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2023 OUTSTANDING FRIENDS GROUP AWARD

The efforts of the dedicated volunteers of a library's Friends group are vital to a library's service to its patrons. Friends advocate for their libraries, raise much needed funds, sponsor programs and special events, and host used book sales. FoKL's Outstanding Friends Group Award recognizes those Friends groups that provide exemplary service to their library. Each Friends group will compete only with other groups in similar sized population service areas. The winning Outstanding Group will be given a \$100 cash award. Additionally, the winner will be honored during the FoKL Luncheon at the Kansas Library Association Conference.

To be considered, the nominated group:

- Must be a current member of FoKL
- Must not have received an Outstanding Friends Group Award in the previous three years

Please complete the information below. On a separate page, summarize the group's accomplishments and contributions to their library.

Name of Friends group: _____

Name of person making the nomination: _____

Title (if applicable) of person making the nomination: _____

Library name: _____

Contact information for person making the nomination.

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

Please check the service population of the library:

- _____ up to 1,500
- _____ 1,501-4,000
- _____ 4,001-13,000
- _____ 13,000+

Please submit the completed nomination by April 1st to:

Friends of Kansas Libraries
c/o Bonner Springs City Library
201 N Nettleton Ave
Bonner Springs, KS 66012
FAX: 913-441-2660
Email: friendsofkansaslibraries@gmail.com

Award winners will be notified by April 30th.