



Dear Community Member,

Since 1974, the Friends of the Bloomingdale Library, a dedicated non-profit 501c3 organization run by volunteers, has provided funding for a wide range of programs and activities for both children and adults. Our mission is to foster a love for books and reading by creating opportunities to connect with like-minded book enthusiasts. Through fundraising efforts, we aim to enhance the library's services and advocate for its financial support.

Celebrate with us as we mark a momentous occasion - our **50th** anniversary! Join us for an unforgettable event, **The Way We Were 1974** luncheon, where we'll transport you back to the groovy 1970s. Get ready to boogie down to the beats of 1970s music, enjoy a scrumptious lunch, and show off your best 1974-inspired costume for a chance to win a fabulous prize.

But that's not all! We have an exciting lineup of activities including a DJ, a 50/50 raffle, a silent auction, and more. The festivities will take place at the beautiful Bloomingdale Golf Course on Sunday, September 29th, 2024, with doors opening at 11:30am and the party kicking off at noon until 3:00pm.

To make this event a resounding success, we need your support. There are several ways you can contribute - donate your business product or service, provide a gift certificate to your business, purchase tickets for the luncheon, advertise your business or become a part of our esteemed Friends of the Library group.

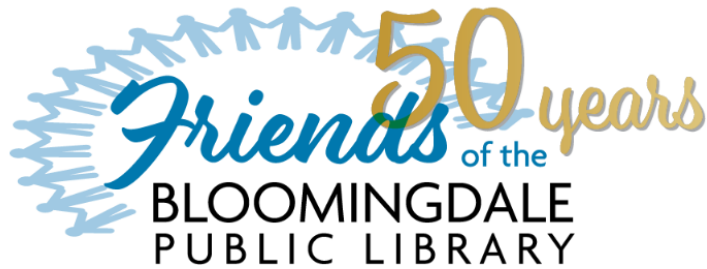
Your generosity will play a crucial role in helping us achieve our goals. We sincerely appreciate any donation you can make. To get involved, simply fill out and return the attached donation form, reach out to us via email [mybplf50@gmail.com](mailto:mybplf50@gmail.com) or phone if you have any questions or need assistance. Let us know if you require a donation pick-up.

Thank you for considering our request, and we look forward to your generous support.

Sincerely,

Maria, Vice President

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## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary “The Way We Were 1974” Luncheon

### Sponsorship / Donation Form Sunday, September 29th at the Bloomingdale Golf Course

Company Name	
Address	
Telephone	Email
Contact Person / Title	

Please choose your option to help us make this a successful fundraiser:

\_\_\_ **\$150 Sponsorship:** Friends of the Library one year membership; Business card in program book and company logo posted online and in event publicity. Submit your business card and artwork with this form.

\_\_\_ **\$100 Program Ad:** Friends of the Library one year membership and Business card in program. Submit your business card and artwork with this form.

\_\_\_ **\$50 Membership:** One year Friends of the Bloomingdale Library membership.

\_\_\_ **Auction/Raffle donation:** List donation item and \$ value.

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\_\_\_ **\$60 Luncheon ticket:** Register online at <https://mybpl.org/friends-50th> (after August 1)

Please return your completed form and payment to *Friends of the Bloomingdale Public Library* at 101 Fairfield Drive, Bloomingdale.

Contact us via email [mybplF50@gmail.com](mailto:mybplF50@gmail.com) for more information or payment options.

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