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Erich Reed, Director

# OUR MISSION

Southwest Harbor Public Library inspires and supports the enjoyment of life-long learning, the love of literacy, and the exploration of new ideas, welcoming everyone through its doors.



Dedicated patron Sadie Monahan and Ms. Chrissy

# View from the Chair

Recently someone asked me what I liked best about the Southwest Harbor Public Library (SWHPL). I was stumped. Would I choose:

- The friendly, efficient staff and volunteers?
- The wonderful programs now so easily accessible through Zoom and Facebook?
- The sound of children's laughter during Storytime or when the Pemetic kids come over?
- The kiosk in front, supplying books to patrons at (almost) any hour all year round?
- Watching a father and child share a book in the Children's room?
- Being able to use my phone to request a book through Inter Library Loan?
- Having a place to sit quietly and read between errands in town?



Linda Hayward hosting Library Tea

I love the Library for all these things. It comes down to the feeling I get when I walk through the doors, a feeling that this is a place where people are happy. And, of course, it's full of books!

That feeling that makes the Library such a special place is thanks to all of you, our donors and patrons. Thank you for making 2022 another successful year at SWHPL.

I look forward to seeing you at the Library-perhaps at the next Library Tea on Thu., March 16th 2:00-3:30pm.

Linda Hayward, Chair, Board of Trustees

# LIMITED LIBRARY EDITION JUDY TAYLOR PRINT

Artist Judy Taylor released a limited edition print of her oil painting Echo Lake Beach, the proceeds of which will benefit the Library. Judy rarely does prints of her paintings but is offering this opportunity in support of the Southwest Harbor Public Library.

The original oil painting Echo Lake Beach is on display at the Library where the prints are available for purchase. Twenty Ultrachrome archival editions were printed by **Maine Photo Works** in Portland, Maine. Prints are \$250, available in person and on our website, and all proceeds will benefit the Library.



# LIBRARY STAFF

**Erich Reed** Director Sadie Cooley Circulation Manager and Archivist Janet Clifford Cataloger Amanda Crafts Library Assistant Melissa Haas Director of Development and Programming **Chrissy Marie** Youth and Community Services Associate Director Ashley McClean Library Assistant Cathy Oehmke Library Assistant Kate Pickup Director of Communications and Technology





It has been wonderful to see many of your faces this year as we have returned to normal foot traffic with nearly 42,000 patron visits. We have seen you in person at events and also via Zoom. We have seen you during storytimes in both the Holmes Reading Room and the Children's Garden. Your use, support, and engagement with the Library is inspiring. You borrowed nearly 40,000 physical items, 10,000 electronic items, and our own Digital Archive had 54,000 page views. This total use of our collection ranks us in the top ten among all the 260 public libraries in Maine, and Maine is a state full of remarkable libraries!

Erich Reed, Director

**Director** You support us in so many ways: by hanging your art, offering an engaging program, donating your recyclable bottles and cans, and purchasing and donating books for our book sales. Some of

your donated books are added to our collection and others we are careful to set aside with higher value for online sale as well. Two of the books you donated to us sold for over \$1,000 each this year! Thank you!

I am pleased to announce that **Melissa Haas** has accepted the position of **Director of Development and Programming**. Many of you know Melissa in her role at the circulation desk and for her coordination of the Art Auction. We look forward to her leadership this year. Expect us to reach out as we evaluate our programs. We hope to hear from you about what you love the most about the Library and also for you to help us set new future priorities. All of the staff look forward to seeing you soon!



Melissa Haas, New Director of Development and Programming



# **RECIPROCAL BORROWING**

Erich Reed

Southwest Harbor Public Library continues to offer you services as part of the **Maine Reciprocal Borrowing Program**. You can borrow

and return books with your SWHPL Library card at 56 public and academic libraries in Maine including Jesup Memorial Library, Bangor Public Library, Camden Library, Portland Public Library, Bowdoin College and the University of Maine system libraries. You can see a complete list of participants on the Library website.

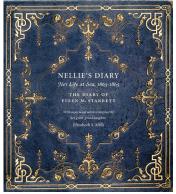


Visitors from Kennebunk checking out books at SWHPL



October 2022 - Trustee Charles Stanhope with late author Libby Mills and her gorgeous reproduction of her greatgreat-grandmother's diary.

Publishing Nellie's Diary: Her Life at Sea 1863-1865—The Diary of Ellen M. Starrett was a spectacular lifetime accomplishment for Libby at age 93.



# From the Children's Room

The SWHPL Children's Department is looking forward to offering engaging summer programs and summer reading for babies, kids and teens. Stay tuned for more information on the following programs, coming soon.

- Summer Reading Program: Babies, kids and teens can sign up to win prizes for reading throughout the summer.
- Summer Reading Kick-Off Party: Join us for a celebration to kick-off and sign-up for summer reading with a concert by Bee Parks and the Hornets: June 21st, 6pm.
- Summer Storytimes: Books, puppets, movements, songs, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10am.
- Summer Story Camp 2023: Summer story camp will be expanded again to serve AOS 91 school district families. The Library looks forward to partnering with the school district in continuing to foster a love of reading and literacy for our students. Sign up via your local school within the district.
- Acadia Explorer Program: Calling all outdoor explorers - we're teaming up with Acadia National Park again to offer this adventurous, outdoor educational program. Registrants will receive a free book at each program and have the chance to explore and learn at park locations and at the Library.
- Flamingo Festival Parade: Celebrate the Library and march with us on July 15th.
- · Create Art with Mike Duffy: July 31st.

## WEEKLY THEMED SUMMER PROGRAMMING

We're launching weekly themed programming to engage participants and invite families to join us in celebrating their efforts through performances and receptions at the end of each week. Mark your calendars for the following:

- Barn Arts Theater Week: Week of July 10th. Performance for families, friends, and community: Friday, July 14th, 5:30pm.
- Wood Burning Week with the Wendell Gilley Museum: Week of July 17th. Monday and Wednesday 2pm. Finished project reception viewing for families, friends, and community Thursday, July 20th, 4pm.
- Artwaves Week: Week of July 24th. Finished project reception and viewing for families - date coming soon.











Ben Boegehold with daughter Lucy trick or treat for a book at the library during the popular Book Trick or Treat program 2 Acadia Explorers learn about sweet fern and plant life with Supervisory Park Ranger & Education Coordinator, Kate Petrie 3 Meghan Clark McDaniel, the new Somesville Librarian, with her daughter in the children's craft space 4 Leah Lucey with daughter Lara enjoying bubbles and showing her new walking skills at storytime 5 Young patrons show off their building skills with the library Legos in the juvenile & teen area

# **DISCOVERY PACKS**

Thanks to a generous donation, our Children's Department is excited to release three engaging Discovery Backpacks in partnership with local museums. These themed



Discovery Packs will be available to check out and will include books, activities, and passes to local museums! Visit the Library or website for more information on how you can check one out and begin exploring literacy, handson activities, and local learning opportunities. Thank you to our donors and local partners, such as the **Wendell Gilley Museum** and the **Seal Cove Auto Museum** for making these packs possible.

# Development Report



Kathryn Nelson, Development Chair

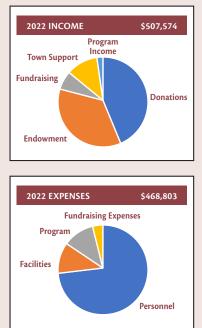
The Southwest Harbor Public Library relies on support from individuals throughout our community to fulfill our mission to inspire and support the enjoyment of life-long learning, the love of literacy, and the exploration of new ideas.

While we are a public Library, municipal funds provide just over 10% of our annual operating expenses. We rely on individual donors - YOU - for the remaining expenses. This year you donated over \$220,000 for our annual appeal - a record amount and critical for us during these inflationary times. We also received some planned giving and endowment gifts - all essential for the future of the Library. We are deeply grateful for every contribution. Your donations allow us to acquire and preserve books and periodicals, maintain our facilities, and provide competitive compensation to our wonderful staff. Thank you for being a part of our donor community!

Treasurer's Report

**OPERATING BUDGET** — Generous donors, continued Town support, and a strong Endowment allowed us to finish the year in the black and enable planning for some needed building improvements.

**ENDOWMENT** — A poor stock market year resulted in losses, but an unprecedented bequest including substantial life insurance benefits allowed us to maintain the Endowment balance while continuing to support operations with a 4% withdrawal. Memorial gifts and bequests continue to grow the Endowment which now provides over 1/3 of our total operating budget.



# **NEW TRUSTEE**



Joanne Harris, new trustee

Please welcome Joanne Harris as our newest Board member. She has served as the Human Resources Director to **The Jackson Laboratory** and the **MDI Hospital.** Since retirement, Joanne has been able to play much more tennis and has taken up golf. She is an active volunteer, serving on the boards of **Island Housing Trust** and **Maine Seacoast Mission**. She also serves as Chair of the Board of Appeals for the **Town of Tremont.** Joanne enjoys reading, boating, and spending time with friends and family. She and her partner, Mary, live in Bass Harbor.

We are actively recruiting for more Board and Committee members to join us. Please contact Erich Reed, the Library Director or Trustee George Soules if you have interest in finding out about the work that you can do to support the governance or fundraising for the Library.

# FREE DIGITAL SERVICES

**Kanopy & Kanopy Kids** showcases more than 30,000 films, including awardwinning documentaries, rare and hard to find titles, film festival favorites, indie and classic films and world cinema.



**cloudLibrary** Over 400,000 downloadable audio and eBooks. Now **cloudLibrary** also includes **ComicsPlus** - Thousands of digital comics, graphic novels, and manga for patrons of all ages.



# Volunteers









**1** Betsey Holtzmann and son Abe H. Noyes dedicate their time to making the Library shine inside and out **2** Valerie Bodner helps unpack our Inter Library Loan books, ensuring our patrons get their holds on time **3** Trustee George Soules doubled our sales with his innovative shelf signs **4** Margo Martin processes our new books, getting them into patrons hands faster

Welcome



Ashley McLean Library Assistant



Jack Cordova, Intern College of the Atlantic

# 2022 BY THE NUMBERS

LIBRARY OPEN HOURS: 2,124 hours

### PATRONS AT THE

### LIBRARY:

- 4840 total patrons
- 4544 adult patrons 296 child patrons
- 41,761 Library visits
  - 681 curbside patrons
- 2,242 Public computer use sessions

### **REMOTE ACCESS:**

- 30,429 Library website visits 24,305 Digital Archive website
- visits 54.734 Combined website
- visits
- 6,063 Recorded program views (YouTube)
- 1,781 Kanopy film titles borrowed
- 9,697 electronic cloudLibrary titles borrowed

# IN THE LIBRARY'S COLLECTIONS:

- 30,636 Adult books, audiobooks, music, kits and puzzles
  - 381 Children's/Juvenile/YA media titles
- 13,298 Children's/Juvenile/YA collection
- 1,685 Adult DVDs

### THE LIBRARY PROVIDED

FREE ACCESS TO: 440,000 Audiobooks & E-books cloudLibrary

### THE LIBRARY

## CIRCULATED:

- 7,674 Books loaned through ILL 11,806 Children's Room titles 5,053 Young Adult & Juvenile fiction and non-fiction titles
- 22,541 Adult titles

### LIBRARY PROGRAMS:

6,353 Attendees 6,012 Recorded program views



Here at the Library we've been making some big changes to the Digital Archive. For those of you who are not familiar with our Digital Archive, it's an online database that contains historical photographs, documents, maps, and research material given to and shared with the Library since about 1900. You can find it from a link on the SWHPL website: swhpl.digitalarchive.us.

We've looked at the extensive backlog of physical and digital items and have come up with strategies that have proven successful. Some of these strategies include making accessioning and digitization more comprehensive and timely.

Thanks to these new strategies, exciting recent collections are now available for our patrons to view including a collection of postcards from **Charlotte Morrill** (Digital Archive item #16698), a collection of **Gott** and **Craig** family photos (#16700), and a collection of documents and photos belonging to **Benjamin Barret Hinckley Jr.** (#16694). This work has been made possible with help from **trustee George Soules, archivist Sadie Cooley, COA intern Jack Cordova,** and **volunteers Leza Colquhoun** and **Lynne Birlem.** 

**1 Pemetic Marching Band**, 1958 **2 Sadie Cooley** with Mount Desert Island genealogist **Lynne Birlem 3 Lynne** on Tricycle, Spring of 1943 **4** A summer visitor looking through printed photos from the Digital Archive









# 2022 Donations & Grants

Thank you to our generous donors!

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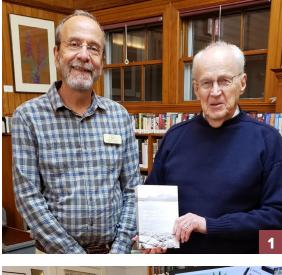
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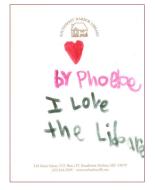
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**1** Trustee **George Soules** and **Henry Raup**, author of *Place Names of MDI* **2** A summer visitor taking a digital literacy class facilitated by **Kate Pickup** with a live online instructor from the **National Digital Equity Center (NDEC)** 

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**1 & 2** Patrons research, read, and enjoy the comfort of our Holmes Reading Room

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Hal Hall



Fran Stahman



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Murray Tuchman





 Ukrainian Pysanki Eggs - Display Case Artist Kate Pickup
 Michele Daley's quilt on display during the Island Quilters, a Mount Desert Island quilters group, exhibit

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Government official Sarah Currin presents Maine's Climate Action Plan & Community Action Opportunities, a Camden Conference Lecture

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### Friday, Saturday and Sunday July 14 - 16th

### Flamingo Festival Book Sale

Thousands of used books at the American Legion Hall. We accept book donations year round. Schedule a shift if you can volunteer.

### July 17 - August 26

### **A CELEBRATION OF ART**

Exhibit and Silent Auction. Enjoy the creative works of our talented community artists and plan to bid often or better yet, BUY IT NOW!

### Monday, July 31st

### A CELEBRATION OF ART Reception

Let's celebrate our creative community! All welcome.

### Saturday, December 2nd

# Holiday Book Sale & Scallop Raffle Kick-off

Hundreds of hardcover and paperback books will be for sale in the Holmes Reading Room. All are in new or nearly new condition and perfect for gift giving. Stop by and find wonderful treasures for everyone on your holiday gift list! Buy a chance to win one gallon of fresh-caught scallops donated by **Holly Masterson.** 

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1 Bianka Fuksman, Nancy Weingarten, and Karen McFarland of Hook 'n I, an MDI rug hooking group, hang the exhibit at the library 2 Author Gigi Georges and trustee Dennis Wint 3 Judy Taylor demonstration with model Eleanor Parks 4 Hooked rug by Bianka Fuksman on display during the Library's annual Hook 'n I exhibit 5 Kate helps a budding architect find books, suggesting a popular staff favorite 6 Jean Forbes' painting *Tide Pools* on display during the Plein Air Painters of Acadia exhibit 7 Southwest Harbor Select Board Chair Carolyn Ball presenting her program, How Local Government Works for our Community 8 Suzette McAvoy, Former Director of the Center for Maine Contemporary Art presents the inaugural *McCue Lecture* 9 Acadia Senior College host engaging classes in the library Clark Room 10 & 11 Artist Ellen Church and one of the fine art note cards she generously donated as a Library fundraiser. 100% of sales benefit the Library.



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**Hiking New England** 

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June 14th: Bird

carving demo with

Steve Valleau of

June 20th: Girl

Power and Gender

Equity with **Pam** 

June 23th: Bird

carving demo with

the Wendell Gilley

Steve Valleau of

Museum

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Museum

the Wendell Gilley

### APRIL

April 4th: Poetry reading with local poet and writer **Ben Boegehold** 

April 18th: Coastal Sound Recordings with Dianne Ballon

April 22nd: Poetry reading with poets Kathleen Ellis and Gary Rainford

### MAY

May 9th: The Power of Play with Matt Cornish, Camp Director at Camp Beech Cliff

May 16th: Loons of MDI with Billy Helprin, Director of Somes-Meynell Wildlife Sanctuary

May 23rd: Antiques and Auctions with Jerry Miller

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### JULY

July 11th: The Geology of MDI with Duane and Ruth Braun

July 18th: Author Conversation with Alice Elliot Dark and Christina Baker Kline

July 25th: Kneisel Hall Performance

July 30th: Artists' Reception for A Celebration of Art Silent Auction

### AUGUST

August 8th: Captain Hale's Covenant with author Thomas Crocker

August 22nd: McCue

Lecture with College of the Atlantic President Darron Collins

August 29th: How Maine Local Government Works with Carolyn Ball

August TBD: Artist Judy Taylor demo and talk









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