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Diana London - Oscoda
Terri Stein - Tawas City
Kathy Gibson - Whittemore

Branch Information

AuGres Community Library
Phone: (989) 876-8818
Linda Kauffman, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 9,374
230 N. Mackinaw, P.O. Box 146, AuGres, MI 48703
Monday & Tuesday: 11:00 am-6:00 pm
Wednesday-Friday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm
Saturday: 9:30 am-12:30 pm

East Tawas Library
Phone: (989) 362-6162
Kelly Jordan, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 13,440
760 Newman St., East Tawas, MI 48730
Monday, Thursday & Friday: 9:00 am-6:00 pm
Tuesday: 9:00-6:30 pm
Wednesday: 1:00-6:00 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am-12:00 pm

Mary Johnston Memorial Library
Phone/Fax: (989) 846-6611
Hilde Carruthers, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 14,469
114 N. Court St., P.O. Box 698, Standish, MI 48658
Monday & Tuesday: 11:00 am-7:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday: 1:00-7:00 pm
Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Omer Little Eagles Nest Library
Phone: (989) 653-2230
Janet Freehling, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 2,339
201 E. Center, P.O. Box 186, Omer, MI 48749
Monday, Tuesday & Friday: 9:00 am-6:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday: 10:00 am-7:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm

Plainfield Township Library
Phone: (989) 728-4086
Cheryl Tyler, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 6,423
220 N. Washington, P.O. Box 247, Hale, MI 48739
Monday - Friday: 8:00 am-4:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm (May-August only)

Robert J. Parks Library
Phone/Fax: (989) 739-9561
Diana London, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 15,254
6010 N. Skeel Ave., Oscoda, MI 48750
Monday & Tuesday: 9:00 am-5:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm
Friday & Saturday: 9:00 am-2:00 pm

Whittemore Library
Phone/Fax: (989) 756-3186
Kathy Gibson, Librarian 2019 Circulation - 4,880
483 S. Bullock, Whittemore, MI 48770
Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 10:00 am-6:00 pm
Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday: 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Note: The Circulation numbers reported above include only barcoded items circulated through our Horizon automation system.

In the Headlines...

» The District replaced its old and sometimes unreliable analog phone system with a new Voice Over Internet Protocol system.
» The District purchased eight staff and public-use computers to replace aging equipment in the branches. They also replaced three Headquarters staff computers, an iPad and a digital projector.
» The project to upgrade computers to Windows 10 was completed.
» The District was again awarded an e-rate discount through USF. This gives the District an 80% cost savings on Internet, broadband and fiber.
» Sharp scanner/copy machines were purchased for three branch libraries.
» Arleen Wood participated in and graduated from the 2019 Leadership Learning Lab.

Over ➾

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Almost 1,000 people were educated, motivated and entertained at a wide variety of programs and workshops with adults in mind. A sampling of the programs included:

- 12 Historical Programs
- 4 Informative/Entertainment Programs
- 3 Author Visits
- 2 Genealogy Workshops
- 2 Outdoor/Travel Shows
- 2 Craft Workshops
- 1 Physical Fitness Program
- 1 Health & Beauty Program
- 1 Library Education for Seniors program

... and Grown-ups, too!

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- Over 105 programs attracted more than 3,090 children and teens, as well as 1,409 adults.
- During Spring Break Staycation Fun kids were entertained by singer/songwriter Kevin Devine, challenged at NERF Mobile Games and fascinated with wild animals by Nature Discovery.
- The 2019 Summer Reading Club theme was "A Universe of Stories". There were 35 programs that included Howell Nature Center, Clark the Juggler, Wacky Science, Magician Cameron Zvara, and much more.
- The little ones loved the stories, games and crafts at fifty-seven Preschool Storytimes.
- Spooky fun, amazing magic and cool crafts were abundant at October Halloween programs. Kids had a great time with Wanda the Wacky Witch, the Balloonmeister, Magician Jeff Wawrzaszek and many others. They even got to participate in a spaghetti and marshmallow tower building contest!

Go to our “Calendar” page at www.ioscoareanalibrary.org for information on great programs for 2020!