Year in Review - 2022

The Orchard Park Library has something to offer library users of every age. The Library has resumed many of its popular in person programs. Early childhood Baby & Toddler Times, and Pre-K Story Hour resumed with increased registration. Other on-site programming for children of all ages continued with popular Take & Make craft activity kits. Younger patrons stayed engaged with passive scavenger hunts and prize incentives. Guest entertainers were welcomed back for interactive programs. We continue to review and assess the services and programs we offer at the Library and are always trying to improve and enhance our services to the residents of this community.

Movie Night!



Movie nights in cooperation with the historic OP Depot – summer screenings on the lawn with Moana and Luca + popcorn of course!

A Very Good Investment

2022 Library Statistics

- 10. Visits to the Library website 23,949
- 9. Number of Library programs (live & virtual) 420
- 8. Attendance at Library programs 13,422
- 7. Reference questions answered 3,370
- 6. Registered borrowers 18,537
- 5. Hours of computer / free Internet use -6,638
- 4. Number of materials owned -84,289 including
 -4,870 Audio Books & Music CDs and 12,550 DVDs
 & Blurays
- 3. Number of cataloged materials added in 2022 **5,756**
- 2. Total circulation of Items borrowed for home use-250,766
- 1. Individual Visits to the Library 115,563

Statistics began to rebound following the library's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Library is always open online: www.BuffaloLib.org

Manage your personal account online. Download eBooks & magazines using the Libby and Hoopla apps. Search the Catalog & place item holds. Search the library website & discover computer training opportunities, interesting programs & events.

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Something for Everyone!



Orchard Park Public Library



Carnival!

Fun for all at our annual OP Library Carnival
Day – featuring face painting, games, prizes &
the fan favorite bounce house!

Teen Services

We continue to promote services to the tween & teen populations with the expansion of library collections including fiction, graphic novels, popular series, and downloadable content. Orchard Park Library Teen Service Group has resumed volunteer opportunities. The Teen Advisory Group is very active and strongly influences teen program options. The popular Teen Book Box program has continued to grow.

Gifts & Contributions

Thanks to So Many People!

The Friends of the Orchard Park Public Library continued their generous support of our Library in 2022.

The Friends are responsible for Library Book Sales and once again began receiving book donations on a limited basis as sales resumed. They also fund a scholarship for graduating HS seniors, as well as many of our children's programming initiatives and contributed to supplies for on-going youth engagement.

Thanks Also To...

The Town of Orchard Park

Orchard Park Chamber of Commerce

Orchard Park Central Schools

The Garden Club of Orchard Park

Orchard Park Historical Society

Railway Historical Society — OP Depot

Orchard Park Bee

And to... the many individuals whose donations and memorial gifts make this Library a community destination.

Orchard Park Public Library

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Schedule of Service 2022

Mon, Tues, Thurs

9am-8pm

Wed

1pm-8pm

Fri

9am-5pm

Sat

10am-5pm

Sun*

12pm-5pm

*Open Sundays Jan. 9 – June 12 & Sept. 11 – Dec. 18

Board of Trustees

Douglas McFarland President

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Jack Hinners Treasurer

Marianne Eimer Secretary

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Library Staff

4 full-time, 1 regular part-time & 22 part-time staff members.

Library Volunteers

The library very much appreciates the valuable contributions of all our dedicated Friends and teen volunteers!



Orchard Park Public Library 2022

Report to the Community



The Mission

To Enrich the Lives of the individuals of Orchard Park and Erie County's Diverse Communities by Creating and Sustaining Superior Public Library Services through Responsive Staff, Dynamic Collections, Appropriate Technology and Access to Global Information.