

Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Harley & Bessie Knox Library

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Welcome to the inaugural issue of the Friends of the Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox Library eNewsletter. I'm glad you're such a strong advocate and supporter of this amazing new library and of library services throughout San Diego. The community's deep connection with this new library was clear six months ago when more than 2,000 of us joined to open the library. That connection has grown since. The intention of this newsletter is to ensure you have the latest news and updates from the Friends of the Library.



I invite you to join me as a volunteer helping support literacy and learning in our area. Our Friends group supports the Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox library through the sale of used books donated to the Friends by our neighbors. Proceeds support additional library resources such as books and e-books, library programs and equipment. The bookstore is open Monday through Saturday (schedule listed below) and we rely on volunteers to help staff the store. We also are interested in speaking with library supporters interested in leadership roles with the Friends. For more information on volunteer opportunities, contact me by email [HERE](#).

Phyllis C. Marion

President

Friends of the Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox Library

Sharing Our Neighborhood Stories: Hillcrest

The Mission Hills-Hillcrest Friends and the Library are partnering with the San Diego History Center for a series of four interactive conversations about the unique communities that constitute our area. Old Town, Mission Hills, and Bankers Hill/Balboa Park will be the subjects of future conversations in November, January, and February ([READ MORE](#)). On Saturday, October 12, San Diego History Center Community Historian Barry Goldlust will discuss Hillcrest's colorful history and evolving identity.



Saturday, October 12

Hillcrest: A Town to Call Home

San Diego History Center Community Historian Barry Goldlust

3 to 4 p.m.

[Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox Library Community Room](#)

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Sharing Our Neighborhood Stories: Hillcrest

Looking for your next book, or movie, or CD? The Friends book store has an ever-changing collection of reasonably priced and curated selections. Please drop by and browse and remember that your purchases help support the Friends support the Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox Library.



Bookstore Hours

Monday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Tuesday, Noon to 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Noon to 6 p.m.

Thursday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sunday, Closed

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Be a Library Advocate

One of the primary roles of the Friends of the Mission Hills-Hillcrest/Knox Library is to advocate for this branch and for all San Diego Public Libraries. As part of the #LibrariesTransformSD coalition of Library supporters, we have had success encouraging local leaders to more fully fund public libraries. We need you to add your voice to other library supporters. If you are interested in participating in advocacy efforts, visit LibrariesTransformSD.org to sign up as a coalition member.



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