Frequently Asked Questions
About the Friends of the South River Library Garage Sale

1. I know I have to pay $10.00 to have my name on the list, but who keeps the proceeds from my garage sale? You do. The Friends do not take any part of your proceeds.

2. Do I have to do any advertising for the garage sale? No, the Friends do all of the advertising because it is a community wide sale.

3. When will the list and map be ready? The list of participating houses and a map of South River will be put on the library's web site on Thursday, October 15th.

4. Will there be extra copies of the list and map that we can hand out to buyers who stop at our house, but haven't printed them out for themselves? No. However, nothing stops you from printing them out to have on hand at your house.

5. Do the Friends provide signs that we can put on our lawns or at a corner pointing the way to our house? No. However, feedback provided to use from participating households have shown us that you can do better if you make bright, colorful signs and post them pointing the way to your house. Just make sure you use a black magic marker so it's easy to read.

Ten dollars may not seem like a lot of money to get your house and goods listed, but it actually allows the Friends to help the library in significant ways. Last year's garage sale helped raise enough money for the Friends to donate the following to the library:

- For the children's section - new rug, cushions, caterpillar tunnel, table with beads, puppets for story time, and a new combination white/chalk board
- New bike rack by the door
- Paid for programs such as the Lego Club, ESL Conversation Club
- Plants in the reading room
- Balloons at the bottom of the stairs to welcome you into the library