



2022

Annual Report

Read, learn, connect, be inspired

2023-2026 Library Board Members

Andy Mitchell, Chair
 Rosellen Hickey Vice-Chair
 Barb Jinkerson
 Catherine Praamsma
 Donna Hayes
 Lisa Yonemitsu
 Sherry Senis, Mayor (Council Representative)

A Special thank you to previous Library Board Members: Julie Dillon, Judith Hyland, Kerri Davies, Anna Thompson, Kathie Whiteley, Donna Ballantyne

2021-2025 Strategic Goals

Service Delivery

Develop and strengthen the library's human resources

Services

Expand access to programs, services, and collections

Facilities

Provide versatile, welcoming, and safe spaces

Community

Engage the community in developing and promoting resources and partnership opportunities

Library Staff

Sarah Hennessey	CEO / Chief Librarian
Heather Jamieson	Bridgenorth Librarian
Kacie Gardiner	Lakefield Librarian
Sarah Jones	Ennismore Librarian
Heidi Eshikaty	Makerspace Coordinator
Kathleen Charlton	Children's Programming Coordinator
R. Lane Vance	Recording Secretary, Treasurer

Library at a Glance

3 Branches + SPL Makerspace
160+ Library and Store volunteers
1,813 Newsletter subscribers
11,257 Volunteer Hours

WE  VOLUNTEERS

Locations

Bridgenorth

836 Charles St.,
 Bridgenorth, ON,
 705-292-5065
hjamieson@mypubliclibrary.ca

Ennismore

551 Ennis Road,
 Ennismore, ON,
 705-292-8022
sjones@mypubliclibrary.ca

Lakefield

8 Queen Street,
 Lakefield, ON,
 705-652-8623
kgardiner@mypubliclibrary.ca

SPL Makerspace

1 Bridge Street,
 Lakefield, ON,
 705-651-8601
heshikaty@mypubliclibrary.ca



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New Members

676

Programs

8364

Attendees

396

New eBook Users

131,254 Items Borrowed

Special Programs & Events

- Ennismore Pollinator Garden
- Pride Picnic
- Market Visits
- Christmas Craft Sale
- Homeschool Connect
- Art Display
- Movie Nights

New-To-You Stores:

Causeway Treasure Trove
\$17,889 raised

Ennismore Thrift Shop
\$4,583 raised

50/50 split with:



45,066

Digital Checkouts

Electronic Collections:

eMovies
eMusic
eBooks
eAudiobooks
eMagazines

Special Collections

- Wifi Hotspots
- Puzzles
- Disc Golf Kits
- Pickleball Kits
- Ontario Parks Passes
- Board Games
- STEAM Kits
- Fishing Rods & Tackle

The SPL Makerspace, which opened in October, 2022, is a collaborative work space designed for making, learning, and exploring using high tech to no tech tools.

Equipment available: 3D printer, laser cutter, vinyl cutter, serger, sewing machine, embroidery machine, sound booth, and much more!

Programs and workshops are offered regularly.



Financial Summary for 2022

Revenue

Grants	\$92,207
Operating Receipts & Fees	\$11,234
Fundraising Receipts	\$33,287
From Taxation	\$542,336
From Reserves, Reserve Funds	\$59,307

Expenditures

Supplies, Overhead	\$63,116
Books, eBooks, DVDs, etc	\$91,506
Library Buildings	\$56,832
Capital Expenses	\$52,316
Salaries & Benefits	\$466,687