



Left to Right: Amanda Harrison, Debora Quigley, and Samantha Thomas

Friends of Union County Library (FOUCL) is pleased to announce United Community has contributed \$1,500 to us. We have forwarded this money to Union County Public Library (UCPL) to help cover expenses for their 2025 Summer Reading Program. Thank you, United Community!

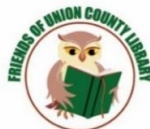
The theme this year is Color Our World and will be all about art and colors. The kick-off registration for UCPL's Summer Reading Program is on Monday, June 2, and we are excited to be part of that day. FOUCL will be purchasing and handing out popsicles and providing information about all we do to support UCPL. You'll recognize us by our green vests. We hope you will stop by and pick up a brochure or become a FOUCL member that day.

Look for us again at the first Summer Reading Program entertainment/enrichment event on Monday, June 9, when we will be asking for small donations for grab-and-go homemade baked goods (brownies, Rice Krispie Treats, and cookies).

By the way, UCPL is looking for donations to give away as prizes for their Summer Reading Program. Every year, they feature a variety of prizes for all ages. Some of their most popular items at past Summer Reading Programs have been gift cards to local businesses, experience passes to local places or activities, popular products (such as toys, games, and books), and local items (think popular local businesses and their most well-known products).

Want to donate something for a prize? It's easy! You can contact them by calling (706) 745-7491 or by emailing them at ucpl@mountainlibrary.com or simply drop by the library and talk to a staff member.

The Color Our World theme will be used by public libraries across the nation this summer; but our library builds off the yearly theme with their own programming. Previous years have included musicians, magicians, jugglers, storytellers, petting zoos, rock painting, and book B-I-N-G-O, to name just a few. Come check out the free weekly events and register to keep track of your reading to be in the running for a prize. Summertime means summer fun – join us at the library!



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