



Announcing...

The Argonne Elementary School Birthday Book Club!

A great way to celebrate your child's special day and help our library collection grow at the same time.

Dear Argonne Families,

If you are looking for a unique way to recognize your child's birthday AND support our school library, please consider signing up for the Argonne Birthday Book Club.

Here's how it works: Donations are made to the library in honor of the student's birthday. When the month of the child's birthday arrives, the child will be invited to the library to choose a book from among a selection of new books, and a personalized bookplate with the child's name and birthday will be placed in the book. The birthday child will be the first to check out this book, before it becomes part of the library's permanent collection.

For students with summer birthdays, parents can choose to either honor the birthday in September or on the child's half-birthday.

How much is the donation and what is it for? A donation of at least \$20 will cover the purchase and processing costs of the average new book, allowing the library to develop a collection of current titles.

To join, fill in the Birthday Book Club enrollment form (see reverse), attach your check payable to Argonne PTO (\$20 or more per child), and return it to school, to the attention of the Argonne Birthday Book Club. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Library teacher