

Dear Community Member,

What began as a local initiative has blossomed into a nationally recognized model for literacy engagement. Reading Under the Lights (RUL) has become more than a program. Over the years, we've proudly **placed thousands of brand-new books** into the hands of elementary-age students, all at no cost to them. This year, we have 9 total school districts scheduled for 2026 Reading Under the Lights programs, with two of those districts hosting their first programs ever!

Wayne County

Ida Sue School (April) First Year!
Norwayne Local Schools (May)
Triway Local Schools (May)
Wooster City Schools (May)
Northwestern Local Schools (May)
Beacon Hill (August) First Year!
Waynedale Local Schools (September)
Rittman Exempted Village Schools (September)

Holmes County

Beacon Hill (TBD) First Year!
West Holmes Local Schools (May) First Year!
East Holmes Local Schools (October) First Year!



That's where you come in. We're seeking generous sponsors and donors to help keep RUL free and accessible to every child.

One Community. One Book.: \$5,000.00 Your company representative may attend and read to the children at one school. Your logo will be on all the materials and shared on multiple social media platforms. A book plate with your logo or name will be inside of the One Community. One Book. One Sponsorship Per School is available.

Editor: \$3,000.00 Opportunity to be part of a short video message that is shared with classrooms. Your logo will be on all materials and shared on multiple social media platforms.

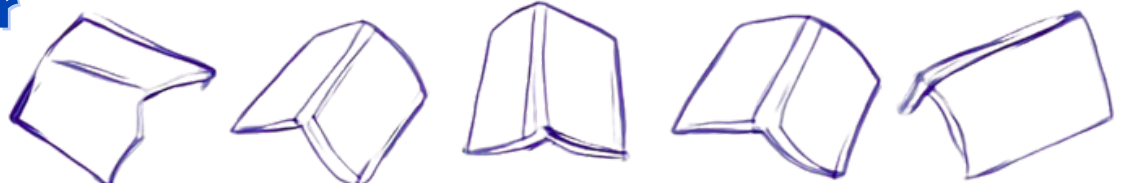
Title: \$1,000.00 Your logo will be on all materials and shared on multiple social media platforms.

Author: \$500.00 Your name will be spelled out on materials and shared on multiple social media platforms.

Reader: \$250.00 Your name will be spelled out on materials.

Together, we can continue to light the path to literacy and ensure that every child, regardless of background, has the opportunity to thrive through reading. Thank you for your consideration.

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2026 READING UNDER THE LIGHTS SPONSORSHIP CONTRIBUTION FORM

Sponsor Name

Contact Name

Address

Phone Number

Email

School Designation

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Support All 10 Schools
You'll receive equal sponsorship recognition, but funds may be distributed based on school need | <input type="checkbox"/> Ida Sue | <input type="checkbox"/> Waynedale | <input type="checkbox"/> Triway |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Norwayne | <input type="checkbox"/> West Holmes | <input type="checkbox"/> Rittman |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Wooster | <input type="checkbox"/> Northwestern | <input type="checkbox"/> East Holmes |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Beacon Hill | | |

Sponsorship Levels*

- One Community. One Book. \$5,000**
- Editor \$3,000**
- Title \$1,000**
- Author \$500**
- Reader \$250**

Payment Options:

- Bill Me
- See Enclosed Check
- Other _____

Make Checks Payable & Return Forms to:
United Way Wayne & Holmes Counties
215 S. Walnut St. Wooster, OH 44691

*Unused funds by the end of the 2026 calendar year will be rolled over into our Literacy Initiative Fund.

