This year, our library…

• Hosted a community Read with support from the Myrtle Dee Nash Memorial Fund of the Community Foundation of Tompkins County.

• Installed a solar array by TAITEM Inc. with support from our generous library community and the New York State Education Department/New York State Library Construction Grant Program.

• Introduced streaming movies and music through our collaboration with the Finger Lakes Library System.

• Provided programs, reference, & resources to our entire community with the help of dedicated staff, volunteers, and trustees.

Our Staff & Volunteers
Annette Birdsall, Director
Ksana Broadwell, Youth Librarian
Julia Lon Grimsman, Reference Librarian
Heather Tielen, Administrative Assistant/ Volunteer Coordinator
Laura Rowley, Library Assistant, Publicity
Martha Carpenter, Library Assistant, Programs
Peggy Bennett, Library Assistant, Circulation

Youth Staff
Gayle Burke
Kalee Coolbaugh

Desk Volunteers
Daryl Anderson
Joanne Andrews
Peggy Ashcraft
Judy Barke
Jim Dragovich
Lesley Finch
Joan Garner
Mary Kaszyca

Library Shelvers
Noëlle Dembrosky
Pat Ditmars
Cait Darfler
Marty Farnsworth
Richard Figiel

Special Project Volunteers
Kathy Carpenter
Molly Kraus
Isabella Mannino
Tim Martin
Jean McGregor
Barbara Melvin
Barbara Nowogrodzki
Joan Ormondroyd
Jacqueline Puleo
Vivien Rose
Sophie Tantillo

 Adopt-A-Shelf
Richard Figiel
Nancy Olszewski
Dorothy Sholeen
John Sholeen

Special thanks to all of our volunteers, including the Book Sale Volunteers & Building and Grounds Crew!

Annual Report 2016
The Ulysses Philomathic Library is an educational and cultural resource center which strives to meet the informational, creative, and leisure needs of all community residents.

To that end, the library will provide a broad collection of materials and access to a wide network of contemporary resources & media.

Ulysses Philomathic Library
74 East Main Street
Trumansburg, NY 14886

Mon - Wed - Fri 10 am - 5 pm
Tue - Thu 10 am - 8 pm
Sat 10 am - 2 pm

(607) 387-5623
www.trumansburglibrary.org
Highlights

This library community
...has 4,645 cardholders
...borrowed 57,759 items
...downloaded 3,027 eBooks
...used our computers 8,338 times
...visited the library 46,412 times
...visited the library website 36,078 times
...attended library events 7,004 times
...answered 6,249 reference questions

Fundraising
Ongoing and Biannual Booksale: $12,568
Library Libations: $3,428
StoryBake and StoryAuction: $2,200

New This Year:
Hoopla: Streaming movies and music through the Finger Lakes Library System

Donations & Legacy Gifts

General Endowment Fund
insures the financial security of the library for generations to come.

Book Endowment Fund
exists to stabilize the library’s book budget and to honor people who are important to the donor or to the community.

Gifts of Books
are a wonderful way to honor a special occasion or person in your life.

Memorial Fund of Collin E. Anderson
Established to purchase young adult books and The Calvin and Hobbes Collection.

Sally Merrill Sutcliffe Endowment
Established by her family and friends to provide new fiction and non-fiction materials for library patrons.

Margery Grace Endowment
Established by her family and friends to help support the library and its programs.

Special programs and services are funded by grants from A & D Pearsall Foundation, Bernard Carl and Shirley Rosen Library Fund of the Community Foundation of Tompkins County, Carman and Sandra Brink Hill Fund of the Community Foundation of Tompkins County, Community Arts Partnership of Tompkins County / NYS Council of the Arts Decentralization Program, Nelson B. Delavan Foundation, Flagstone Farm Environmental Education & Library Fund, Friends of the Tompkins County Libraries, Jacksonville Community United Methodist Church Noisy Offering, Myrtle Dee Nash Memorial Fund of the Community Foundation of Tompkins County, Park Foundation, Town of Ulysses / Village of Trumansburg Joint Youth Commission, Town of Ulysses, Trumansburg Central School District Foundation, United Way of Tompkins County / Ulysses Community Council, Village of Trumansburg, and generous donations from patrons and local businesses.

Association Members 2015
Total number of members: 521
Families & individuals contributed $50,760 to the operating budget.

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Solar Buskers:
Jacob, Sarah, Libby, Julia, & Daniel raised money for the solar project.

Our sincere thanks to all the individuals and organizations who so generously support the Ulysses Philomathic Library with your time, talents, and gifts.

2016 Financial Report

Total Revenue $277,039
Public Funds $163,420
Private Donations $72,669
Grants & Fundraising $27,900
Investment Income $13,050
Total Expenses $277,039
Personnel $164,172
Collection Development $26,000
Mortgage, Utilities, & Maintenance $63,467
Programs, Publicity, & Outreach $23,400

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