

Hernando County Public Library System

GIFT DONATION FORM

Name (donation received from):		
Organization (if applicable):		
Address:		
Phone:		Amount of Donation: \$ (please make checks payable to: Hernando County Public Library System)
Purpose of Donation:	In Honor of In Celebration of In Memory of General	
Acknowledgment Requested: Yes No Do you give permission for your name and/or organization be included on social media and other forms of public acknowledgement? Yes No <i>*checking yes does not guarantee social media acknowledgement</i>		
Preferred method: Email Mail		
Send Acknowledgement (if applicable) to: Name: Address: Email		
Optional Specific title or subject requested? Yes No If yes, please specify: <i>(if a specific title has been requested, the title(s) has to meet the Library's collection management guidelines and be available through the Library's book vendor. If the title is unavailable, a like substitute title will be selected)</i> Bookplate requested? Yes No If yes, instructions: <i>(e.g. In honor of John Smith; In celebration of National Library Week; In memory of John Smith etc.)</i> <i>My signature below signifies that I have received a copy of the Collection Management Gift Policy Statement and grant Hernando County full permission to use my photographs, videotapes, or any other manner of recording my participation of this donation</i> Signature		
LIBRARY USE ONLY CIRCULATION DESK STAFF USE Today's Date: Received from (branch): BV <input type="checkbox"/> EH <input type="checkbox"/> SH <input type="checkbox"/> WH <input type="checkbox"/> Staff initials:		

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Policy Statement

The Hernando County Public Library System accepts donations of materials or monetary gifts provided that the following conditions are met:

- Materials are accepted with the understanding that there are no restrictions placed upon their use.
- Gifts of materials and/or equipment are evaluated for appropriateness to our collection using the same criteria applied to other acquisitions. Only those materials which prove to be in good physical condition and which conform to our collection goals are actually added to the collection. The Library System is not obligated to retain any gifts which fail to meet the criteria for selection.
- Material not added to the collection may be sold at the Friends of the Library book sales or discarded.
- Gift material may be assigned to any branch in the Library System.
- The Library is not obligated to retain back issues of gift periodical subscriptions.
- When donations are given, suggestions of specific titles or subjects are welcomed.
- However, the final decision for donations, based on the collection, rests with the Library. When requested, bookplates will be added to the donated material. The Library has final approval of bookplate content.
- The Library does not set aside a special location for gift materials. Gift materials are integrated into the Library's existing collection.
- The Library does not appraise gifts or provide evaluation of gifts for tax deductions or other purposes. If requested, the Library will acknowledge, in writing, the number of items received from the donor.
- Official acknowledgment of the gift is made in writing by the Library Services Director.