

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Karen Corey Kathie Muserelli



Kathie Muserelli

Kathie says she joined the Board because she loves books and the Friends’ fundraisers. She has been volunteering on Friday mornings in the Friends’ bookstore for about nine months. Love of the library runs in the family, though. Her daughter, Jennifer Johnson, has been volunteering every day at the Library for five years and has been on the Library Advisory Board for four. Kathie and her husband, Peter, a BHS grad, bought their house in Warren ten years ago and moved here full-time from California six years ago.

KIDS’ MATERIALS ARE FLYING OFF THE SHELVES!

Well not really, but pre-school and juvenile checkouts have risen one hundred percent in the last two years, a trend that Library Manager Jason Macoviak attributes to all the new youth materials purchased through the Friends. Just in the last few months, we’ve bought \$3,000 worth of cd’s and books to supplant a very aging youth collection. If you like statistics, here are the ones Jason gave us at the meeting.

EASY READER PICTURE BOOKS: 800 checkouts in 2015 vs 1600 to-date in 2017.

JUVENILE BOOKS: 400 checkouts in 2015 vs 1000 to-date in 2017.

YAY for a kid-friendly Library!

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