



# Hudson Area Library

June 2020 Report for Village of North Hudson

Tracy Whiteley, Library Trustee



# June Updates

- ▶ Tina Norris, Director left the library for an opportunity out of state. The Board approved a transition plan. Madeline Page and Shelley Tougas are sharing the Director duties as the Board searches for a replacement.
- ▶ The Library planned reopening has been updated.
  - ▶ Prepare: Adding plastic guards to circulation desks, adding hand sanitizers, moving furniture, etc.
  - ▶ Phase 1 - Tentative open date July 6: Open Mon-Fri from 10-2 using Vine Street entrance, with limit of 15 patrons, plus staff at a time. No meeting room use. No restroom access. Masks required for staff and encouraged for patrons. Continue curbside surface and virtual programming.
  - ▶ Phase 2 and 3: Will include expanded hours. Details and timing to be determined.



# June Updates (continued)

- ▶ The Board had its annual meeting on June 16<sup>th</sup>.
  - ▶ Paul Berning was re-elected as President of the Board
  - ▶ Katie Coppenbarger was elected Vice President
  - ▶ Tracy Whiteley will serve on the Finance Committee for the coming fiscal year
  - ▶ Board meetings will continue to be held on the third Tuesday of each month at 5:30pm
  - ▶ Budget committee to meet in July, with presentations to municipalities in September
  - ▶ New representative from Town of Hudson, Susan Blank now part of the Board.



# Village of North Hudson Resident Library Use

- ▶ In May, there were 1,333 North Hudson residents with MORE library cards,
  - ▶ 1,059 (79%) identify Hudson Area Library as their home library (same as last month)
  - ▶ Village represents 11% of total number of cardholders of 11,942
- ▶ Library Circulation for Village of North Hudson residents
  - ▶ Total 4,775 for 2020, not including the use of electronic materials



# Hudson Area Joint Library Information

- ▶ For more information on curbside pick-up, book return schedule, and other information, visit the library's website
  - ▶ <https://hudsonpubliclibrary.org/>
- ▶ Check out the Events page for virtual programs offered in July
  - ▶ <https://hudsonpubliclibrary.org/events/2020-07/>

The Library Board meets monthly and meetings have been virtual since March. Please contact Tracy Whiteley at [twhiteley@comcast.net](mailto:twhiteley@comcast.net) if you have questions or comments.