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Book Sale Offers Thousands of Titles at Bargain Prices

Reporters who want to do morning live shots from the book sale should contact Dempsey Means with the North Carolina State Fairgrounds security office at 919-281-8481.

More than 200,000 books will be up for grabs at Wake County Public Libraries' annual Book Sale May 2 – 5 in the [Expo Center](#) at the North Carolina State Fairgrounds.

This popular event gives residents the opportunity to pick up some favorite books—and discover new reads—at great prices. Here are the details:

Thursday, May 2

Noon – 9 p.m.

Hardbound books: \$4

Paperbacks: \$2

Children's books: \$2

Media: \$2

Saturday, May 4

9 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Dollar Day

Hardbound books: \$1

Paperbacks: \$1

Children's books: \$1

Media: \$1

Friday, May 3

9 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Half Price Day

Sunday, May 5

9 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Bargain Day

Hardbound books: \$2
Paperbacks: \$1
Children's books: \$1
Media: \$1

Box of books: \$3
While supplies last

All funds generated from the book sale return to Wake County's general fund, which supports county agencies, services and programs.

The Expo Center is near the fairgrounds' Blue Ridge Road entrance, and there is ample, free parking throughout the site. Cash, checks and credit cards will be accepted. Please bring your own handcart.

Special Note for WCPSS Teachers and Media Specialists

All Wake County Public School System teachers and media specialists with a current WCPSS ID are invited to attend the Wake County Public Library Book Sale and select two free boxes of books for classroom use. Boxes will be available, but teachers are encouraged to bring carts to carry the boxes to their cars. Teachers must show a current WCPSS badge to receive the free boxes.

This year, in lieu of a teacher pre-sale, the book sale will open early, and WCPSS teachers and media specialists are invited to attend the sale at any time during the public hours.

For more information, contact Ann Burlingame, deputy library director, at libraryadministration@wakegov.com or visit wakegov.com/libraries/events/Pages/booksale.aspx.

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