

Powers Library Annual Report to the Community:

A Look Back at 2023

Our Mission: To provide free access to sources of information, education, and entertainment to our extended community.



*** Circulation:**

Adult/Young Adult & Children:
16350

DVDs: 2043 and eContent: 2116

Interlibrary loans: 9019

*** New Patrons:**

153 library cards were issued.

*** Visits to Powers Library: 7375**

(does not include all programming numbers).

*** Catalogued Materials for Circulation: 13,683**

312 library visitors used our public computers. Our Wi-Fi users are estimated to be higher in number as more patrons are using their own devices to access the internet.



*** Highlights:**

Outdoor Movie Night

**Summer Reading Program:
"All Together Now"**

Story Hour & Crafts

Dan the Snakeman

Didgeridoo Down Under

Knit Club

Game Days during Winter and Spring Break



Little Hand-Up Food Pantry, Santa and Mrs. Claus, Museum and Empire State Park Passes, Winter Story Stroll on Main Street, Robotics with Sara Wagner-4H Coordinator, Author, Rachel Dickinson: “The Loneliest Places” and our new outdoor Library sign.



*** Donations and Grants provide us with the ability to bring you programs and events. Public donors, The Emerson Foundation, ARPA funding grant from the Town of Moravia, The Stanley Metcalf and DE French Foundations, Fillmore Auto Show & Flea Market, Outreach Mini Grant through the Finger Lakes Library System, NYS Family/Early Literacy Grant have all supported us in our endeavors.**

*** Other Services we provide: Public computer use and Wi-Fi access, copying, printing, and faxing. Meeting spaces for tutors, literacy volunteers, CAP/Health Navigator, Book Club, Garden Club, Knit Club, Friends of Fillmore Glen, Cayuga County 4H, and patrons.**

*** Community partnerships:**

**Moravia Hope Pantry, Moravia Central School,
Finger Lakes Library System (constituting of Cayuga, Cortland,
Seneca, Tioga and Tompkins County libraries).**

Thank you to the Finger Lakes Library System and the Powers Library Board of Trustees for their continued support.

And YOU, the patrons and surrounding community members for appreciating and utilizing our beautiful, historic library.

Hours of Operation: Monday & Wednesday 12pm-6pm

Tuesday & Friday 10am-5pm

Saturday 9am-12pm

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*** Staff:**

Lori Cochran, Director

Ann Gaston, Clerk and Children's Programs

Kendra Hart, Clerk, Mahjong and Sensory

Megan Konyk, Clerk and Cataloguing

*** Current Trustees:**

**Mary Owen, President; Jackie Schnurr, Vice-President;
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