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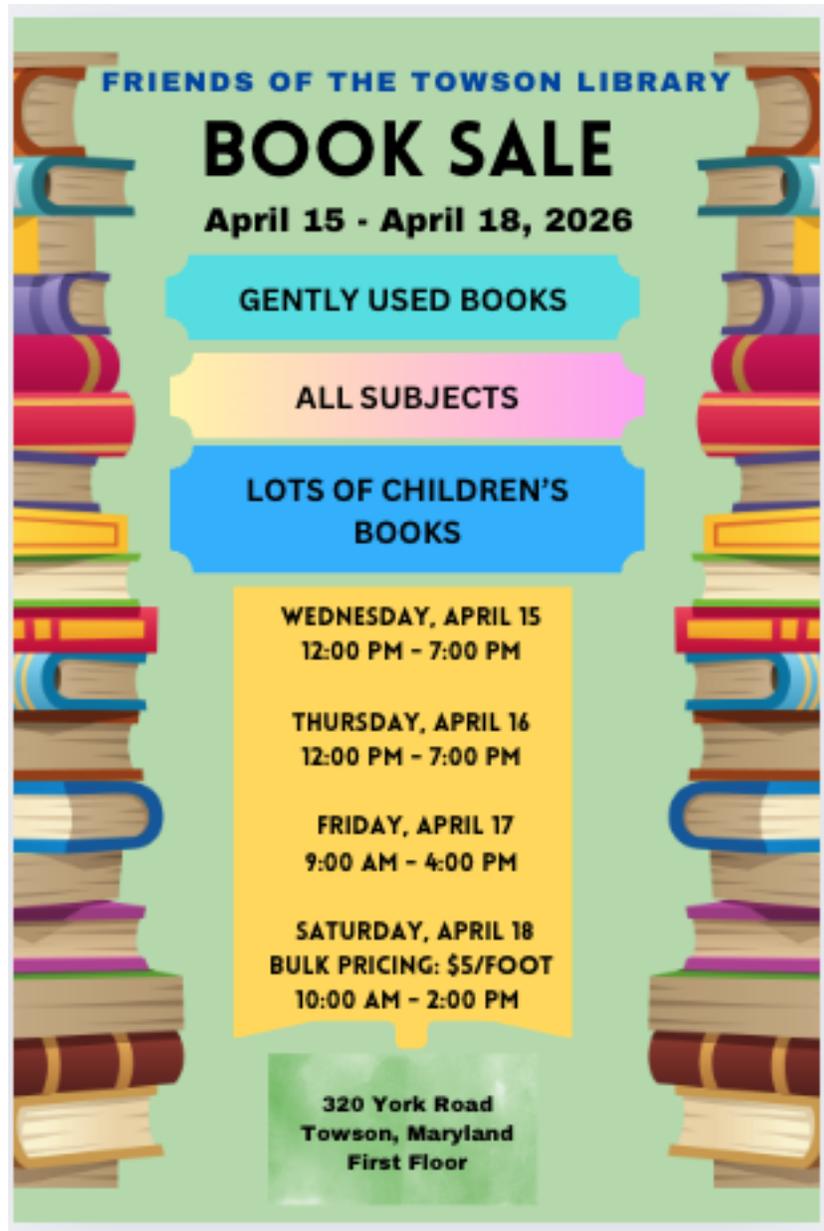
## Watch for our 2026 Book Sale postcard!

The times are set for our 2026 Book Sale, with the best selection available when doors open at noon on Wednesday, April 15. The sale is held on the ground floor of the Towson branch. We accept cash, checks or credit cards (minimum charge is \$5).

Our bargain day is Saturday, April 18, when all of the remaining books are priced at \$5 a foot. Doors open at 10, but the line usually begins at 9 a.m. on that last day.

Our Book Sale postcards will be available throughout the branch and included in your membership renewal next month. Bring the postcard to receive one free fiction book on Thursday or Friday, April 16 or 17.

**PLEASE NOTE:** We're always looking for volunteers to help with the Book Sale. Especially welcome are folks with strong backs who can haul boxes of books to help with setting up on the Tuesday before the sale. If you're interested, please email [towsonfriends@gmail.com](mailto:towsonfriends@gmail.com).



## Accepting donations for the Book Sale until March 31

Please bring gently-used books to the information desk during regular library hours. Most popular with our customers are children's books, like-new hardbacks (with dust jackets) and military history.

### NEWS AND NOTES:

- If you're a fan of author **Jennifer Weiner**, don't miss her Feb. 22, 2026 appearance as part of the Booked for BCPL series sponsored by the nonprofit Foundation for the Baltimore County Public Library. The event begins at 2 p.m. at Goucher College's Kraushaar Auditorium. Tickets to see Weiner – whose books include “In Her Shoes” and “The Summer Place” – are free, but advance reservations are required. Sign up for tickets online starting Jan. 22 at 2 p.m. through Goucher's ticket office at [goucher.universitickets.com](https://goucher.universitickets.com)



The series' 2025 events with **Erik Larson** and **Kate Quinn** were standing-room only, so register early. **Percival Everett**, who won the 2024 National Book Awards fiction prize for “James,” will be part of the series on March 29 at Goucher.

**New additions:** One of the most popular improvements made possible by funds from the Friends are these huge, kid-sized magnetic building tiles in front of the Children's Area. The bright orange seating was also purchased with money raised by our Book Sale and your membership dues, thank you! The graphic of Sneaks battling a dragon promotes the castle theme that's unique to our branch.



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