

Libraries are repositories of knowledge as well as places for reflection, connection, and learning. In addition, our Bainbridge Public Library is surrounded by a unique landscape that introduces us to the aesthetic of Japanese gardens, the beauty of haiku poetry, the profusion of fern species, and the glory of flowering plants and shrubs.

It is also a home dedicated to stories—the ones written by the authors of the books on its shelves and the personal stories of the people who are treasured in our community, and who in turn have treasured the Bainbridge Public Library. A long-standing way to pay tribute to these special people has been to make a remembrance gift to BPL in their honor.

The Garden Fund has been established to make these tributes visible to our community and help us continue to care for our lovely library grounds. A gift of \$500 or more to this fund will commission a small plaque placed on the art piece (below) designed and fabricated by local artist and library supporter, Dick Strom. These plaques will hang as lasting tributes—remembered as part of the ongoing Bainbridge Public Library story.



## THANK YOU

Your support of the library gardens is appreciated

## **TRIBUTE**

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Community built and owned, Bainbridge Public Library embodies the spirit of private/public partnership. Our building and grounds are wholly supported by donations and managed by a volunteer board of directors on behalf of Island residents. Tax dollars from our public partner, Kitsap Regional Library, pay for library staff, materials, technology and programming.

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