A guide to finding any of the five Used Bookstores run by the Friends of the Library in Jackson, Macon & Swain counties

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Fontana Regional Library Used Bookstores

Locations Map

Sylva:
The Friends of the Jackson County Public Library is an all volunteer organization whose mission is to support the Jackson County Public Library through advocacy, financial contributions, and volunteers. Visit our website at: www.jacksoncountylibraryfriends.org. The used book store which is operated by the Jackson County Friends is located on Main Street, across from the Sylva Herald, in the heart of downtown Sylva. The store is staffed by volunteers, all inventory is donated and every sale benefits the library. The book store is open year round, seven days a week. A wide variety of books, magazines, books on CD, DVDs and videos are always available. A special bargain section with books selling for fifty and twenty-five cents is a big attraction.

The Bookstore hours are:
- Tuesday - Wednesday: 10:00 AM - 5:30 PM
- Thursday: 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM
- Friday - Saturday: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Bryson City:
The Friends of the Marianna Black Library Bookstore is located at 32 Everett Street in an old historic building in the heart of Bryson City. Just a short walk from the Library, the Bookstore offers convenient parking, easy access and a great view of the Tuckaseegee River.

The store has a wide selection of used books including regional classics, some golden oldies and 1st editions, magazines, large print and audio books, DVDs, videos, compact disks, and children’s materials, all donated and attractively arranged in well marked shelving. The Friends of the Marianna Black Library is an all volunteer organization dedicated to advocacy and financial support of the Library. Volunteers are always needed to help in the bookstore and with other fundraising events. The FOMBL Bookstore hours are:
- Monday - Thursday: 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Friday & Saturday: 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Franklin:
The Friends of the Library Bookstore is located in the Shops at Riverwalk. The Friends have operated a bookstore operated by volunteers for 20 years and we are the oldest full-time used bookstore in NC. We have been at this location for 10 years. All of our staff are volunteers and all books are donated. All proceed go to the Macon County Public Library. We not only have a wide selection of books, but also have magazines, puzzles, music books, video tapes, CDs and textbooks for Home Schooling. We also have many collectible books and first editions available in the store and listed on our website: www.maconlibraryfriends.org.

Bookstore hours are:
- Monday - Saturday: 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Highlands:
The Bookworm began operating in the early 1990’s in the lower level of Peggy Crosby Center in Highlands. Beginning with a single room, it has now expanded to fill three rooms with fiction, non-fiction, gardening and cookbooks, drama and fine arts, history and philosophy, reference and do-it-yourself, CDs and DVDs, and a Children’s Nook. An entire room dedicated to fiction, with a great selection of new books, is a popular area for customers. This all-volunteer store has its own entrance to the building, and is open year-round. Subject to winter weather closings.

The Bookstore hours are:
- Tuesday - Saturday: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Cashiers:
The Friends of the Library Bookstore is located in the Albert Carlton Cashiers Community Library and is open during library operating hours. The bookstore is beautifully organized with a large selection of almost new books of all categories from fiction, biographies, politics, business, literature and much more to CDs, DVDs, reference materials, PC games, etc. The Bookstore has a large selection of fiction in hardcover as well as trade and mass market paperback. Gift Certificates are offered to our customers for purchase to encourage readers of all ages to come sample the variety and selection available. Proceeds from the bookstore support the Library in its various public events, computer area, and programs held in the Library. Friendly volunteers are there to assist you.

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1. **Sylva**: 536 West Main Street, Sylva, NC 28779  
   828-586-1221
2. **Bryson City**: 32 Everett Street, Bryson City, NC 28713  
   828-488-5655
3. **Cashiers**: (located in the Albert Carlton-Cashiers Community Library) 249 Frank Allen Road, Cashiers, NC 28717  
   828-743-0215
4. **Franklin**: 121 Highlands Road, Franklin, NC 28734  
   (828-524-3600 - Macon County Public Library)
5. **Highlands**: “The Bookworm” -- at Peggy Crosby Center - Lower Level, 348 S. 5th Street Highlands, NC 28741 (828-526-9938, x300 - Hudson Library)

Further details and hours of operation for each Bookstore are on the reverse side.