FROM THE DEAN’S DESK: SEE YOU AT BARNES & NOBLE!

Your favorite place, and mine, to ‘run into’ Florida Tech faculty, students and friends is . . . yes! Barnes & Noble on New Haven. Saturday, November 15, is Florida Tech Evans Library Day at Barnes & Noble. You can complete all of your holiday shopping on one day, in one place, and benefit the Library! (If you forget an item or two, you can shop at Barnes & Noble until Friday, November 21, and still benefit the Library.) Read on for details of the great time that will be had by all at Barnes & Noble. I look forward to seeing you . . . and you . . . and you . . .

Saturday, November 15, is Florida Tech Evans Library Day at Barnes & Noble! Join us for a day of book signings, poetry readings, discussions, music, shopping, and more.

The day’s schedule of Illustrious Florida Tech Presenters is:

- 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. – Andrew Aberdein will lead a discussion and read a selection from Investigating Firefly and Serenity: Science Fiction on the Frontier.
- 10:00 - 10:45 a.m. – Robert Taylor will give a presentation and sign purchased copies of his books Florida: An Illustrated History and Rebel Storehouse.
- 12:00 - 12:45 p.m. – Robert Shearer will do a reading and sign purchased copies of his book The Beethoven Years.
- 1:00 - 1:45 p.m. – Winston Scott will give a presentation of his book, Reflections from Earth Orbit, followed by questions and answers.
- 2:00 - 2:30 p.m. – Marcia Denius will do a poetry reading from her book Sweet Surrender.
- 3:00 - 4:15 p.m. – “Florida Tech Musicians” under the direction of Professor Jamie Younkin.
- 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. – “Players in Harmony,” Florida Tech’s a capella singing group

Plan now to come out to the Barnes & Noble at 1955 W. New Haven Avenue to enjoy these presentations and to support the Library. Purchases made using the special voucher will result in a donation (a percentage of the net sale) to the Library. For more details, go to www.lib.fit.edu/bookfair. Vouchers are available at the Library’s Service Desk and at http://www.lib.fit.edu/bookfair/voucher.pdf. They can be used Saturday, November 15, through Friday, November 21.

Spread the word! Thanks so much for considering supporting the Evans Library through this event!

WINNERS ANNOUNCED - CELEBRATING FLORIDA TECH’S 50TH ANNIVERSARY!

The Library’s anniversary-related contest, where participants were asked to suggest an improvement to the Library or LINK, ended on Friday, October 17. Congratulations to the winners of the drawings.

1st prize $200 Barnes & Noble gift card
2nd prize $100 Barnes & Noble gift card
3rd prize Florida Tech 50th-anniversary mug
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4th prize Library’s Cook it by the Book II cookbook
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Luke Clutter
Patrick Champey
Aleida Young
Kapil Varshney
Tom McGuire
Abbie Cummings
David Meismer

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Guinevere Shaw
Paul Davis
Andrea Tedesco
Alicia Evans
Wesling Ducas
Albert Lorenzo
Jessi Mikkelson
Naomi Bordrick
Jeffrey Pollard
Chance Trybe

A compilation of ALL contest suggestions is being reviewed. Watch future “Information Links” issues for details on the comments that were received from over 500 entries. The “Celebrating Florida Tech’s 50th Anniversary!” display continues in the first-floor lobby and on the LINK at http://www.lib.fit.edu/pubs/librarydisplays. Adding to the exhibit’s other historical components is its current focus on student organizations.