

Kirkland Town Library
55 1/2 College Street
Clinton, NY 13323



YOU CAN CHECK OUT

- Passes to Adirondack Experience, Corning Museum of Glass, Fort Rickey Discovery Zoo, MOST, MWPAI, NYS Parks, Onondaga County Parks, Sciencenter, USS Slater, Utica Zoo, and Wild Center.
- Guitar and Ukulele
- Mobile WiFi Hotspot
- Snowshoes
- Starter Kits (crochet, knot tying, origami)
- Play With Me Kits, Explorer Bags, Storytime-To-Go
- American Girl Dolls
- Cake Pans
- Telescopes
- Exercise DVDs, Bands, and Weights
- Robots
- Puzzles and Board Games

GET IN TOUCH

-  Phone 315-853-2038
-  Text 315-938-8310
-  Online www.kirklandtownlibrary.org
-  Facebook KTL.Clinton
-  Instagram kirklandtownlibrary
-  YouTube Clinton Kirkland Town Library
-  Email clinton@midyork.org

WE OFFER

- 24/7 WiFi
- Two Notary Publics on Staff
- One-on-One Digital Help
- Home Delivery
- Puzzle exchange
- Patron e-newsletters (contact us to sign up!)
- Hooked on Books Program; in our 17th year of helping our youngest patrons experience 1,000 books before kindergarten



2022 HIGHLIGHTS

- Expanding Services

 - 24/7 Locker
 - MWPAI and MOST Passes
 - Literacy CNY Volunteers
- Growing the Collection

 - 14 Pairs of Snowshoes
 - Claudie, the newest American Girl Doll

- Enhancing Our Home
- Deck furniture and awning
 - Renovation of Stryker Room
 - Second circulation desk and curbside table

- Engaging All Ages
- Clinton vs Clinton vs Clinton Reading Challenge
 - 5th Annual Read Around the Clock, first time on the Village Green
 - Little Free Art Gallery and an After School Art Club
 - StoryWalk in the Village and Library Skills for homeschoolers
 - Book Talks and second year of the Tween Book Club
 - Chair Exercise Classes and Bike Repair Workshop
 - An Escape Room and Photography Contest
 - Baby Goats!!!

- Supporting Others In Our Community
- Chamber of Commerce Breakfast
 - First Fridays on the Village Green
 - July 4th Village/Town Celebration
 - Hosted meetings for more than 30 community groups including Clinton & Paris Hill Garden Clubs; sports and recreation groups like Clinton Hockey, the Clinton Pool & AYSO; Clinton Symphony Orchestra Board; youth groups like Girl Scouts and Dungeons and Dragons clubs; Kirkland Democrats and Republicans; and three book groups.

LIBRARY BUDGET VOTE IS MAY 16, 2023
From Noon-8 p.m. at the CCS Theater Lobby

We are grateful for the continued support the library receives from our community. However, minimum wage increases, utility costs and inflation put pressure on our operating budget. For our 2024 budget, we are asking for a 2% increase - an additional \$6,626 for a total of \$337,905 to support the KTL.

Proposition to appear on the annual school district budget vote: RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of the Clinton Central School District is hereby authorized to levy taxes annually in the amount of \$337,905, which will be distributed to the Kirkland Town Library to provide public library services to school district residents.

STRATEGIC PLAN 2023-2025

Mission Statement
The mission of the Kirkland Town Library is to connect community members through equitable access to information and resources that educate, engage, and enrich.

- The **Vision** of the Kirkland Town Library is to:
- Foster a community where reading and curiosity continue to thrive
 - Serve as a key and valued institution for building and supporting a stronger community
 - Expand the community’s perception and use of the library

- Values**
- LEARNING: champion the vital importance of reading, diverse programming, and lifelong learning
- FLEXIBILITY: deliver excellent service to our patrons and adapt to our community’s needs and interests
- COLLABORATION: work with individuals, businesses, and organizations to address the needs of our community
- INNOVATION: invest in staff, technology, collections, and infrastructure.
- KINDNESS: offer a comfortable, safe, neutral, and welcoming environment
- SUSTAINABILITY: follow sustainable practices that are environmentally sound, economically feasible, and socially equitable

