

2019 Annual Report



A Glance Back at 2019...

This year the Newstead Public Library offered many programs that focused on Health and Wellness of the mind and body. Our weekly Tai Chi Chih classes focused on the body, mind and balance. Living Roots Wellness Seminars promoted ways to develop and maintain a healthy lifestyle. Our newest collaboration with the Bank of Akron brought programming for teens and adults on protecting your finances. Children practiced Yoga and got to jump around and play in our JumpBunch classes. Minds were exercised as well through book discussions and clubs.

Thank you for growing and learning with us this year!

Kristine Sutton

Numbers for the Year

Circulation—47,192

- Books
- Magazines
- DVD's & Blu-Ray's
- Audio Books
- CD's

Library Visits - 39,600

3,971 computer sessions were used on the 13 public access computers

6,739 Wi-Fi sessions were logged

Thank you to the Town of Newstead for maintaining a beautiful library building for the community and for adding to the library collection.

Library Events

- 3,652 children and young adults attended 209 library events and entertainment programs
- 1,192 adults attended 140 programs which include 2 monthly book clubs, a Mah-jong game group, Wellness Seminars, Computer Classes and Peace, Love & Yarn, a group that knits and crochets for global community projects
- 23 outreach visits were made by the library to classrooms, playgroups and the Akron Schools and Good for the Neighborhood Community Events

Friends of the Library

The Friends of the Newstead Public Library work to promote and assist the library. They raise funds by sponsoring book sales and participating in community events. These funds help provide books and special programs. Please consider becoming a



**Backpack Giveaway
Good for the
Neighborhood!**



**Aquarium of Niagara
Touch Tank**

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