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### ***Big Savings are Found @ Your Library***

Today, everyone is looking for bargains and opportunities to stretch their dollars. You can benefit from big savings by visiting your Santa Rosa County Libraries. Today's cost of purchasing a hard copy book ranges from \$17 to \$30 and paperbacks range from \$5 to \$14. Santa Rosa citizens borrow an average of 67,000 items per month from their libraries and, at an average cost of \$20.00 per book, Santa Rosa citizens save a whopping \$1,340,000.00 per month! So why not join your fellow citizens and take advantage of your library services – and “borrow instead of buy?”

In addition to the great savings to be found by borrowing library materials, Friends of the Library groups for the Gulf Breeze, Milton, Navarre, and Pace Libraries provide direct benefit to the Library through support for new Library materials by selling donated, gently used books.

The Friends groups of Gulf Breeze, Milton, and Navarre Libraries operate a book store inside the library and the Friends of the Pace Library group operates a sales outlet in Alyssa's Antiques and a book shelf in the Pace Library. At prices less than most online book stores, you can find bargains galore! Check out the Friends' book stores and support your local Library at the same time!

For details about the book store hours, visit <http://www.santarosa.fl.gov/libraries>.

*The Santa Rosa County Library System is a department of the Santa Rosa County Board of County Commissioners. Libraries are located in Gulf Breeze, Jay, Milton, Navarre, and Pace. Further information is available at <http://www.santarosa.fl.gov/libraries>.*

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