PRESQUE ISLE DISTRICT LIBRARY

2025 ANNUAL REPORT

What an exciting year for our communities! We're proud to share the many ways the district library continues to bring value to the community we serve and make yearly improvements at our library branches.

We are excited for another year of *new* services, *added* programming, and *completed* upgrades. We continue to be your Community Connection offering arts & cultural programming, early literacy, education at every age, and your go-to for technological needs all while remaining your ***Fine Free*** library.

The Presque Isle District Library engages and empowers our community by providing educational and entertaining collections and programming that includes diverse artistic and cultural interests.

OUR NUMBERS

55,881 Circulation

63,057 Collection Total

16,363 Circulation

2,799 Items Borrowed & Loaned

9,984 Reference

49 Notaries

4,220 Seed Circulation

4,491 Registered Users

87,631 Patron Activity

ONLINE FOLLOWERS

PIDL 2,039

Instagram 329

THEATER 2,720

Instagram 446

Computer Usage- 7,203

WiFi Usage - 12,101

Hotspots Loaned - 356

Grand Lake | Millersburg | Onaway | Posen

Rogers City | Rogers Theater

OUR COMMUNITY

- Neighborhood Forest Tree Giveaway
- "Embryology" with MSU Extension
- Harry Potter's World: Renaissance, Science, Magic, and Medicine Exhibit
- Spring & Fall Fest Art Walk
- Shiitake Class
- Blueberry Immersion
- Independent Film Club
- Cooking with Jean
- Sophie Stuart Lighthouse Presentation
- SCAM Presentation
- Holiday Card Making @ All District Libraries
- Posen Cookie Swap
- Puzzle Nights
- Book Clubs @ All District Libraries
- Craft Groups @ Various District Libraries
- Mobile Secretary of State @ Grand Lake, Millersburg, and Onaway

SUMMER READING

LIBRARY OF THINGS

2025 TOP 5 "Library of Things" Checkouts:
#5 with 33 c/o *Sneaky, Snacky Squirrel Game*;
#4 with 33 c/o *Sushi Go Party*;
#3 with 42 c/o *Let's Go Fishing*;
#2 with 46 c/o Blu-Ray/DVD Player; and,
#1 with 55 c/o the Metal Detector

Let us know what 'thing' you would like in our collection!

FORMAL WEAR CLOSET

At the *Rogers City Branch*, we have a dedicated "Formal Wear Closet" for our entire district. We welcome all young ladies to peruse our collection. Please ask the front desk staff for assistance. Donations of formal wear are greatly appreciated. In addition, we also accept gently used graduation gowns and ties/suits.

CHILDRENS' PROGRAMMING

Ms. Kelly

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

8 kids signed up
4 kids reaching 1000

Storytimes - 688 Attendance
Summer Reading Minutes
Read = 152,400 or 2,540 hours
Other Kids Programming - 1,364

Take Your Child to the Library Day
Bird Feeder February
Design Bookmark Contest
Pumpkin Pie Spice Slime
Special Y.U.M. Club
Gingerbread Ornaments
LEGO Club at Millersburg:Onaway:Posen:Rogers City

TEEN PROGRAMMING

Teen Programming - 374 participants
Teen Summer Reading Sign-Ups - 32
Teen Summer Programs - 10
Teen Summer Program Attendance - 179
Total Pages Read Over Summer - 68,205

Ms. Madi

Book Swap @ Posen
Candle Painting
Crochet Club
Doodle Tuesdays
Fiction Addiction/B.Y.O.B Club
Game Group
Job Fair
Movie Nights
St. John's Outreach

ROGERS CITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

OUTREACH LIBRARIAN

Programs - 274
Program Attendance - 6,618
Patron Activity - 9,962

ROGERS CITY MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL

OUTREACH LIBRARIAN

Adults 218
Kids 1,981

THE ROGERS THEATER

NOW SHOWING

6th Annual Film Noir series
Community Pirate Festival Film
14th Annual Thunder Bay International Film Festival
Ironwood Celtic Band/Billy King Band/Starling Shakespeare's *Comedy of Errors*
Rod Sadler, author program
Spring & Fall Fest Art Walk
29th Annual Manhattan Short Film Festival
1st Annual Classic Monster Film Festival
7th Annual Family Christmas Program co-sponsored with Rogers City DDA

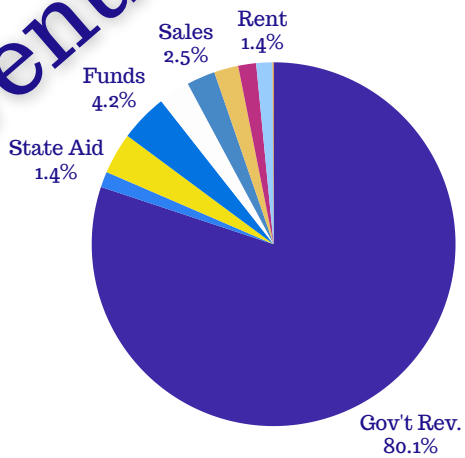
Looking for a place to host your event?
Book your Rental Today!
Birthdays and Weddings are welcome too!

25 Movies Screened
42 Programs
27 Rentals
Total Attendance = 6,588

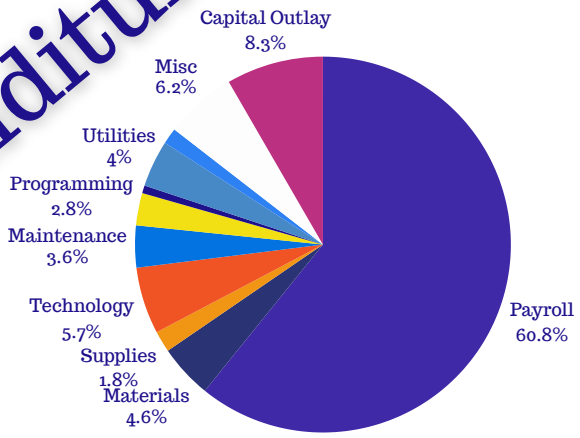
OUR IMPACT

- Northland Library Cooperative Enhancement Grant funded sustainable landscaping at the Grand Lake branch.
- Northeast Exposure Music Series grant from the Community Foundation of Northeast Michigan (CFNEM).
- Renovated the public bathroom at Rogers City library
- Art Mural installation on the Rogers Theater by Kevin 'Scraps' Burdick

Revenue



Expenditure



OUR COMMITMENT

ENGAGE
EMPOWER
EDUCATE
ENTERTAIN

FRIENDS GROUPS

Prizes : Storywalks
Giveaways : Programming
Craft Supplies
School Supplies
Magazine Subscriptions
Summer Reading Programs

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