Dear Penn Yan Community,

The improvements to Penn Yan Public Library services and grounds during the past year have been challenging and exciting. Our new parking lot and main entrance were dedicated last fall, and a new drive-up book drop is now available for use.

In April, the PYPL Board of Trustees resolved to accept our 2015-2018 Strategic Plan. With input of community members who attended table talks, four main goals were formulated: 1) the Library brings diverse groups together, 2) provides educational opportunities for all, 3) provides social and cultural enrichment for all, and is a 4) community information and resources hub. Read the plan at www.pypl.org.

In the fall of 2014 PYPL joined the STARCat library catalog. Patrons have been able to take advantage of searching for and checking out materials delivered to PYPL from all 48 libraries in the Southern Tier Library System for over a year now.

Currently, we are looking forward to the construction of our Outdoor Learning Center and new landscaping in front of the library building in 2016. Come visit PYPL either in person or virtually. The PYPL staff and Board of Trustees want you to know that you are very welcome!

Regards,
Angela Gonzalez,
Executive Director
2015 Penn Yan Public Library
Annual Report to the Community

The library’s mission is to awaken and satisfy curiosity in the individual, thus enriching the community.

The Library collection offers something for everyone:
- adult books ...................................................... 19,517
- children’s books .................................................. 11,055
- electronic materials ........................................... 15,406
- audio and video .................................................. 5,288
- magazines and newspapers ............................... 1,340
- total holdings ...................................................... 52,606

July 2014 through June 2015 by the numbers:
- materials borrowed ............................................ 110,902
- reference questions answered ........................... 10,045
- downloadable items borrowed ......................... 7,886
- registered borrowers ........................................... 6,895
- library visits ...................................................... 78,488
- public access computer sessions ....................... 11,765
- wireless sessions ................................................ 22,500
- visits to PYPL.org .............................................. 21,052
- items loaned to other libraries ......................... 5,347
- items borrowed from other libraries .............. 5,175
- adult and children’s program sessions .......... 524
- program attendance .......................................... 5,865

2014-2015 budget breakdown:

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Come and find out.