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2025 Library Board

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2025 Annual Report



Director's Message

2025, was an amazing year for the library. We secured vital long-term funding from our four municipal partners, who also purchased the remaining floor space in our building. This incredible support allows us to expand and create a larger library for our community.

We launched our expansion fundraising campaign with an incredible wave of community support. We received significant contributions from the Rotary Club of Selkirk (\$150,000) and grants from the Selkirk & District Community Foundation (\$150,000). This momentum continued with a matching challenge led by Jim & Betty-Anne Gaynor (\$300,000), further amplified by a \$100,000 sponsorship from Dexter & Jeanne Harvey, plus countless donations from local individuals and groups.

The Province of Manitoba also provided funding through the Manitoba Growth Renewal and Opportunities for Municipalities (Manitoba GRO) program. Of the \$300,000 community's fundraising campaign goal, only \$10,000 is outstanding to raise. We will be starting renovations in April, 2026 and expect to be done by year end.

I want to express my sincere gratitude to my staff; our success is a direct result of their dedicated support. Fueled by a culture of constant innovation, we look forward to achieving even greater milestones in 2026.

Ken Kuryliw
Director, Library Services

Appreciations

We want to thank the following for their energy, expertise and dedication: members of the Gaynor Family Regional Library Board from Selkirk, St. Andrews, St. Clements, Dunnottar and our volunteers. We owe a heartfelt thank you to our past Board Chair, David Little, for his years of dedicated service and unwavering commitment to the Library's mission.

We appreciate the continued support and financial assistance of:

the Province of Manitoba,
the City of Selkirk,
the R.M. of St. Andrews,
the R.M. of St. Clements and
the Village of Dunnottar.

Thank you to the following donors for going above and beyond to help us serve our communities: Selkirk Rotary, Healthy Child Manitoba, Selkirk Renewal Corp., Carolyn Cox, Jim and Betty-Anne Gaynor, Dexter and Jeanne Harvey and the Selkirk and District Community Foundation.

A warm thank you to the staff of the Library who continue to provide quality library service and a friendly welcome to all.

Finally, a big thank you to our wonderful library users who make the effort so worthwhile!

Board Message

Over the past year, our regional library has continued to demonstrate its vital role in learning, connection, and community spirit.

In the spring, the Board adopted the five-year strategic plan which provides vision and direction for the library's ongoing services and focus for budgeting and resource management. As the needs of our residents evolve, so too does our commitment to providing a welcoming space, dynamic resources, and innovative programming for all.

The year also brought meaningful progress with the library's expansion plans. Major financial support (\$1.4 million) and renewed agreements with our member municipalities (City of Selkirk, RM of St. Andrews, RM of St. Clements and the Village of Dunnottar) set a strong foundation to ensure sustainable operations going forward.

These achievements reflect not only the commitment of our tremendous staff and volunteer board members but also the ongoing support of our municipalities, community groups and individuals, who value the library as a shared public good.

The Board remains focused on long term sustainability, responsive service delivery and ensuring our library is a vibrant and inclusive gathering place.

Board Message cont'd

I want to commend my fellow board members and staff in your dedication to our library.

Special thanks to Bev Clegg for your guidance, Michael Buhr for serving on our fundraising committee and Len Trapp for serving on our building committee. Acknowledgements to partnerships with Parkka, VIKO-Consulting, and Brew + Bake.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to the newly expanded library in the fall 2026. Together, we are building a stronger, more connected region—one library visit at a time.

Regards,
Erin Nosel, Chair

2025 Financial Report

INCOME (Audited)		EXPENSES (Audited)	
Province of Manitoba	\$363,629	Personnel	\$664,698
Local Government	746,927	Building	387,024
Other Agencies	18,390	Materials	108,005
Library Generated	111,042	Other Costs	85,028
Miscellaneous	1,623	Amortization	22,027
		Technology	1,937
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,241,611	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$1,268,719
		NET INCOME (LOSS) 2025	\$(27,108)

Our 2025 Numbers

Material	Number
Collection Size	64,150
Items Borrowed (physical)	143,327
Visitors	153,000
Serial Subscriptions	109
eBooks/eAudio Borrowed	70,295
Population Served	34,802
Members (active)	10,443
Hours Open per Week	57.5
Visits per Capita	4.4



Municipal Signing, March 2025



Community Bike Tour, June 2025



Tipi Teachings—Selkirk Huddle, October 2025



Donation to Lorie Fiddler, Fundraising Chair from Erin Nosal & Duane Nicol, November 2025