

Town of Indian Lake Public Library

Report to the Community

Fall, 2017

It's sad to see another summer come to a close but the Indian Lake Library was the place to be. Where else would you go on a rainy July day? Reading, connecting with friends, picking up a video and taking that work conference call- if the doors aren't open, the service is still available in the gazebo or under the stars. The Little Free Library in Blue Mountain Lake and at the Chamber means a book is nearby at all times.



Nature provided our best summer programs. Astrophysicist Dr. Josh Thomas prepared us well in July so we could fully appreciate the sensational eclipse to come. The Night Sky Network and Star Net provided us with safe viewing glasses (it seemed we had enough for the entire universe) and we were able to provide eclipse glasses for nearly everyone. We look forward to additional science programs with our book group discussion on Climate Change supported by the National Science Foundation and NOAA

The Library continued to provide quality programs in 2017 for children, families and adults including events for SNOCADE, Springtime, Summer reading and community fall events. We thank everyone for their input and ideas which have been incorporated in our latest strategic plan. This is YOUR library!



We again thank all our great volunteers, and funding through the Friends, ALCA Decentralization program, the Indian Lake Central School, the Indian Lake Theater, the Town, The Adirondack Experience, the Museum on Blue Mountain Lake, Stewarts', and all of our partners to bring you the best library services possible. Many thanks to our hardworking volunteer Library Board of Trustees:

Ernie Pollman, President, Peg Brinkman, Mary Jean Rathbun, Sherry Williams, and Bev Canaan and our superstar volunteer, Leila Lewis. A special thank you to the Friends of the Library for their support for library programs and for Universal Class so we can all "learn something new today"!

