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Helpful Resources for Friends Groups and Libraries

Friends Groups

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<http://www.accessola.com/focal/>

How to Organize a Friends Group, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet1.pdf>

How to Revitalize Your Friends Group, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet7.pdf>

Libraries Need Friends: A Toolkit to Create Friends Groups or to Revitalize the One You Have
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http://www.webjunction.org/c/document_library/get_file?folderId=454998&name=DLFE-14463.pdf

Planning a Book and Author Event, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet9.pdf>

The Role of the Friends Board ALTAFF, Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet10.pdf>

Successful Programs, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet3.pdf>

Checklist for Advocacy, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet13.pdf>

Volunteer Recruitment and Retention, OLA conference, 2007, Reva Cooper
Session #1801 - Volunteer Recruitment and Retention Today, Part One
Session #1901 - Volunteer Recruitment and Retention Today, Part Two
<http://www.accessola.com/superconference2007/sessions.html>

Getting and Keeping Members, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet18.pdf>

Staff/Trustees/Friends Relationships

Role of the Library Trustee, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet11.pdf>

Cultivating Your Friends, 1999
<http://www.sols.org/publications/trusteetips/Tip16.pdf>
Library Support for Friends Activities, ALTAFF Tip Sheet
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/altaff/friends/factsheets/factsheet27.pdf>

Sample Friends Volunteer Application

Friends of the Edmonton Public Library, Volunteer Application
<http://www.epl.ca/Friends/VolunteerApplication.pdf>

Sample Friends brochure

Be a Friends - Friends of the Winnipeg Public Library brochure
<http://wpl.winnipeg.ca/library/pdfs/friendsbrochure2010.pdf>