Angola Public Library Director's Report
November 3, 2026

Programs – October

- Take and Makes – 50
- Tutors – 10 Children & 16 Teens
- GED Classes – 8 classes, 31 total attendees
- Book Club – 11
- FeedMoreWNY Farm Truck – 2 visits & 30 patrons visits
- Dungeons & Dragons – 2 programs, 8 attendees
- Book a Tech Trainer – 3
- Author Event - 16
- Lakeshore Family Services: Superhero Event Table – 109 Children & 86 Adults
- Halloween Fun Night – 30 Children & 35 Adults
- Meeting Room Use – Evangola Theater Group, Girl Scouts (2 Troups)

Upcoming Programs

- Book Club – Tuesday, November 3rd @ 10:00am
- Dungeons & Dragons Kids – Thursday, November 5th from 4pm-7pm
- Dungeons & Dragons – Friday, November 6th & 20th from 4:00pm-7:00pm
- FeedMoreWNY Farm Truck – Thursday, November 19th from 1pm-2pm
- Library Yarns – Thursday, November 19th 5:00pm-6:30pm
- Book a Tech Trainer –Monday, November 23rd & Monday, December 14th
- 25th Anniversary Movie: Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone – Wednesday, Nov. 25th @12:30pm
- 25th Anniversary Movie: Lord of the Rings: Fellowship of the Ring – Friday, Nov. 27th @ 1:00pm
- 25th Anniversary Movie: Shrek – Saturday, November 28th @ 1:00pm
- Preschool Storytime – Mondays in November @ 1:00pm
- Graham Cracker Houses – December 7th & 17th
- Christmas in the Village – Saturday, December 12th
- GED Prep Class – Every Tuesday & Thursday from 1pm-4pm

System News:

- The Ralph C. Wilson Foundation's Rural Library Grant has reopened. The deadline for applying is November 13th.
- Erie County Legislator letters have arrived for patrons to sign. This letter asks for the support of the proposed 2027 budget.
- We have been asked for our proposed 2027 holiday closings. We will need to make a decision about Juneteenth on Saturday, June 19th. The legal holiday will be the Friday before and a decision needs to be made whether to close one or both days.

Staff Report:

Purchases and Needs:

Statistics

	October			Year to Date		
	2026	**2025**	**2026**	**2026**	**2025**	**Change**
Circulation	1,306	1,305	0.1%	14,064	13,478	4.3%
Library Visits	4,070	3,318	22.7%	40,308	38,076	5.9%
Computer Use (Sep)	177	141	25.5%	1,390	1,584	-12.2%
Wi-Fi (Sep)	261	227	15.0%	1,961	1,698	15.5%

Grants

	Grant Total	Total Expenditures	YTD Expenditures	Remainder
Gallivan Technology only	$15,000.00	$10,489.64	$0.00	$4,410.37
Mills Legislative Aid 2023	$2,000.00	$1,270.27	$0.00	$729.73
Ralph C. Wilson Grant	$10,200.00	$9,995.00	$9,995.00	$205.00

Fundraising

	Candy Bars	Book Sale	Donation Jar
October	$0.00	$58.60	$31.00
2026 Total	$86.30	$883.55	$755.40

Candy Bar price will be raised to $2 as of Nov. 1st