

SEA CLIFF VILLAGE LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT 2013-2014

The Board of Trustees and staff are gratified to see our Sea Cliff friends and neighbors discovering or perhaps rediscovering the Library. We are clearly not your grandmother's library although our love of books and reading remains a guiding principle. We are proud to present you a summary of 2013-2014 at your Library.

Technology/Electronic resources

The Friends of the Library purchased 4 iPads for the Children's Library. We've loaded them with popular apps; our children are certainly enjoying them.

We added subscriptions to Consumer Reports on-line, Freegal (a music download site) and Pronunciator (a foreign language learning site.) Try them; we think they'll be helpful to you!

Children's Library

During the year, we have totally refurbished the Children's Library – new furniture and new shelving have really enhanced your Library experience. Thanks to the Friends of the Sea Cliff Library, the Sea Cliff Civic Association and the family and friends of Lynne Tromer Dafferener for their generous contributions towards this project. We also thank the family and friends of Jacqueline Hudak for their generous contributions in her memory which will go toward a Garden in the Children's Library's backyard.

Statistics

	<u>Collection Size</u>	<u>Circulation</u>
Books -- Adult	11,936	12,749
Books -- Children	8,238	8,886
Books – Young adult	1,061	1,343
DVDs	2,619	12,944
CDs	1,139	2,320
Ebooks		2,295
Museum passes	14	542
<u>Library programs</u>		
Adult programs	94	
Adult attendance	1,012	
Children's programs	585	
Children's attendance	17,550	
<u>Registered borrowers</u>	3,210	

Museum passes

Our Museum Passes have proven to be quite popular, particularly in the nice weather. This year, we've added passes to the Cradle of Aviation and Old Bethpage Village Restoration. Thanks to the Friends of the Sea Cliff Library and the Good of the Village Association for their generous donations in support of this program.

I hope you'll find time this summer to visit us at the Beach where we have a selection of books for your use, made possible by a grant from Senator Marcellino.