

Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands

Your Public Library's

Annual Report 2010

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LANSDOWNE AND THE THOUSAND ISLANDS

Lansdowne

Escott

Our vision~LTIPL will enrich lives by adding value to the community.

Our mission~LTIPL empowers the community through freely shared resources.

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Leeds and the Thousand Islands Public Library*

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2010 @ Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands Public Library

Finances = accountability @ your library

Where the money comes from...

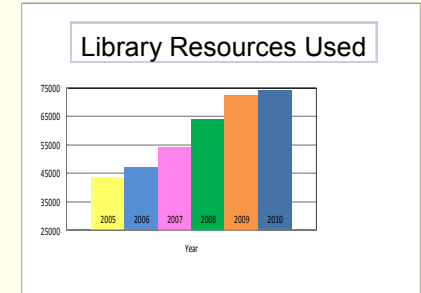
Township of LTI	\$	362,240
Province of Ontario		28,494
Grants		98,505
Donations		1,502
General Revenue		13,546
Transfer from literacy grant/working reserves		13,589

Where the money goes...

Resources: books, magazines, movies etc	\$	49,695
Database & communications		36,290
Administration & Programs		25,319
Building & Insurance		37,288
Staff, Benefits, Training		256,938
Capital: Equipment, Furnishings		19,369
Grant Expenditures		92,977

Statistics = a growth trend @ your library

- + 70% increase in check outs since 2005 ;2% from 2009 to 2010
- + 67,040 library items were checked out = \$1,676,000 worth of resources taken home with you (average \$25 per item)
- + 28,910 various resources on your library shelves
- + 62,700 additional items used in the library and on-line
- + 3,954 of you are library cardholders representing about 41% of the township's population
- + 34,750 people came through library doors
- + 34,250 electronic visits to the library's website
- + 14,150 visits to our public computers & wireless
- + 328 programs with 4,527 participants



Read to Every Kid Every Day

PROVINCIAL AWARD WINNER !!!!
Ministry of Tourism & Culture's
Award for Innovation 2010



Your library is a lead participant in this family literacy initiative throughout L&G with 12 other library systems and many Every Kid in Our Communities agencies, including schools and Ontario Early Years Centres.

Partners = community development @ your library

- » Rideau Lakes Public Library: Lakes & Islands Lifelong Learning Project, Lakes & Islands Times Past, courier and database
- » Lennox & Addington, Prince Edward County, North Grenville Public Libraries: shared database
- » Gananoque, Rideau Lakes, Front of Yonge, Athens, Elizabethtown Kitley, Edwardsburg Cardinal Public Libraries: shared borrowing
- » Lansdowne Historical Society: Archives and housing of resources
- » Lansdowne Agricultural Society, Seeley's Bay Frost Fest, Lyndhurst Turkey Fair : sponsorship and program support
- » Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands: Recreation & Heritage
- » Thousand Islands Elementary School: class visits
- » Every Kid in Our Communities Lead Table representing L&G Public Libraries with over 40 community partners

News = highlights @ your library

- * **FRIENDS of LTIPL!!!!** We welcome our new executive and thank them for their fantastic fundraising efforts; please join and become an official Friend!
- * **volunteers** gave us 896 hours = 17 hours a week of their valuable time and talents
- * Staff member, Susan Smith, graduated from a Library certificate program with 10 course credits; congratulations!
- * **Lakes & Islands Times Past**: an exciting digitization of historical resources partnership with TLTI & Rideau Lakes heritage/historical groups continues; 3,500+ images and records available on-line; Ministry of Tourism and Culture funding
- * Seeley's Bay Library accessibility and aesthetics make-over thanks to the Ontario Trillium Foundation and the Township of LTI
- * 3rd annual **Escott Spring Thing** community development event
- * new local history computer and in-library access to Ancestry.com
- * New **e-books** to download and use on e-readers
- * we continue to provide free public **internet/computer lessons**
- * **New Lego Club** at all branches
- * 4 big **used book sales** as fundraising efforts
- * we have pursued and received other **grant funding**: summer student, computer student, IT support, computer equipment
- * we continue planning for a new Lansdowne multi-use community facility to house the Library, Archives, non-profit organizations while also providing enhanced space for youth, families and seniors