

## **Hudson Falls Free Library**

## Report To Our Community

3,445
Library Users
in Our Community

16,637 Items in the library





8,973 Circulation of Electronic Downloads



21,993
Total Circulation



2024 in Review

9,421 Visits to Our Library



Libraries are about people: the ones coming in the door and the ones waiting on them at a desk or helping them in the stacks. The library's board of trustees were already impressed with how our staff members serve patrons, plan programs and take care of our collection. This year offered a new challenge: director Kay Hafner received a kidney transplant.

Which is how our Youth Services Coordinator, Emily, took over as interim director just as a busy summer of kids and teen events approached, and the summer reading program was about to launch.

Emily took over administrative duties and coordinated with staff members Debi, Sue and Beth to keep the library open with minimal interruptions to their usual wonderful service. They all deserve kudos for taking care of patrons—and each other—during this time.

Thankfully, Kay returned to us in September healthy and ready to dive back in. We are all looking forward to 2025 and beyond.