



2023-2024

# Houghton Lake Public Library

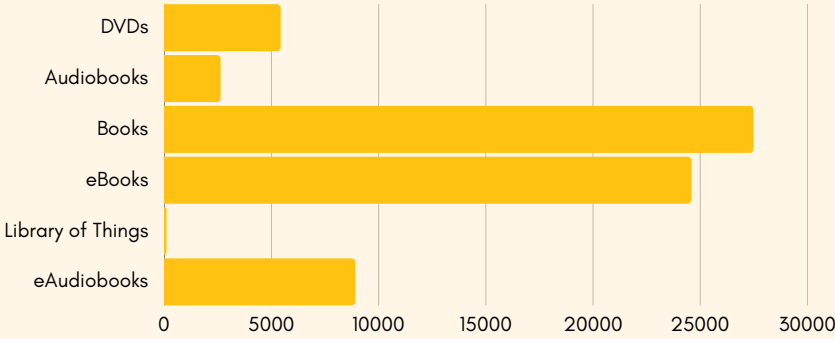


## Annual Report

The Houghton Lake Public Library exists to provide informational, educational, recreational, and aesthetic resources to residents.

### Collection

Our collection caters to all forms of learning and exploration, from traditional books and audiobooks to engaging films, interactive e-resources, and Library of Things. Whether you're a visual learner, a lover of stories, or a seeker of knowledge, you'll find a rich array of materials that inspire and entertain.



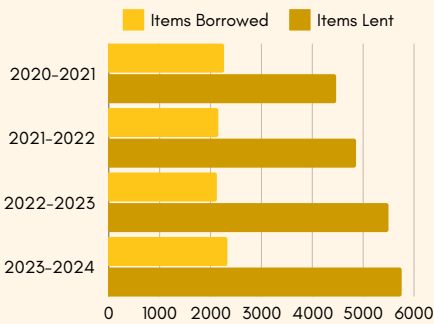
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- Jamie Paille, Director
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- Karri Slater, Library Assistant/MEL Specialist
- Julie Maxey, Library Assistant/MEL Specialist
- Jennifer Trzecienski, Library Assistant
- Erica Luck, Library Assistant/Cataloging

### Interlibrary Loans



### FREE ONLINE ACCESS:

MeL Databases  
(Michigan residents).  
World Book  
Encyclopedia,  
Tumblebooks, Do-It-  
Yourself Reference  
Centers, Niche  
Academy, BrainHQ,  
Ancestry.

### Gifts, Donations, & Grants

Marc Milburn  
HL. Eagles Aux. #3201 x2  
Greg and Linda Bodker  
William Hollingsworth

State of Michigan x2  
White Pine Library Co-op  
Roscommon County  
Community Foundation

### Top Programs of the year:

- Cut the Cord
- Shred-It
- Dessert Sushi
- Charcuterie Demo
- Battle of the Books

Programs Offered

225

Program Attendance

3068

**LIBRARY REVENUES: \$719,810\***

**LIBRARY EXPENDITURES: \$635,843\***

**\*Subject to Final Audit of FY 2023-2024**