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Fundraising

The Friends of the Library raised \$3,569.95 from their ongoing book sale! Funds were used for programs, events, furnishings, and supplies.

The Friends of the City of Tonawanda Public Library continue to work closely with us to determine the needs of the Library. Their efforts help us to accomplish a great deal!

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Library Director

John Gaff

Staff

Librarians: Terasa Gipson, Betsey

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Library Assistant: Ryan Waite

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Pages: Katrina Jasinski, Linda Metz, Pat

Rofot, Holden Shattuck

Maintenance: Robert Bunts,
Clem Froelich, & Joe Marcaccio

Hours

Sunday: Closed

Monday: 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Tuesday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Wednesday: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Thursday: 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Friday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM



City of Tonawanda Public Library 2022 Annual Report



333 Main St.
Tonawanda, NY 14150
716-693-5043
www.buffalolib.org

2022 By the Numbers



44,298
Library Visits



97,945
Items
Checked Out



8,036
Library Card
Holders



137
Programs and
Events Held



2,200
Program
Attendees



2,558
Reference Questions
Answered



7,063
Computer Logins



15,458
Website Visits



7,908
Wi-Fi Logins

Programs

With over 100 programs offered in 2022, there was something for everyone!

- Mother Goose on the Loose & Baby Time
- University Express
- LEGO Club
- Summer Reading Program & End-of-Summer Picnic

Projects

The following projects were completed or saw significant progress in 2022:

- Carpet Replacement
- Children's Area Redesign
- Community Reading Garden
- Parking Lot Repaving

Director's Note

We are so excited about the progress being made to improve the Library, inside and out. We strive to provide the community with a space that is comfortable and welcoming to all and it is a joy to do that each and every day! 2022 saw a return to form for the Library, as many of our usual programs made a return. We'll keep the momentum going into 2023!

- **John Gaff, Library Director**



**Thank you to the City of
Tonawanda community!**

We're proud to serve you.