

Little Libraries Promote Literacy and Community

The Friends Foundation is delighted to support residents and businesspersons who have created book-sharing structures in front of their homes or businesses to promote literacy and community.

Some owners are affiliated with Little Free Libraries, a nonprofit organization based in St. Paul, Minnesota, whose mission is to be a catalyst for building community, inspiring readers, and expanding book access for all through a global network of volunteer-led free

libraries. Others are independent and call their structures neighborhood lending libraries or book exchanges.

All share the same goal – improving literacy and enriching their community – and function similarly. Books and other reading materials may be borrowed for an indefinite period and are either returned or shared with others. Owners stock their mini-libraries and neighbors often donate materials.

The Friends organization can also provide support to help owners start their mini-library collections or restock them through the books obtained from the library and donations from patrons for Friends book sales. **Contact us** and a book sale volunteer will follow up.

Below is a partial list of little library locations in the Worthington community area. **Let us know** if you would like to add your location to the list or if a mini-library listing is no longer in effect.



6777 Hayhurst Street



6597 Masefield Street



6685 Hayhurst Street



385 Riley Avenue



490 Olenwood Avenue



1032 Rosebank Drive

Susan Strick, 358 Selby Blvd. S., Worthington 43085
 Kate LaLonde, 50 W New England Ave., Worthington 43085
 Shawna Moraille, 385 Riley Ave., Worthington 43085
 Sara Abele, 6597 Masefield St., Worthington 43085
 Isla Murden, 6685 Hayhurst St., Worthington 43085
 Patricia and Joe Kearns, 6777 Hayhurst St., Worthington 43085
 John and Janet Warton, 490 Olenwood Ave., Worthington 43085
 The Heights at Worthington Place, 160 W. Wilson Bridge Rd., Worthington 43085
 Copley Park Apartments, 7505 Worthington Galena Rd., Worthington 43085
 Kim Scranton 963 Clan Ct., Worthington 43085

Stafford House Little Library, 7600 Huntington Park Dr. Columbus 43235
 Marilyn McPheron, 801 Bluffview Dr., Columbus 43235
 Carol Rearick, 7740 Mellacent Dr., Columbus 43235
 Shannon Navin, 1638 Dollivor Dr., Columbus 43235
 Gina Malley, 1032 Rosebank Dr., Columbus 43235
 Pipsqueak's Little Library, 7106 Stone Ct., Columbus 43235
 Julie Hutchison, 6787 Pine Bark Ln., Columbus 43235
 Fellowship Lutheran Church, 7350 Sawmill Rd., Columbus 43235
 Cynthia Tyson, 7696 Silver Fox Dr., Columbus 43235

Janice and Carl Green, The Cowboy and the Rose, 7780 Strathmoore Rd., Dublin 43016
 Sycamore Residents Association - Eagle Scout Project, 2021 1200 Brookridge Dr., Columbus 43235
 Brian Weals, 5404 Havenhill Dr., Columbus 43235
 John Arthur, 5970 Winstead Rd., (near Antrim Park) Columbus 43235
 Mary Nowels - Monarch Valley, 382 Westview Ave., Columbus 43214