The Friends meet once or twice a year for special programs.

Past programs have included:

- *The Women There Don’t Treat You Mean: Abilene in Song* with author Joe Specht and local musicians: Happy Fat, Slim Chance and the Survivors, Jamison Priest, Greg Young, and Terry Mashburn.

- *Creativity and Madness* with Knox-Bennett Poet Jeannie Eammons.

- Science Fiction author James Estes (pseudonym Hillyer Ives) reading and discussing Science Fiction.

- McMurry-related authors Glenn Dromgoole, Robert Pace, Lou Rodenberger, Gary Shanafelt, and Robert Sledge discussing their recent publications.

- *A Revealing Look at Surrealism* with Linda Murray, Gary Shanafelt, Joe Stamey, and Cicero Bruce.

New members are welcome!

- Life $1000.00
- Benefactor 500.00
- Patron 100.00
- Family 25.00
- Sustaining 15.00
- Student (current) 5.00

For information on joining please contact Bob Gillete or Trudy Mosley at 793-4685.