



Bridgton Public Library Strategic Measures

2017

Engage the Community in the Youth Services Department



Kids and Teens Collections

FY17-18: 8,831 items circulated
FY18-19: 10,869 items circulated
FY19-20: 10,436 items circulated
FY17-present: added 2,277 new items to youth services collections



Visitors to Youth Services

FY17-18: 6,355
FY18-19: 6,941
FY19-20: 6,408



Programs

FY17-18: 976 participants in 141 programs
FY18-19: 2,639 participants in 269 programs
FY19-20: 4,302 participants in 223 programs

2017

Improve Circulation to Patrons and Other Libraries



Interlibrary Loan

FY17-18: 743 incoming, 42 outgoing
FY18-19: 735 incoming, 104 outgoing
FY19-20: 560 incoming, 150 outgoing



Support Local Libraries

FY17-present: 2,386/6,442 cardholders are non-resident adults.
FY18-19: Started hosting regional meetings of small libraries, 5 to date.



Collections

FY19-20: Started re-barcoding collection for compliance with Maine State Library Standards. 3,000/23,920 items completed to date.

2017

Engage Adults in Lifelong Learning



Discussion Groups

FY17-present: We provide books for 6 local book discussion groups.
FY17-18: A Nonfiction book group was started, has up to 10 members attend.
FY19-20: We host 2/6 book discussion groups by Zoom since COVID-19 closures.



Programs/Workshops

FY18-present: 3 staff members have prepared 980 To-Go bags with 65 different themes.
FY18-present: 43 adult workshops with 293 participants.



Online

FY19-20: Added 57 new links to website for educational materials, legal assistance, government agencies, local community resources, and online newspapers/magazines.



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Provide Multi-Generational Creative and Cultural Experiences



Author Readings/Lectures

FY17-18: 30 attendees for 3 World in Your Library Lectures.

FY17-18: 1 Authors, 51 attendees

FY18-19: 3 Authors, 107 attendees

FY18-19: 8 Writers Workshops, 23 attendees

FY19-20: 5 Authors, 92 attendees



Activities

FY18-present: We have had 106 different Culture, Science, and Storytime To-Go Bags in Youth Services, with 2,648 bags picked up.



Music

FY17-18: 24 events, 117 attendees

FY18-19: 51 events, 402 attendees

FY19-20: 29 events, 439 attendees

We have had 99 Tunes for Tots sessions, with 671 participants since FY17

2017

Improve Workforce Development and Small Business Resources



Technology

FY17-18: 114 participants in 24 sessions

FY18-19: 214 participants in 50 sessions

FY19-20: 137 participants in 52 sessions



Workspace

FY18-19: 177 cubicle reservations

FY19-20: 115 cubicle reservations



WiFi

FY20-21: update network to capture usage data

2018

Improve Collaboration/Partnerships with Local Organizations



Online

FY19-20: Added 57 new links on our website to educational materials, webinars, and online resources



Partnership

FY18-19: 15 Community Partners

FY19-20: 19 Community Partners



Support

FY18-19: 213 Community Displays posted in building

FY19-20: 267 Community Displays posted in building