



Guidelines for Items Donated for Book Sales

While we appreciate all donations, we kindly ask that you check your books for mold, water damage, bugs, stains, torn pages and other damage before including them in your donation. A general guideline is: If you would not give it to a friend, please don't give it to the Friends!

We gladly accept:

- books which are in good condition: clean, dry, mold-free, bug-free
- commercially recorded music on CDs, cassette or LP
- audio books on CDs or cassettes
- movies on DVD, Blu-ray, or VHS (in their cases)
- magazines that are not more than three months old (we will accept older craft, quilting, woodworking and children's magazines)
- puzzles with no pieces missing
- encyclopedia sets published within the past 5 years

Sorry, we cannot accept other items, including:

- items which are dirty, moldy, smelly, chewed, wet or bug infested
- advance copies, demo copies, or review copies that are marked "not for sale"
- National Geographic, Reader's Digest, or Guidepost magazines
- encyclopedia sets published more than 5 years ago
- homemade DVDs, CDs, videos, or cassette tapes
- Reader's Digest condensed books
- pictures, posters, art work
- catalogs, calendars, cards, postcards or stationery
- games
- reading lights or reading aids

Many of the items we cannot accept would be welcomed by other agencies, such as:

Pella Art Center
Thrift stores
Senior housing centers