

Snapshot of your Library

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Special points of interest:

- Patron registration is up 9% since January 2014. Welcome to all our new members!
- We have new DVDs! Including
 - The Hunger Games
 - Percy Jackson: The Sea of Monsters
 - The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey
- Thanks to all the people who came out the celebrate National Library Week with us from April 13—18, 2014

Did you know?

The library offers free passes to Ottawa museums

We are now fine free!

Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library is starting a six month fine free pilot project.. The project will run until October 13, 2014 and, based on its success, will be implemented permanently.

Please read our new borrowing rules:

- **No late fees for print materials.** This includes books and magazines.
- **Late fees still apply for audiovisual items.** This includes DVDs, CDs, and books on CD.
- Patrons will be charged for lost or damaged items

- Items 3 months overdue will be marked “lost” and the patron will have to pay for the entire item
- If an item marked “lost” is returned, all charges are forgiven
- Patrons are encouraged to give donations for any fines incurred prior to the start of our fine free pilot project.

Going fine free is just one more way that the Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library is striving to provide the best service to our community.

If you have any other questions regarding the library’s new fine free policy, please call us at 613-658-5575.



Cardinal Branch

Adopt-a-computer program

Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library (ECPL) has begun an Adopt-a-computer program to raise funds towards updating our outdated public computers.

ECPL has already begun approaching local businesses, asking for a \$200 donation or

“adoption fee”. This donation will cover the costs of purchasing used computers generously provided through JoeComputer in Spencerville.

Businesses that “adopt” a library computer will receive recognition on the new computer as well as a tax receipt.

Currently, one third of ECPL’s computers have been adopted.

If you would like more information about this, or are interested in adopting a computer, please contact your local library branch.

About Us

The Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library (ECPL) is a small public library system serving the residents of the Township of Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal. We have two branches in the towns of Cardinal and Spencerville where we offer over 30,000 items, including books, magazines, DVDs, CDs, books on CD, and ebooks. As well as loaning items, we also provide services to the community, most notably through our children's programs.

The mission of the Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library is to provide individuals with access to the resources of information which are relevant to their lives. To achieve this the library branches strive to meet the cultural, informational and recreational needs of the Township residents through access to organized collections of print, non-print and electronic materials. Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library is a place of lifelong learning and valuable research centre.

Our Branches

Edwardsburgh/ Cardinal Public Library

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Cardinal Branch

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Hours:

Monday, Wednesday
6:30—9:00 pm
Tuesday, Thursday
1:30—4:30 pm
Saturday
9:30am—12noon

Spencerville Branch

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Hours:

Tuesday, Thursday
2:00—5:00pm, 7:00—9:00pm
Saturday
9:30am—1:00pm

New French collection

In May 2014, ECPL will be unveiling our new French collection. Our collection will consist of mostly juvenile picture books, easy readers, chapter books and graphic novels in order to assist our student patrons in immersion programs or those who wish to learn or improve on a second language.

Cardinal and Spencerville Branches have been working to catalogue the new and donated books for this collection.

Thanks to all those who donated books for this cause, especially the Friends of the Spencerville Library for their \$300 donation towards new French books.



Spencerville Branch