

Mini Book Sale



Thank You

Saturday 13 November 2021

Cherrybrook Uniting Church, Cherrybrook

What a great team effort with a huge thank you to the members and partners for making this a very successful & enjoyable day.

The real work started Friday afternoon with a ten of us, plus four trailers and a ute required to transport one hundred and sixty six plywood boxes of books from the RFS to the church. We left the books in the trailers overnight and stored them in the basement carpark.

Again we had a good roll up, from prior to 7.30am to assist set up, that also included plants (great work Anne, Carol and Lynne) and jolly soles/socks (well done Ros H). Rosemary also headed up a small team to cater for morning and afternoon tea.

Then from 9.00am to 3.00pm it was down to business doing our best to sell our stockpile of books, plus plants originally intended for the Garage Sale, plus some very colourful and popular socks.

To encourage bulk book sales we offered discounts of 10% for \$10.00 plus, 20% for \$20.00 plus and topped out at 30% for book sales of \$30 or more.

Whilst not requested book donations arrived throughout the day, which were then sorted and added to existing stock. Subsequently, even after allowing for all those books that were either sold or culled and taken home for recycling (thank you), there was no apparent reduction in the overall volume of books to be stored.

Then we had Bev's magnificently presented priced books and those people on the entrance door, whose duties included checking for COVID compliance, Rosemary, George and Ros. We also had those on the sales desk, namely Andrew, Bob and Stan.

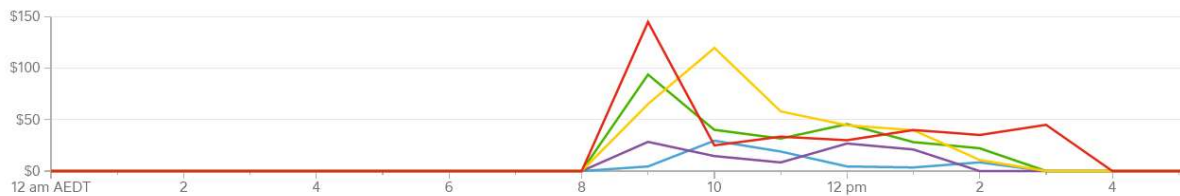
Overall we achieved:

Item Name	Items Sold	Product Sales	Discounts & Comps	Net Sales	Gross Sales
Plants	56	\$355.00	-\$1.50	\$353.50	\$353.50
\$2 Book	209	\$418.00	-\$79.80	\$338.20	\$338.20
Priced Books	59	\$425.00	-\$90.40	\$334.60	\$334.60
Children's Books	324	\$324.00	-\$62.50	\$261.50	\$261.50
Socks	14	\$88.00	\$0.00	\$88.00	\$88.00
Total	622	\$1,610.00	-\$234.20	\$1,375.80	\$1,375.80

Plus donation jars \$37.80
 Less Square fees \$15.04
 Less Church hire \$100.00
 Net \$1,298.56

Top 5 Items: Gross Sales

● Plants \$353.50 ● \$2 Book \$338.20 ● Children's Books \$261.50 ● Priced Books Individual Pricing \$99.20 ● Yellow Sticker - Priced Books \$69.50



Payment Method	Payments	Payment Amount	Fees	Net Total	%
Card - Tapped (Contactless)	43	\$791.10	-\$15.04	\$776.06	57%
Cash	41	\$584.70	\$0.00	\$584.70	43%
Total	84	\$1,375.80	-\$15.04	\$1,360.76	100%

57% paid by credit card & 43% paid by cash

And finally we had those that simply worked both days or close to it, including Rosemary, Beverley, Bob, Andrew (also IT, accounts and graphics), Neville, Max, George, Margaret, Ros H, Col B, Lynne, Peter and Julianne (apologies for any omissions).

Apart from making a dollar, we also enjoyed some great fellowship, well done everyone.