



PENN YAN PUBLIC LIBRARY  
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# ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

## AT A GLANCE (JULY '23 - JUNE '24)

### Collection

- **Total Print Materials: 28,648**
- **Total Children's Books: 10,558**
- **Total A/V Material: 5,281**

### Visits & Users

- **Total Annual Visits: 58,591**
- **Total Circulation: 65,415**
- **Reference Transactions: 3,438**

### Programs

- **Total Program Sessions: 644**
- **Total Program Attendance: 6,535**
- **Youth Registered for Summer Learning: 180**

## MISSION STATEMENT

*Penn Yan Public Library's mission is to awaken and satisfy curiosity in the individual, thus enriching the community.*

## MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Penn Yan Public Library leadership is planning for the future. Multi-year phased building upgrades will begin in the next 12 months, all in anticipation of offering a more welcoming, modernized, accessible facility to the public. The main entrance and restrooms will be updated first; future phases will include a new overall layout including interior design finishes, furnishings, and an additional small public meeting room. (See image.)

The PYPL staff and Board of Trustees are grateful for the Friends of the Library group, active volunteers, donors, collaborative agencies, the Southern Tier Library System, local government representatives, and, most especially, patrons for their continued support. Stop by or visit us online today.

**Angela Gonzalez**  
Executive Director



*"The library programs have helped my family meet new people and have something to look forward to each week!"*

**Anonymous Patron,**  
from our Spring 2025 survey  
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## LIBRARY SNAPSHOTS



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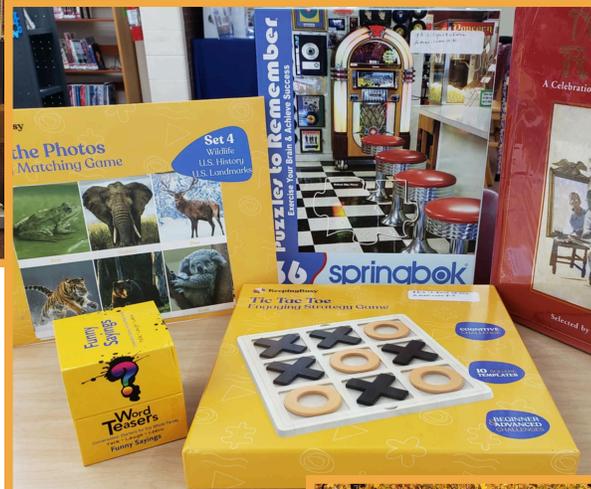
*(Left) A young patron takes part in a system-wide celebration of reading! (Right) A volunteer mends clothes during our annual No Shop Stuff Swap series.*

*3,582 young people attended 253 programs designed for them across the year!*



*(Left) One of four Stay Sharp Kits designed to promote memory and connection. (Below) Our "Experience Library" is growing with passes to state parks, the Museum of Glass, and the Ithaca Sciencenter!*

*(Below) The parking lot was full of fun during Books & Bikes Fest 2023.*



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