

## Library Full-time Staff

Jennifer Belton, Executive Director

Melissa Strayton, Youth Services Librarian

## Library Part-time Staff

Kathy Beaird, Reference Manager

Michael Ricci, Director of Development

Elizabeth Craib, Marketing Coordinator

Kerry Rosenthal, Director of Programming

Ellen DesMeules, Technical Services Assistant

Danelle Sims, Reference Assistant

Jann Lee, Reference Assistant

Dave Sullivan, Director of Information Technology

Clare McFarland, Youth Services Assistant

Sherry Wian, Reference Assistant

## Library Volunteers

Louie Ahlen

Nathan DeDell

Leslie Hatch

Ria Heinz

Fran Lancaster

Mac McClelland

Rose Mroszczyk

Akankha Perkins

Mia Pine

Leigh Snell

Wendy Spector

Elizabeth Stevens

### Art

Gina Auriema

Barbara Bartlett

Jennifer Dembinski

Bill Ellis

Kathy Fiske

Rachel Kahn

### Poetry

Pam Ahlen

Partridge Boswell

Peter Money

### Landscape

Charlet Davenport

Suzy Hickey

Don Olson

Jack Rossi

●● **We mourn the passing of long-time volunteer Rebecca Boardman.** ●●

## Student Volunteers

Noah Anderson

Marianne Bees

Jessica Burrell

Katie Dembinsky

Alden Krewczyk

Teddy Krewczyk

Poppy Tans

[Click here for a more complete list of Volunteers](#)

## Members – Corporators

NWPL is a private Not-For-Profit Corporation and as such members are the actual owners of the corporation and are responsible for the welfare of the Library and its patrons. *A listing of Corporators appears on Page 4.*

## Board of Trustees

Karen Gilmour, *President*

Anne Marinello, *Vice President*

Garfield Goodrum, *Treasurer*

Sarah Roberts, *Secretary*

Emily Boyd

Andy Caffrey

Ann Debevoise

Jennifer Falvey

Peggy Fraser

Gary Horsman

Regina Lawrence

Chris Lloyd

Courtney Lowe

Ann Sadowsky

Linda Smiddy

●● *The Board meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at 5:15 pm. The public is welcome.* ●●

## Our Inspirational Dream

To be the valued community hotspot, enriched by amazing resources, enabling adventures in lifelong learning, championing knowledge and wisdom.

## Library Programs

NWPL is recognized as the center of the community and our programs are designed to enrich the community and fulfill the mission of the library. Programs are provided free of charge and are frequently organized in collaboration with local non-profits and individuals. NWPL provides a number of programs, classes and tutorials designed to promote digital literacy and technology training. Recent programs include: book and poetry readings; discussions about the classics; youth musical performances; Tai Chi, Qigong, dance and gardening classes; children's story hour; pre-literacy training for young parents; movie events, Business Effectiveness Series; Stories of Woodstock Past; What's on Your Nightstand Book Reviews and local theater previews. The library hosts numerous literary programs and collaborates with Bookstock's literary festival and the Woodstock Digital Media Festival. A revolving gallery in the library mezzanine displays of the work of local artists. The library is also known for its much-loved traditional Wassail Weekend programs.

## Events and Meeting Rooms

Located in the center of Woodstock on the Village Green, the library is a natural place for the Woodstock Learning Collaborative courses, memoir writing classes, studies of great literature, technology education, The Woodstock Non-Profit Network and non-profit board meetings. Weddings and other social events are also held on our historic building on the Village Green.

## Legacy Society and Reserve Funds

Legacy Society members have demonstrated their commitment to preserve the library for the next generation. Their commitment ensures that Norman Williams Public Library will continue to be a valuable community resource in the future. The NWPL Legacy Society, our planned giving program, is comprised of individuals who have named the library in their long range philanthropic plan. Legacy Society members ensure the long-term relevance and viability of the NWPL through their support. Members of the Legacy Society continue the story begun in 1883, when Dr. Edward H. Williams decided he would make a difference to this community. In his will he made a bequest in honor of his parents to provide Woodstock and surrounding towns with a library. Legacy Society members continue to make that difference by ensuring that our library will be here and relevant for future generations. Gifts to the NWPL Reserve Fund made through planned giving or given directly to NWPL provide a vital part of the operational funds necessary to run the library.

*Please see Page 4 for a listing of current members.*

## Norman Williams Public Library Income and Expense Report

Comparative Year End Statements June 30, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and Proposed Budget 2016

	June-July 2011/2012	June-July 2012/2013	June-July 2013/2014	June-July 2014/2015	Proposed 2015/2016
<b>Cash Income</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Woodstock Town Appropriations	151,100	163,800	183,800	186,500	189,200
Endowment Fund Disbursement	60,645	19,000	0	0	60,000
Contributions, Fundraising, Annual Events	93,235	167,804	267,430	198,095	195,663
Grants	5,437	7,000	21,122	11,750	9,000
Parking Lot Revenue	10,000	10,000	10,500	10,000	12,000
Book sales, Fines, Fees, Other Income	30,384	34,363	38,614	50,179	36,180
Interest/Dividends Actual	67	74	60	20	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>350,868</b>	<b>402,041</b>	<b>521,526</b>	<b>456,544</b>	<b>502,043</b>
<b>Expenses</b>					
Personnel	248,835	283,385	252,357	260,832	316,952
Administration	22,711	22,144	25,448	38,795	32,369
Books, DVD's, etc.	36,705	38,559	25,754	29,418	39,900
Fundraising	9,684	14,473	15,266	17,857	16,500
Building/Property	65,539	66,632	86,960	75,020	85,822
IT/Info Source	24,456	8,719	12,894	7,507	10,500
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>407,930</b>	<b>433,912</b>	<b>418,679</b>	<b>429,429</b>	<b>502,043</b>
<b>Excess (Deficiency)</b>	<b>-102,745</b>	<b>-21,942</b>	<b>125,210</b>	<b>27,115.00</b>	

