



Celebrating 10 Years of Little Free Libraries



2019 is the tenth anniversary of the first Little Free Library! To celebrate a decade of Little Free Libraries and the volunteer stewards who bring them to life, we're offering exciting awards, events, and giveaways throughout the year.

In 2009 Todd Bol (1956-2018) created the first Little Free Library book exchange and placed it in his Hudson, Wisconsin, front yard in tribute to his mother—a teacher.

Ten years later, his idea has snowballed into the world's largest book-sharing movement. There are now more than 80,000 Little Free Libraries in all 50 states and 90+ countries, from Argentina to Zambia.

The Little Free Library nonprofit organization, established in 2012, is at the heart of this phenomenon. Our growing network shares our mission to inspire a love of reading, build community, and spark creativity.

As we celebrate ten years of Little Free Libraries, join us for:

- **“The Big Share,”** an international event May 17-19 inviting people around the globe to share a book in a Little Free Library and share a photo on social media.
- The **Todd H. Bol Awards for Outstanding Achievement** honoring volunteer stewards making an exceptionally positive impact on their communities.
- Commemorative Little Free Libraries to be distributed to **communities in need** through our Impact Library Program.
- Facebook and **house party fundraisers** to help propel Little Free Library into the next decade.
- **Special monthly giveaways** for Little Free Library volunteer stewards and patrons.

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