Friends of the L. D. Fargo Public Library Spring 2019 Newsletter

1. National Library Week is April 7-13, 2019.

Visit the L.D. Fargo Public Library, explore the shelves, check out a book or video, check the bulletin board, and look around to see what your local library has to offer.

2. Evening of Poetry, April 9, 6:30-8:00 p.m., in Library Hall.

This will be a casual event open to all ages. Read your favorite poem or one you have written, or, just listen.

National Poetry Month in April is the largest literary celebration in the world. It was established in 1996 by the Academy of American Poets as a way to increase awareness and appreciation of poetry in the United States.

- 3. David Benjamin—author publisher, essayist, humorist, and satirist—will present a program at the library on April 30, 6:30-8:00 p.m. He will talk about the inspiration for his books, including world travels and splitting his time between Madison and Paris, France.
- 4. **Save labels from Jensen's Sentry and support the library**. Brand names include Essential Everyday, Equaline, Wild Harvest, Sentry, Stone Ridge Ice Cream, and Culinary Circle. For every label returned to Jensen's, the store will donate 5¢ to the school or library of your choice. Be sure to mention the L.D. Fargo Public Library!
- 5. Twenty-five **Corporate Friends for 2019** are listed on the library's website and in a frame on a shelf in the reading room. Thank these businesses and organizations for their support.
- 6. **Minutes of the Friends of the Library Board** will now be posted on the Friends section of the library's website.
- 7. Contact me if you have ideas for programs and displays at our library.

SPRING IS HERE AT LAST!!!

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