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'Frequent Thinker' Milt Braverman Supports the Impact of Libraries on Our Community



Milt Braverman recognizes the impact of libraries on our community – which is why he supports the Rochester Public Library through FFRPL.

A Brighton resident, he loves to visit libraries in his travels throughout the world and locally. “If I’m in the neighborhood, I check them out,” he said. “Libraries provide such a valuable community service through their collections, programming and safe space for kids.”

Milt was impressed with the presenters and topics at Central Library for *Tuesday Topics* and *Books Sandwiched In* (BSI). He even became one of the *Tuesday Topics* ‘frequent thinkers’ and received a special lunch for attending six of the eight talks in the winter 2017 series.

“I attend these programs because they are informative and entertaining,” he said. “They cover things I didn’t know I’d be interested in.”

Milt recognizes that library programs, while free to patrons, have a cost. So when he was invited to participate in the BSI Challenge, he eagerly joined other attendees by making a personal donation to FFRPL. Collectively, the BSI Challenge raised more than \$2,100, which was matched and doubled by FFRPL staff and board members.

“I’m a big advocate of the free public library system,” Milt said. “I contribute to things that are free, to keep them free for everyone.”