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BELLS FOR BOOKS MISSION STATEMENT The mission of the Bells

For Books program is to ensure that every child in Garden City has access to library books.





From the Chair Garden City Public Library Foundation News--March 27, 2019

Recently, the Foundation has welcomed two new Board members: Rebecca (Becca) Bailey who is leading the upcoming April 27th *Beach BASH* fundraiser from 6-9 pm at the Library and Daniel Robinson who is serving as Secretary and leading another year of our participation in *Idaho Gives* (all day Thursday, May 2nd) when you can donate to Idaho non-profits.

These events provide a chance for the Foundation to interact with new and on-going community sponsors, partners, and volunteers. We are delighted that there is such strong community-wide support for the Library; and invite you to attend the BASH to help raise the funds for the "Bells for Books" bookmobile that serves children throughout Garden City and the varied Library programs that make our Library the "heart" of Garden City.

Attached is a list of Library Program sponsorships that are "sold" during the BASH and also available for community members to purchase at any time. Please let me know if you would like to purchase one or more of these.

BASH tickets are available for \$25 at the library or online--cut and paste this-- gclf.ejoinme.org/myevents/beachbashforbooks2019. Dinner will be catered by Kanak Attack with complementary beverages. The event will begin at 6 pm and features a live auction with Kevin Trout, as well as an expanded silent auction, so get your tickets now! Be sure to thank our newest volunteer, Michael Hayhurst, who is the web administrator for the Bash. He also writes the thank you notes that you receive when you donate to the Foundation!

A new feature at this year's BASH is "Dining in the Neighborhood". Talk with your friends, family members, or club members and get ready now for a "group bid" on these experiences: 1. A menu you choose that is prepared with suggested wine pairings (and cleaned up) by a professional chef for your 6 guests at your home, 2. A Beef Wellington Dinner for six, and 3. A private Tea Party for your 8 guests in the host's home near the Boise River.

I also want to share the news that we were saddened by the loss of one of our most outstanding past Presidents when Dee Gore passed away this winter. Dee was a wonderful friend and tireless advocate for the Library and literacy in Garden City. A Celebration of her Life will be held May 11, from 4-6pm at the Garden City Library.

I hope to see you at the BASH, but if you can't make it and would like to sponsor a program or bid on a Dining Experience, please call me at 208-340-9450 or email SuePhilley@gmail.com.