

“Love You to the Moon & Back” 5th Annual Father-Daughter Ball: An Enormous Success!

Thanks to the generosity of our local sponsors, over 300 fun-loving girls and their fathers (or grandfathers or uncles) spent 2½ hours on May 6th boogieing, moonwalking, and dancing the conga line. Antennae moon maidens blasted in on their rocket to join in the fun, handing out glow bracelets, and encouraging participation. Dancers kept



up their strength with delicious snacks provided by Trexler Farms, Roth's Fresh Market, and Figaros Pizza.

Young Mobile Entertainment kept the music rolling amidst the beautiful ambiance designed and installed by Linda Martinka of One Fine Day Event Design.

To remember the night, there was a professional photo opportunity in front of a glowing moon, courtesy of Rustic Pear Photography. And thanks to the generosity of the Stayton Friends of the Library, each girl went home with a goody bag containing books and special eyewear for the solar eclipse in August.

This fun opportunity for dads and

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daughters to enjoy time together raised money for the Library Foundation to continue its mission to support library services, including the programs for younger readers through the Outreach Storyteller and Summer Reading Programs.

We're already looking forward to next year's fete! Have a great idea for a theme? Do you have feedback and suggestions? Join our planning committee! Email libfound@wvi.com and

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"Letters to the moon" written at the Ball:

"Thank you for every year coming with me and telling me I'm beautiful!"
-Alli

"I cherish all the memories we have made here at the FD Ball over the last 5 years... You're becoming the beautiful young woman I knew you would be!"
-Daniel (Dad)

"This night will be memorize in my heart forever!"
-Lily

"I love you, I want a dog."
-Abby

"I don't want this to sound weird, but I love you and thank you for taking me!"
-Aunika

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Generous Grants Awarded to the Outreach Storyteller Program

The Library Foundation plays the primary fundraising role for the Outreach Storyteller Program. In addition to our Crown Jewel Society and other private donations, we actively seek grant funding from many sources throughout our fiscal year to fund this beloved community program. We are proud to announce the following grants that we have recently been awarded:

Doris J Wipper Fund of the Oregon Community Foundation—\$12,000

Pacific Power Foundation—\$2000

Franklin Conklin Foundation—\$1000

The Charity H.E.L.P.—\$200

Order your Book Spine Gift for the Holidays!

The Stayton Public Library Foundation is again offering exquisite, locally hand-made commemorative book spines in recognition of gifts made to the Library's Endowment Fund. Visit the website or library for an order form to make a tax-deductible gift of \$100, \$250, or \$500 specifically to the Endowment. Provide the name and message you want displayed; then let us do the rest! We will send a complimentary, hand-written card with every book spine gift to let your honoree know about the special

gift you made in their name.

This is a beautiful opportunity to show your own support of the library as well as honor friends and family members. Email: libfound@wvi.com for more information.



20 Years: Thoughts on the Foundation's Impact and Investing Locally

Just over 20 years ago, a bold group of local citizens banded together to form the Stayton Public Library Foundation. Fueled by their passion for community and their shared vision of an exceptional library, the founding members began laying the cornerstones for the beautiful expansion to the building we know as The Stayton Public Library. Many of you reading this newsletter joined the initial fundraising campaign and celebrated the remarkable success during the building's ribbon cutting in July 2007. Since that first major campaign, the Foundation has continued financially supporting many beloved library programs, facility upgrades, and building

maintenance, all while working to build a solid Endowment Fund that will support the library in perpetuity for generations to come.

By giving to the Library Foundation, local citizens, like you and me, claim the unique opportunity to experience the bounty of our own generosity and common interest. Perhaps that's a bit selfish, but what I'm really attempting to state is that each dollar given to the Foundation stays right here, in the Stayton area, funding programs that are accessible to all who enter the library's doors.

If it's been a while since you browsed the stacks of the "Crown Jewel of Stayton," I implore you to do so! When

you visit, you're guaranteed to be bathed in natural light with views of the surrounding Oregon evergreens. The library staff is warm and engaging. The computer banks are bustling with adults and young students, and the children's area and weekly programs are sure to impress.

Please consider joining the Crown Jewel Society, making an Endowment Gift, or attending our next fundraising event. Then stop in, and enjoy the fruits of your local investment dollars.

Your fellow library lover,

Deana Freres

SPLF Board Member

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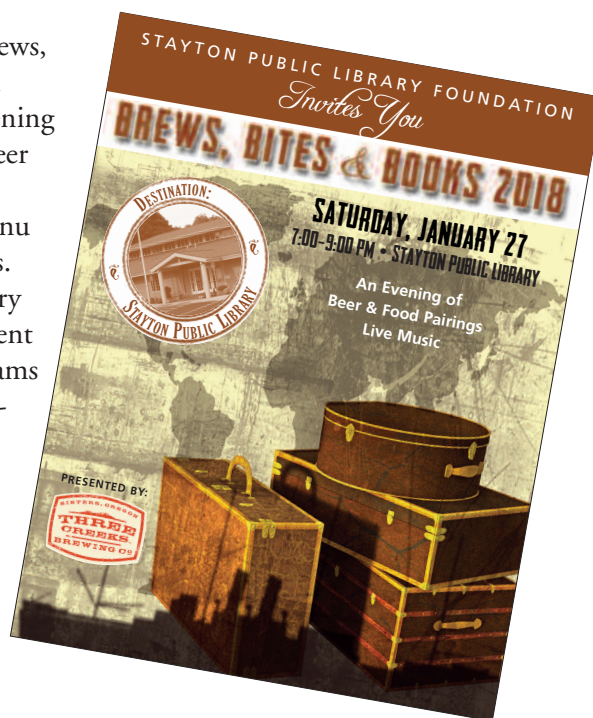


Brews, Bites & Books is Back— SAVE THE DATE!

Back by popular demand, Brews, Bites, & Books is happening on Saturday, January 27th! The evening will feature the specialty craft beer of Three Creeks Brewery from Sisters, Oregon, paired with menu specialties from local restaurants. Hosted by Stayton Public Library Foundation, this fundraising event benefits the many library programs and facilities improvements supported by the Foundation.

We'll have a multi course tasting, a raffle, and live music!

Tickets are \$15 in advance, and will be available online and at the library beginning December 15th.



We're Looking for a Few Good People!

If you love books and believe in libraries, consider volunteering for the Stayton Public Library Foundation Board of Directors. **Board Member Opportunities Include:**

- Providing SPLF oversight to ensure we are adhering to our mission of supporting the Stayton Public Library,
- Attending Board Meetings at the Library on the 4th Wednesday of the month,

- Planning Fundraising and Community Events to support the Stayton Public Library, and

- Spending quality time with an enjoyable group of people on a task you already believe in!

Email libfound@wvi.com for more information—You are more valuable than you know!

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