Libraries are an American value. In communities across America, they provide a free people with the resources they need to read, learn and connect to the full spectrum of ideas and information that is essential to our democracy.

The greatness of our nation’s libraries lies in their commitment to intellectual freedom—the right of every individual to seek and receive information without restriction. Libraries have always been a forum for ideas, even those that may be unorthodox, unpopular or offensive. Libraries embody the belief that information must not be the exclusive province of a privileged few, but that it be widely and freely available to all, regardless of a person’s age, race, background or views.
Fayetteville Public Library

Our Vision is to be a social and intellectual gathering place for everyone -- a vital community center that informs and inspires.

Our mission is to provide citizens with access to information, kindle the imagination of children and adults, and encourage lifelong learning and achievement for all.

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Architect’s drawing of the planned new library, looking southwest toward the corner of Mountain and Rock Streets.

On the cover: Norm De Briyn (left), baseball coach for the U of A Razorbacks; and “Book Buddy” Camille Johnson (right) reading to Felicia Young and Kody Cone of Farmington. The quotation is taken from ALA Action No. 2, “Intellectual Freedom,” a publication of the American Library Association.
Fayetteville hasn’t been sitting still and neither has its public library.

In August, a temporary one-percent sales tax to help fund a new library passed with an overwhelming 75% voter support. The new library will be built on the corner of School and Mountain, two and a half blocks from the town square.

By December, after a rigorous planning process that included ten public sessions with the architects and dozens of in-house meetings, we completed most of the schematic design for the new building.

A month later, when we added up the numbers for Y2K, they confirmed the need for a new library. The year 2000 saw double-digit increases in visits to the library, program attendance, reference transactions, and collection development.

- Circulation jumped 20% for the year—significantly ahead of our own projections.
- Volunteer hours exceeded 10,000 for the first time since we began keeping records.
- In response to two year-round lecture series, a wealth of events for children, monthly author readings, new play readings, genealogy workshops and more, overall attendance at FPL-sponsored programs exceeded 22,000.

Of course, numbers never tell the whole story.

For example, to boost the quality of our services, we continued our efforts to stay abreast of the latest developments in the exploding field of on-line information services. New electronic links connected us to the Arkansas State Library’s vast on-line periodical databases. A generous grant to the Washington County Library System from the Community Care Foundation promised to open up an even broader array of on-line information banks. Free computer classes helped open the world of electronic resources to hundreds of area residents; and a six-month experiment with e-books, through netLibrary, allowed patrons to check out and read books on-line.

Or...

Witness the irrepressible smiles of children dancing—in the Chinese New Year—one of four Festivals of the World celebrated throughout the year in the Children’s Library.

Everything we do here at the Fayetteville Public Library serves our vision: to create a cultural hub, a social and intellectual gathering place, a vital clearinghouse for information—all in an environment that encourages exploration and stimulates learning.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to our talented and hard-working staff, to the invaluable Friends of the Fayetteville Public Library, to the many organizations and individuals who have contributed to our well-being, and to the scores of volunteers, speakers and performers who help bring our vision to life.

And to our expanding community of users: we never forget you’re the reason we’re here. Thank you.

Louise Schaper
Library Director

Louis Gottsponer
President, Board of Trustees

What’s the library about?
Access. The library provides free literature and multimedia resources for those who choose to take advantage of its services. In a diverse society which includes persons of all races, genders, religious/sexual orientations and income levels, a library...must be protected at all costs. The resources of a library are priceless.

Renee Deshommes
Mother & homemaker
Fayetteville resident

The library is the connective tissue of the community’s readers. In the age of television, the internet, and other instruments of instant gratification, the library is more relevant than ever. It is a solace and a refuge for people who love books.

Roy Reed
Journalist
Hogeye resident
Collection Development: Quantity and Quality

We took significant strides in Y2K toward the development of a truly first-rate collection at the Fayetteville Public Library, adding more than 10,000 new books to the adult collection. In fiction, besides bringing in hundreds of new titles, we upgraded our holdings across a wide range of regional, national, and international authors. Where there were gaps before, we can now offer the complete works of a number of key authors.

In non-fiction we added considerably to our travel, history, automobile, gardening and language-study collections, among others.

The year also saw major adjustments in the physical layout of the main library, changes made necessary by an unprecedented influx of new audiovisual materials. Two check-out categories were added in 2000: books-on-CD and DVDs. Both promise to be exceedingly popular. We also expanded our video collection to include the finest in international, classic and independent film. The music CD collection was broadened to include a greater assortment of genres, and we dramatically expanded our books-on-tape collection, with its use growing by 30% over the last six months of the year.

Programs for Adults

Overall attendance at the library’s adult programs increased two-fold in 2000, and the community kept the Community Room busy year round, whether attending a talk on nature mythology in the Far East—part of the ongoing Seeing Nature in a New Way lecture series—or an afternoon of practical gardening advice from local favorite Carl Totemeier at one of the our monthly Brown Bag Workshops.

Our firstTuesdays reading series showcased such renowned authors as Molly Giles, Crescent Dragonwagon, and Grif Stockley, poets Miller Williams and James Whitehead, and more than twenty other Arkansas writers.

Also popular in 2000 were our regular, free computer classes. Held in the library’s ten-station Computer Lab, classes included computer basics, the Internet, word processing, and e-mail skills.

A Vital Component: Volunteers!

Volunteers are indispensable to the smooth functioning of the Fayetteville Public Library. Their invaluable contributions of time, skill, and talent are visible in every department of the library, from administration to collection maintenance to programming.

Dedicated volunteers, from teens to senior citizens, offer time, talent, and skill in all library departments. Public service, administrative duties, collection maintenance and participation in Library events, programming and projects are just a few examples of how volunteers make the library a great place to be.

A Note from Our Friends

The Friends of the Fayetteville Public Library continued to be a major hub of activity in 2000, increasing our hours at the Friends Bookstore from two to three mornings a week, and renewing our sponsorship of the Brown Bag Lecture Series and the Summer Reading Program (over 4,000 participants!—see the “Celebrate Children” section).

We raised $1,500 for the library through our annual Silent Auction. We also helped with the purchase of travel materials and over 550 audio visual items (videos, DVDs, books on tape and CD) for the library’s collection.

Through it all, we’ve managed to keep our expenses down to 5% of our income…and our membership continues to increase.

Please join us! We’d love to have you on our team!

Genealogy

Our genealogy collection grew throughout 2000, adding regional and national resources, including a number of Arkansas-related materials. We also catalogued and made available Virginia Sharp’s extraordinary 1999 donation of over one thousand genealogy-related items covering the southeast (Virginia, the Carolinas). Newly annexed space provided a home for microfilm resources and a number of new, specialized volumes.

Genealogy workshops continued throughout the year on topics such as “genealogy basics,” “finding your female ancestors,” “computer genealogy,” and “vital records.” And
here’s a word on electronic content: all books are now in the catalog, and several dozen new CD databases were purchased.

**Teen Advisory Board**

Composed entirely of teens, and organized by the library’s Young Adult Coordinator, the Teen Advisory Board (TAB) has proven to be indispensable to the library.

Here’s just a sampling of their activities in 2000: TAB reviewed proposals with the architects for the design of the Young Adult area in the new library, advised staff on how to design the Young Adult page for the library’s new web site, helped select magazines for the Children’s Library lock-ins, administered the Toys for Tots program, and helped with Book Buddies, Homework Helpers and Story Hours.

And they maintained a steady membership of around 18 area teens.

Whew!

**Electronic Resources**

Determined to keep pace with the expanding world of on-line information technology, FPL moved ahead on several fronts:

- New on-line links to the Arkansas State Library allowed for simultaneous, high-speed searches of thousands of publica-
- A generous grant from the Community Care Foundation, awarded in the fall of 2000, will allow us to subscribe to an even broader array of on-line databases and make them freely available to our patrons.

- The introduction of Millennium, a web-based on-line catalogue (running alongside the Orion system already in place), will lead to greater efficiency and flexibility down the road.
- FPL’s six-month trial-subscription to netLibrary allowed patrons to investigate emerging e-book technology by checking out and reading books on-line.

Development continued on our website, fayettevillelibrary.org, where users can review their records, put holds on the latest bestseller, renew their children’s videos, ask reference questions, make suggestions, check out upcoming library events, or link up to a staggering array of informational resources.

**A New Library for Fayetteville? YES!**

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<td>Two public meetings were held with lead architect Jeff Scherer of Meyer, Scherer, Rockcastle, Ltd. to review site development strategies (especially issues of parking, pedestrian access), organizational layout by floor, landscaping and stylistic preferences for the proposed new library.</td>
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<td><strong>Tuesday, February 8</strong></td>
<td>Two public meetings were held, again with Jeff Scherer, reviewing site and tree issues, along with other topics discussed in the January 13th meetings.</td>
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<td><strong>Monday and Tuesday, March 27 and 28</strong></td>
<td>In two meetings, the architects presented to the public the final pre-funding design for the proposed new library.</td>
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<td><strong>Tuesday, August 15</strong></td>
<td>Fayetteville citizens voted to approve a one-cent, 18-month sales tax to be dedicated to building a new library for their town. The vote was 75% for the temporary tax in support of the new library.</td>
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<td><strong>October and November</strong></td>
<td>In dozens of in-house meetings (with separate “teams” addressing children’s, reference, circulation, public spaces, exterior spaces, administration), the library staff drew up “wish lists” for all aspects of the new library, with particular emphasis placed on the smoothest possible functioning of the library for all concerned.</td>
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<td><strong>Monday, November 13</strong></td>
<td>In a public presentation, the architects laid out the final design phase for the new library, based on input from library staff and the community.</td>
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<td><strong>Monday, December 11</strong></td>
<td>The architects engaged in an all-day series of meetings with the citizen’s teams assigned to exterior and interior spaces, with the Board of Trustees, and with the library’s Teen Advisory Board.</td>
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Celebrate our collection!

In 2000, we added over 4,500 items to our collection, and the shelves of the Children’s Library are teeming with shiny new books, videos, and books on tape.

Whether beautifully illustrated, packing a great story, or loaded with useful, up-to-date information, these materials fly off the shelves the moment they’re returned. Meanwhile, we’ve noticed that the beloved classics are remaining just as popular.

What else?

Wooden puzzles were in big demand in 2000. So were those big board books designed especially for little fingers.

For reading newcomers, our Easy Reader collection continued to expand, as did our Parenting collection, catering to the mom, dad, or caregiver with that especially perplexing question on child rearing.

Celebrate reading!

Read:

☐ For the fun of it.
☐ To learn.
☐ To entertain.
☐ To be entertained
☐ Out loud.
☐ All of the above!

We believe reading is the best gift you can give yourself—or someone else—so in 2000 we enlarged our Read Aloud collection, thanks to a generous gift from former Fayettevillians, Dick and Karen Anderson.

Established by the Andersons in the 1980’s to honor their parents, this special collection celebrates the art of reading aloud, reading as a family, or just plain reading together. New titles were added in 2000. At the same time, all the old, worn, well-thumbed (and well-loved) editions were replaced with bright new ones. And we added handsome new shelving.

All told, it’s a collection we’re very proud of, and we hope you’ll use it to enhance your reading “togetherness” and launch more lifelong readers.

Celebrate our programs!

Programs proliferate year round at the Children’s Library, and 2000 was no exception.

Summer programming attendance jumped 65% over the previous year’s, an all-time high. More than 4,000 preschoolers, elementary-age children, and adult “kids” stopped by to dance with the International Folk Dancers, hear music by Still on the Hill, enjoy magic, storytelling, theatre, clowns, jungle bounce, tea parties, and more. Thanks once again to the Friends of the
My children have repeatedly visited the library for the story hours and the various children’s activities. Not only are these times fun, but they have helped instill in my children a love of reading and discovery that I hope will last their lifetime.

Ann Ternes Rosso
Mother & homemaker
Fayetteville resident
2000 Fayetteville Public Library Financials

Operating and Materials Revenues
Fiscal Year 2000
City of Fayetteville ............... $ 594,300
City of Fayetteville
  CIP Capital items ............... $  7,383
City of Fayetteville
  CIP Books ..................... $ 142,000
City Total* ........................ $ 743,683
Foundation ........................ $  7,944
Friends ........................... $ 29,673
Washington County .............. $ 527,215
Rent ............................... $ 31,373
Fines & Fees ...................... $  81,363
Grand Total ........................ $1,495,630

*City of Fayetteville also provides a building with a fair rental value of $319,960.

Library Expenditures
January 1, 2000 – December 31, 2000
Salaries and Benefits .......... $ 795,430
Operations ......................... $ 160,341
Library Materials ................. $ 237,215
Capital Outlay ...................... $  16,669
Total ................................ $1,209,655

2000 Library Measures
Population Served (2000 Census)
  Fayetteville ....................... 58,047
  Washington County ............... 157,715
Library Cardholders .............. 25,777
  Children ........................ 16,251
Materials Owned .................... 126,365
Periodical Subscriptions .........  337
Reference Questions Answered ...... 57,586
Use of Materials (Circulation)
  Children’s Materials ............. 129,972
Visits .............................. 434,979
Volunteer Hours ..................  10,040
Staff (Full-Time Equivalents) ....  30

Library Ratios and Peer Comparison

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<td>Reference transactions per capita</td>
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<td>Percent population with library card</td>
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2 Registrants may live outside city boundaries; cannot filter by city boundaries.
3 Includes $142,000 from City, $62,000 from County, $23,695 from Friends and $7,126 from Foundation. Book budget from government sources was $3.50.
4 Does not include $14,001 capital outlay by City of Fayetteville for shelving, HVAC replacement, and lighting.

Arkansas authors (from left to right) Louise Mann, Donald Harington and Grif Stockley enjoy a moment together. Mann and Stockley read from their work as part of the library’s firstTuesdays reading series.
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Patrons $1,000-4,999
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Bill and Maryann Bassett
Bodenhamer Foundation
Tony and Judy Hannold
Oscar and Marjorie Leverenz

Sponsor $500-999
Herbert and Marie Fowler
Porter and Sally Stone

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Exchange Club of Fayetteville
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Virginia Wilson
Jim and Claire Wisman
Edith Worthley
Doug and Kay Wright

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Baba Boudan’s
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Betty’s Blossoms
Bokay Florist
Brooks Graphics
Chuck’s Cake Shoppe
City of Fayetteville
Collier Drug Stores, Inc.
Dillon’s Grocery Store
Domino’s Pizza
Duffy’s U-Save
Elenita’s Mexican Cafe
En Vogue Salon
Eureka Pizza
Family Florist
Fayetteville Glass Co., Inc.
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Kathryn’s Closet
Lin’s Chinese Restaurant
Liquor World
Loafin’ Joe’s
Madame Wu’s
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McBride Distributing
McIlroy Bank
Mong Dynasty
Nature’s Water
New Market Naturals
Outlook Club
Ozark Cooperative Warehouse
Ozark Natural Food
Ozark Painting and Graphics
Panda Restaurant
Papa John’s Pizza
Parties Galore
Penguin Ed’s Barbecue
Pizza Hut South
Pizza Inn
Razorback Cinema
Rick’s Bakery
Sam’s Club
Seoul Oriental Foods
Shakey’s Frozen Custard
Shanghai Chinese Restaurant
Showcase Florist
Something For Everyone
Sonic Drive-In
Sports Park of Arkansas
Taco Bell
Terra Studios
The Dixie Cafe
The Event Group
Toys R Us
U.S. Pizza Co.
Upchurch Electric
WalMart
Westlake Hardware
White River Hardwood
Wonder Hostess Thrift Store

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John Andrews, recorded tape of English jigs
Animal Medical Clinic, Pet Show
Arkansas Martial Arts Trng. Ctr., Summer Reading Program
Mrs. Vipin Arora, Divali
Art Experience, Children’s Programs
Faith Ashley, Chinese New Year,
Gaylah Balter, speaker - Brown Bag Lunch,
Sarah Barr, literary translator - FirstTuesdays,
Bella Vista Recorder Consort, performer - Brown Bag Lunch, Mrs. Kalpana Bhuml, performer - Children’s Programs
Tammy Bronson, performer - Children’s Programs
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Sydney Cameron, speaker - Seeing Nature in a New Way
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Tom and Carla Clark, library display creators
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John V. Crane, speaker - Seeing Nature in a New Way
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Joao Batista DeMoura, speaker - Children’s Programs
Andrew and Melody DeVere, Children’s Programs
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Joel Emerson, performer - Children’s Programs
Fayetteville High School Comotions Staff, writers - FirstTuesdays
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Dr. Dennis Plyler, teacher, staff computer classes
Linda Ralston, Children’s Lock-in
Vandana Ramachandran, Divali
Daryl Rantis, Children’s Workshop
Dr. Roy Rom, speaker - Seeing Nature in a New Way
Louise Russert-Kraemer, speaker - Seeing Nature in a New Way
Veronica Schuder, poet - FirstTuesdays
Pat Schram, Chinese New New Year
Leilani Schweitzer, graphic designer, 1999 Annual Report
Mrs. Chitra Selvam, Divali
Jeremy Shouldis, actor - FirstTuesdays
Julia Sonn, Children’s Programs
Grif Stockley, novelist - FirstTuesdays
Mary Stokes, writer - FirstTuesdays
Patricia Sullivan, speaker - Brown Bag Lunch
Michelle Taylor, Children’s Lock-In
Teen Advisory Board, Children’s Lock-In
Anna Terry, U of A String Quartet
Marcella Thompson, speaker - Brown Bag Lunch
Carl Totemeier, speaker - Brown Bag Lunch
Jennifer Wagner, Children’s Lock-In
Gerald E. Walsh, speaker - Seeing Nature in a New Way
Bill Welge, Genealogy Workshop
James Whitehead, poet - FirstTuesdays
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Miller Williams, poet - FirstTuesdays
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