We are writing to you on behalf of the Friends of the Bellingham Public Library. The Friends are a volunteer organization founded in 1987, dedicated to supporting and promoting the Bellingham Public Library through fund raising, public relations and volunteer efforts. Our Mission is to stimulate the interest of the community in the services and needs of the Bellingham Public Library, to enrich the cultural life of the community, and to promote a program of assistance through volunteer help and fund raising that will enable the library to maintain pace with the growth of the town of Bellingham. The Friends provide funding for museum and attraction passes, programming for children and adults, equipment and other needs of the library.

On March 3rd, 2013, the Friends of the Bellingham Public Library will be holding “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library as part of our Second Annual Friend-Raising Weekend.

Families will come to the Library on this Sunday to enjoy a round of “Croquet”. We will also hold a used book sale that weekend. We need your assistance to make this happen. We are looking for sponsorships at three different levels.

- **Event Level Sponsors** will support the Friend-Raising Weekend, which includes a book sale in the Library Community Room Friday, Saturday and Sunday and “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library on Sunday. Event level sponsorship is limited, with a suggested donation of $1000.

- **Wicket Sponsors** will support “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library. Each sponsorship will “buy” a wicket with a sign with your company name/logo posted at the hole you sponsor. Wicket Sponsorships are $75.

- **Scorecard Sponsors** will support “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library. Each sponsorship will “buy” an ad approximately the size of a business card on the Scorecards given out to each group playing the course. Scorecard Sponsorships are $50.

In the event you are unable to be a sponsor, we hope you will consider donating either a gift certificate or other product/service for a raffle that will be held at the fundraiser.

We would greatly appreciate your help. All sponsors and donors are encouraged to provide the library with business cards, flyers or other promotional materials that will be on display at the library throughout the weekend. We thank you for considering our request. If you have any questions or need further information, please feel free to contact us. If you would like to sponsor at any of the levels listed above, please complete the attached form and return it to my attention at the address above.

Sincerely,
Jasmine Guillet and the Friends of the Bellingham Public Library Fundraising Committee
(774)571-0510
Jguillet7557@aol.com
“Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library
Friend-Raising Weekend
Sponsorship Form

_____ Yes, I want to be an Event Level Sponsor to support the Friends of the Bellingham Public Library’s Friend-Raising Weekend, including the “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library event. **Suggested donation $1,000.**

_____ Yes, I want to be a Wicket Sponsor to support the “Wicket” Fun Croquet at the Library, through a **donation of $75.**

_____ Yes, I want to be a Scorecard Sponsor and will provide a business size card ad for the scorecards to be given to croquet participants, through a **donation of $50.**

_____ I am unable to be a sponsor at this time but will be happy to donate items for the raffle, please contact me to discuss the details.

Please make your checks payable to: The Friends of the Bellingham Public Library and mail them to the address above. The Friends of the Bellingham Public Library is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organizations and **donations are tax deductible.**

Name:  ______________________________________________________

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