

RENOVATION

The Carnegie building renovation project was a dominant theme throughout the year.



Additional grants were received, the project went out to bid and construction began in May 2017.



We anticipate returning to the facility in the Fall of 2018.



Mission

The Gloversville Public Library commits itself to the citizens of the Gloversville Enlarged School District to be a community resource that provides access to information and technology, educational and cultural events while remaining a center for research and recreational pursuits.

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Gloversville Public Library 2016-2017 Annual Report



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SERVICES AND PROGRAMS



- Purchased 3 new education computers for children's room 7,820 uses.
- Relocated to temporary location: 34 WEST Fulton St.
- Worked with 17 community partners.
- Offered 55 adult Spanish lessons with an average of 7 adults in each class. Plus 6 youth classes with 10 students each.
- Held 26 new adult craft programs with 316 participants.
- Drop-In Tech and Tech Appointments assisted 46 patrons.
- 84 StoryTimes reached 1,242 children, parents and caregivers.
- Introduced a Maker Cart for children and teens. 218 users.
- Partnered with NYS to offer income tax preparation assistance.
- Launched Every Child Ready to Read workshops. For parents and community partners.
- Began an outreach program with Fulton Center for Rehabilitation.
- Provided museum passes to Adirondack Experience (formerly Adirondack Museum at Blue Mountain Lake), Arkell Museum at Canajoharie, USS Slater in Albany, and the Children's Museum in Saratoga.
- Summer programs included workshops by HealthLink, MiSci and the Tang Museum, "Jog with a Frog," visiting the community garden on Fremont St, "Burgoyne's Shipwreck," and "Turtle Dance."
- Partnered with Excel Staffing for a job fair.
- 16 community members took the summer exercise challenge and logged over 2786 miles.

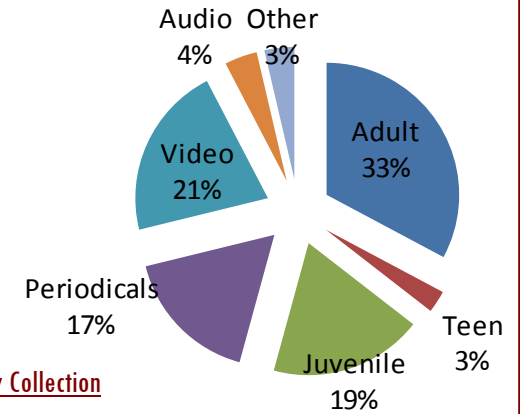
BUDGET

| Expenses | | Income | |
|-------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Personnel: | \$305,489 | Tax Levy: | \$276,321 |
| Materials: | \$ 43,605 | Foundation: | \$150,189 |
| Operations: | <u>\$ 78,654</u> | Miscellaneous: | <u>\$ 42,802</u> |
| | \$427,747 | | \$469,312 |

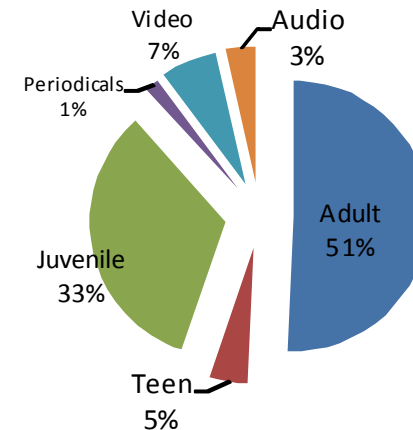
By the Numbers

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| Population: | 19,422 |
| Visitors: | 78,027 |
| Staffing: | 6 Full-time, 5 Part-time |
| Circulation: | 80,942* |
| Computer/Wifi use: | 24,369 |
| Reference questions: | 1,833 |
| Programs: | 579 |
| Collection size: | 34,795* |
| Additions to Collection: | 2,593 |

Circulation and In-House Use of Collection



Holdings by Collection



* eBooks, downloadable audiobooks and emagazines are included in circulation but not in holdings. All of the MVLS libraries contribute to one shared collection of eresources.