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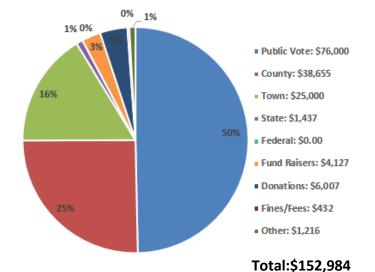
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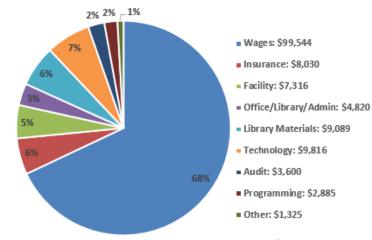
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Expenses 2023



Total: \$146,429

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# Newfield Public Library Report to the Community 2023



Your open door to the world.

# Newfield Public Library

We are your open door to the world. We offer free access to computers, Wi-fi, mobile hotspots, meeting space, DVDs, ebooks, audiobooks, magazines, books, programs for all ages, and more!



# 2023 Fast Facts

23,610

Items were checked out

10,539 Visits were

made to the library

351

Patrons used 1 Wi-fi of 5 library Conr computers were

3,711

Connections were made



# Did you know?

- You can order, pick up, and return books from all 33 Finger Lakes libraries at the Newfield Public Library.
- Get ebooks, audio books, TV series, movies, and more for free with the Libby and Hoopla apps.
- ♦ You can connect to our Wi-fi 24/7.
- We accept book donations and have great book sales throughout the year.

# Nearly 17,000

Items are in our collection

Over 1.000

New items were added to our collection in 2023

The library continues to collaborate with the Newfield Historical Society to offer programming and services at the Newfield History and Activity Center (NHAC) next door to the library!

# It's where to go. It's what to do.

#### **GRANT-FUNDED ACTIVITIES**

The library received \$22,308 from the following grants (excludes NHAC funding):

- Bernard Carl and Shirley Rosen Library Fund of Community Foundation TC (Summer Reading and Afterschool Programs)
- Tompkins County Recovery Fund.
- NYS Council on the Arts, administered by the Community Arts Partnership
- Newfield Community Council (NCC)
- United Way / NCC (Summer Reading Program)
- Finger Lakes Library System—Children's furniture
- Finger Lakes Library System—Collection development
- Kids Discover the Trail—Kindergarten visit
- Sciencenter—Family programming

## 2023 Programs/Events

- Afterschool Program
- Family and Pre-K Storytime
- Kids Discover the Trail-Kindergarten
- 4th Grade Field Trip
- Women Change the World
- Movie and Game Nights
- Dusty and Dott puppet show
- US Grant Living Historian w/NHS
- Legal and Financial Planning
- History Reading & Discussion Group
- Crochet Workshop
- Sciencenter Visits
- ♦ Johnson Museum Visits & Field Trip
- Growing with Biochar
- Photography Workshop
- ♦ A Beaver's Tail
- Streaming Basics
- Photo Management
- Pysanky Workshop
- 5 Author visits
- Gingerbread bridge kits/contest
- ◆ Letters to Santa/Cookie Decorating

The library collaborates with Newfield Kitchen Cupboard to provide meal kits every month at the Food Pantry!

## **Summer Reading Program**

- ♦ 292 participants
- ♦ 150 take-home kits
- ♦ Book Clubs
- Didgeridoo Down Under
- Puppet Show at OHD
- ◆ Tanglewood Nature Center
- People of the Longhouse
- Hula Workshop
- Cookbook Club
- Teen Takeover
- Kickoff and Grand Finale with food and dessert

## Weekly:

- ◆ Family Storytime
- Summer Camp Activities

Library programs were enjoyed by 3,382 attendees in 2023.