WHO WE ARE

The Leighton Township Library is located on the western edge of the township in Moline, Michigan. The library provides services to residents living within the entire Leighton Township boundaries. The library system comprises of over 57,200 items including over 26,500 print materials; 8,500 e-books: 11.800 e-audio books: 3.800 audio CDs and downloadable units; 200 Wii games and Launch Pads; and 6.100 DVDs which are available for check-out. In total, over 84,000 items were checked out of the library during the fiscal year 2019-2020! In addition to these items, thousands of people entered the library to utilize

copying and printing services, faxing of documents, to gain access to the internet through use of the desktop computers or the Wi-Fi signal. The library provides many excellent programs to promote early literacy for young children, the love of creating and hands-on activities, community connections, as well as a gathering place for all ages!





What do our patrons LOVE about Leighton Township Library?

"Over the past 11 years the Leighton Township Library and its librarians have been like family. Our three boys have grown up with the library and have become avid readers in part due to the interesting and interactive activities. It is a small town library with a Big Heart! Thank you,"

- The Prichard Family

Everything! Friendly staff, great atmosphere, and lots of book choices and the fact the children can enjoy their time there!
--Elizabeth Voss

The wonderful staff! -- Stephanie Woudwyk

So pleasantly surprised by your great library - great staff and selection.

Really nice atmosphere! --Jennifer Paas

Everything! Wonderful, helpful staff, great selection of audio books, special events! --Laura VanWyk

The friendly staff, the magazines and movies!! --Amy Jackiewicz

The atmosphere! The activities! The staff!

--Jamie Gyuran See

The employees -- Gail Weldon Kober

LIBRARY NEWS

JAN MILLARD RETIRES AFTER 30 YEARS

Janet Millard served her community for thirty years at the Leighton Township Library before retiring on December 7, 2019. She was a great help to many from the



circulation desk, ordered our Inspirational books, and cataloged many, many titles over the years. In the early years she helped with the children's programs at the Moline Public Library in the church building in Moline, and the Dorr Township Library. Jan knew everyone and was helpful to all! She was a great coworker, and we wish her well in her retirement. Thank you, Jan, for those many years!

TWO FREE LITTLE LIBRARIES

We partnered with Allegan County United Way, Dorr Township Parks & Recreation, and Green Lake Calvary Church to place two free little libraries in our community.



STAFF CHANGES



Erin Peeple joined our team as Library Clerk on September 3, 2019.

Upon Jan's retirement, Rhonda Burns moved to Circulation.

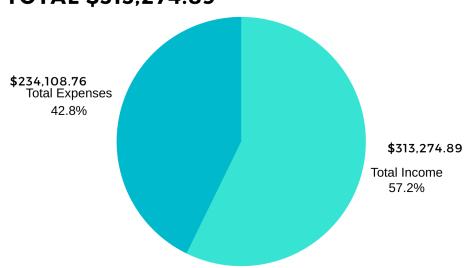
Brenda Hess joined our team on February 10, 2020 to fill the Youth Services position left by Rhonda.





Finance Report

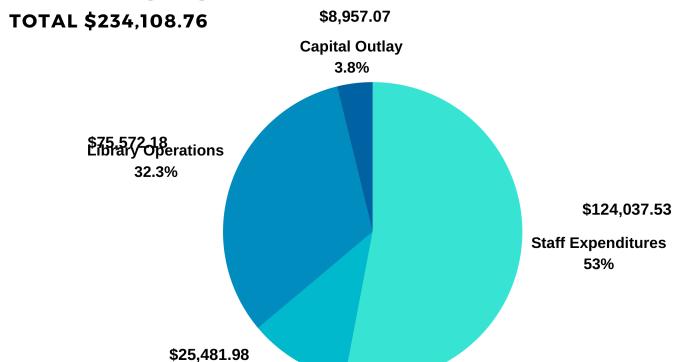




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INCOME

(TO GO TOWARD BUILDING CAMPAIGN)

EXPENSES:



Facility Operations 10.9%