## Leave a Legacy...

Help our Library continue to grow with our community and ensure that every citizen has access to the latest information and technology to help make better decisions in their lives and in their children's lives.
You can give to the future of your library through a bequest in your will or other planned gift. A gift to the Library Foundation of McMinnville can also provide you with substantial tax savings which in

effect reduces the cost of the gift. Tax benefits may include:

- Savings in income taxes by gifts of cash, securities or property made during the fiscal year.
- Savings in inheritance and gift taxes by bequests, testamentary trusts or living trusts.
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Please check with your tax advisor or legal counsel to see whether a gift of this type may be of advantage to you. Call the Library Director at 503-435-5550 for more information.





Book Drops - 2007 Project

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Children's Bookmobile - 2001 Project

# The Library Foundation of McMinnville



Preserving the Past Informing Today Inspiring Tomorrow

#### **Supporting Our Mission**

Our public library is a vital resource to the community offering the opportunity to preserve its past, empower its citizens and inspire its future. The Library Foundation of McMinnville supports and enriches this mission through fundraising, advocacy and planned giving.



Children's Shelving - 2008-10 Project

### Fill the Shelves

In 2008, the Library Foundation provided new fiction and nonfiction shelving for the children's room. In 2010, your generous contributions helped fill those shelves with new books, media and educational kits. The children's collection accounts for more that 41% of the total checkout for the library. Your gift helped us provide books, series, classics and early literacy materials to help meet the recreational and educational needs of this important group in our community.

#### **Inspiring Tomorrow**

Join us in supporting the fundraising efforts of the Library Foundation and help the library's efforts to create a more literate and informed community. Your gift can help provide these resources for future generations of library users.



"Dreams" by Gary Price – 2009 Project

#### There are many ways of giving:

- Gifts of cash, securities or property for immediate or future use by the Library.
- A bequest in your will or living trust to the Foundation.
- Beneficiary designations of life insurance or retirement plans.
- You may contribute in someone's honor or memory. The Foundation will mail a donation receipt to individuals or the family.

Unrestricted gifts enable the library to use these earnings where most needed. However, the donor may specify the purpose if consistent with the Library's mission.

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