

# The

Newsletter #4



# NOTIFLYER

August 1998

*"Libraries are not made; they grow"*

The **FRIENDS of the MIMS-SCOTTSMOOR COMMUNITY LIBRARY** hold their meetings the third Tuesday of each month. Visitors are welcome. There was no meeting this July. **The next meeting will be August 18, 1998, at 7:00 p.m. at Pinewood Elementary School.** For information about our group, call June Horner, current president, at 269-5317.

## FACILITY UPDATE

The Mims-Scottsmoor Community Library is expected to open at 3767 Old Dixie Hwy., adjacent to Pinewood Elementary School, by mid-October, according to the county's Office of Facilities Management. Fifty-six people attended the Groundbreaking Ceremony on April 16. All 20 modulars are on site, the parking lot is paved, the exterior work is wrapping up, and the interior work is about to start.

Interior work on the Education Center side of the facility, however, cannot proceed until funds are found. Anyone with ideas for grants or other sources for the \$30,000 needed is urged to call Pinewood School Principal George Nolan at 269-4530. Volunteer labor will also be needed when the time comes.

The plans for the facility's **landscaping** are developing through coordinated efforts by Commissioner Truman Scarborough, the Department of Public Works, Jackie Gregory and Carol Walker of the Beautification Commission, the Titusville Garden Club, Marian Trembly and others of Keep Brevard Beautiful, and the Mims Jacaranda Garden Club. Jackie Gregory is drawing up the plans.

The Mims-Scottsmoor Community Library will have its own full-time director, Jessica Siler, who will be coming from Atlanta. This means that Port St. John's director, Jeri Prieth, will not have to share her time between the two libraries. Many thanks to Ms. Prieth for all her enthusiasm and hard work toward the realization of our community's own library. "Everyone will be amazed at how well-supplied the new library will be, thanks in great part to Jeri's assistance," says Kathryn Stewart, Brevard's Director of Library Services. So far around 12,000 items are processed and catalogued.

## LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD

The Mims-Scottsmoor Library Board began monthly meetings on February 23. The five local residents appointed to the Board were D. O. (Doc) Clingenpeel, Peggy Duarte Reichle, J. T. Shealy, Bud Sinns, and Lo Whitten. Mr. Clingenpeel has since resigned in order to pursue his retirement plans to travel, and Tom Kreuzinger has been named to the position. Mr. Shealy serves as the Board's chairman, Mr. Sinns as vice-chairman, and Ms. Whitten as secretary. The public is welcome to attend the Board meetings.

## SAVE YOUR CAMPBELL'S LABELS!

The FRIENDS are collecting front labels from Campbell's soup cans, V-8 juice cans, Prego spaghetti sauce jars, and Vlasic pickle jars; UPC symbols from Pepperidge Farms baked goods packages, Mrs. Paul's and Swanson's frozen food packages, etc. A complete list of required product proofs will be available at the August meeting. Points accumulate to earn computerware for the Library! **SEND 'EM IN!**

## WOVEN THROWS

The FRIENDS are considering selling woven throws as an ongoing fund-raiser. We would like to customize the throws by a design that features Brevard County, such as line drawings of the Space Shuttle, alligators, citrus, or historical buildings. These would make nice gifts and keepsakes. To see the sample throw and/or to submit suggestions for the design to include on the throws we sell, call June Horner at 269-5317 as soon as possible. We want to be ready with a design to propose to the FRIENDS at the Aug. 18 meeting.

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### UPDATES from the FRIENDS

Since our last newsletter we have received several \$100 memberships. We are honored and grateful to welcome as lifetime members: **Doc Clingenpeel, Rachel Clingenpeel, Jo Ann Katrick, Mary Lucier, Joanne Napieralski, E. J. Rupert,** and **Esther Vulpius;** and as corporate members: **Dixie Crossroads, Oneida Construction, Inc.,** and **Woodson & Associates.** Current memberships total 45.

**Helen Mack's** name was drawn in last September's Raffle. She won a free pizza at **Angelo's Pizzeria,** gift certificates from **Porky's Bar-B-Q,** and free meals at **Dixie Crossroads, the Irish Pub,** and **Kelly's Restaurant.** Thanks to these sponsors and all who participated.

**Susan Buchanan,** Brevard County Coordinator of the **Adult Literacy Program,** was guest speaker at the March 17 FRIENDS meeting. The Literacy program, sponsored by the Public Library System, offers free and confidential tutoring to non-reading adult residents of Brevard County. They also provide help with English as a second language. Tutors are needed; training is free. To volunteer as a tutor, call **633-1809.**

In February-March, FRIENDS members sold **Avon** through a fund-raiser arranged by Avon Representative **Cindy Daniel.** Proceeds were \$113.

The April 11 Bake Sale brought in \$181. The FRIENDS appreciate **SHARPE BROS. GROCERY** for providing this excellent location for selling our goodies.

At our August 18 meeting, the Post Office's Allen Vaughn, Superintendent of Customer Services, will discuss commemorating our library's opening with a **Pictorial Postage Cancellation,** arranged through our group and the elementary schools.



BE WATCHING FOR a page featuring the Friends of the Mims-Scottsmoor Library on the NORTH BREVARD BUSINESS DIRECTORY WEB-SITE at:  
<http://www.nbbd.com>

### IN APPRECIATION

We gratefully acknowledge the \$1000 from the **TITUSVILLE WOMEN'S CLUB** that has provided our library with a much-needed book return unit. The unit attaches to the circulation desk. It will be coupled with a receiving cart.

**Harris Sanitation Corporation** donated \$500 to **Keep Brevard Beautiful's** Trash Bash award fund. The FRIENDS were selected by Commissioner Scarborough to receive \$250 of this award.

J. T. Shealy of **Home Furniture in Mims** has provided a beautiful curio cabinet for the new library.

We thank **Genesis Cable Communications** for the donation of a television and VCR, and **Johnson Controls** for office supplies.

**J.C. Penney Co.,** thanks to Manager Rocky Mosley, has provided our Children's Department with a set of Goosebumps books and a wonderful TV-VCR cabinet.

**Martha Horner** donated two indoor plants, a ficus and a large rubber plant. The plants are in the care of the **Titusville's Men's Garden Club** until the library opens.

For those of you who have offered to donate books, thank you for your patience. Due to limited storage place, we have asked many of you to hold your items until after the library is actually in operation. After opening, the director will be able to set up appointments with you to evaluate the books.



⌘ In February we were saddened by the sudden death  
⌘ of Sara Young, one of the original members of our  
⌘ FRIENDS group. She had served as historian and  
⌘ in many other ways.

⌘ We pay tribute to the devotion shown to the  
⌘ Mims-Scottsmoor Library by Raymond and Joanne  
⌘ Napieralski. Mr. Napieralski died in April. Many  
⌘ contributions have been received in his memory.

We're having a PANCAKE BREAKFAST!

Only \$1

buys you *all the hotcakes you can eat* at



**McDonald's of Mims**

Sunday morning, August 16

**8:00 to 11:00 a.m.**

To buy your ticket,  
or to also help by selling tickets to all your friends and neighbors  
(*whether or not they actually go eat pancakes, at only \$1 a ticket they'll help!*),

call June Horner at 269-5317 or Esther Vulpius at 267-3968.

Advance ticket sales only.

No ticket selling on McDonald's premises.

Beverages not included.

**Friends of the Library T-Shirts  
are available for a donation of**

**\$ 8 (adult sizes) and \$ 6 (children's sizes).**

**Call 269-5317 or 267-3968.**



FRIENDS OF THE MIMS/SCOTTSMOOR LIBRARY

**ANNUAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

Individual	\$ 5.00 /yr.
Student	1.00 /yr.
Sponsor	10.00 /yr.
Patron	30.00 /yr.
Corporate	100.00 /yr.

**LIFE MEMBERSHIPS** are also available for one-time donations of \$100.00 or more .

Checks, made out to the FRIENDS of the M/S Library, can be sent to:

Esther Vulpus, treasurer  
3344 Stanley Street  
Mims, FL 32754

*Invite someone to join!*

**Attention, FRIENDS!**  
**This is your meeting notice:**

**The next meeting of the FRIENDS OF THE MIMS-  
SCOTTSMOOR COMMUNITY LIBRARY CENTER is  
Tuesday, August 18, 1998, at 7:00 p.m. at  
Pinewood Elementary School.**



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