

### Library Hours

**Monday, Wednesday & Thursday-**

7pm to 9pm

**Tuesday-**

10am to 9pm

**Friday-**

2pm to 6pm

**\*Saturday-**

9am to 4pm

**\*Open Saturdays in July and August, from 9am to 1pm**

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## Pine Plains Free Library

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# 2016

## Annual Report to the Community

The mission of The Pine Plains Free Library is to serve the community by being a source and focal point for reading and education for children and adults throughout the area as well as to promote the sharing of resources and other library services through the Mid Hudson Library System.



### Services available at the Library

- Free loans on Books, DVD's, CD's, Magazines, Wii Games
- Audio Books and eBooks through Overdrive and eSebco, as well as emagazines through Zinno for libraries.
- Access to library collections from 66 libraries
- Free programs, such as Pre-School Story times, Adult Book Discussion, Knit One Crochet Two, Computer help, Seed Library, Genealogy Workshop and Summer Programs for the family
- Computers, Wireless access, Printing, Faxing and Copies
- Free Online Databases for Chilton Auto Repair Manuals, Career and College Tools, Practice Tests, Tumblebooks for Kids, Mango Languages, 1000's of magazines – and so much more using your library card!

### FRIENDS Gifts to the Library in 2015:

- Volunteer Time
- Books added to our collection
- Gift of 400 dollars to the Summer Reading Program
- 1,200 dollars for shelving
- Museum Pass Program
- Total monetary contributions over 2000  
Thank you!

### Want to give back to the community?

#### Volunteer:

Ask us how you may become a friend, a library volunteer or a trustee. You can also go to our webpage to find out how-

<http://pineplains.lib.ny.us/volunteer.htm>

#### Donate:

<http://pineplains.lib.ny.us/donate.htm>

## By the Numbers 2015

### Circulation-All Materials

Adult-7,226

Children-1,569

Total Circulation=8,795

### Collections-All Materials

Due to a smaller space in 2015, most of the collection was in storage and about a quarter of it was housed in that place, in that year.

### Loans-All Materials

Received from other libraries-2,429

Gave to other libraries- 2,025

### Library Programs

**Adult**-30 programs (attendance- 263)

**Children**-63 programs (attendance- 1,003)

**One on One Sessions**-104

**Internet Use**-1,128 people accessed it (not including WI-FI usage)

**Library Visits**-5,556

**Website Visits**-11,739

**Card Holders**-1,349

### Let's talk in dollars using the above...

If we offered programs at 6.00 a ticket (price of a movie) = 1,370 attending X \$6.00 a ticket= \$8,220.00

If we offered each circ at an average of \$20.00 an item (cost of a DVD, book) =8,795 total circ X \$20.00 an item = \$175,900.00

If we offered Internet Access at \$12.00 a person = 1,128 X \$12.00 a person = \$13,536.00

Comes to a total of \$197,656.00

The cost to you = \$0

The cost of a library card= \$0 (priceless)

**Did you know?** Americans check out an average of more than seven books a year. They spend \$34.95 a year for the public library—about the average cost of one hardcover book.