

Our Mission

The Gaynor Family Regional Library is dedicated to providing public access to the resources required to facilitate lifelong learning in our communities. Public library services will be provided in an environment that encourages and supports all members of the public to develop their full potential.

The Library is administered by a volunteer Library Board of citizens appointed by the City of Selkirk, the R.M. of St. Andrews, the R.M. of St. Clements and the Village of Dunnottar. Funding is provided by municipal contributions from the City of Selkirk, the R.M. of St. Andrews, the R.M. of St. Clements, the Village of Dunnottar and the Province of Manitoba.

Thanks to the strong municipal support, membership is free to residents of:

- ◆ the City of Selkirk,
- ◆ the RM of St. Andrews
- ◆ the RM of St. Clements and
- ◆ the Village of Dunnottar

Annual fee for non-residents is \$75.00. Some municipalities offer whole or partial reimbursement for the non-resident fee. Identification with proof of residence is necessary when applying for membership.

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About your Library



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Our Location



Welcome to your Library



Our Programs

Adult/Senior Programs

Information Nights and Workshops: At least once a month we offer evening programs that are free and open to all.

Circle of Friends Program - Every Friday from 1:00 - 3:00 pm the Library offers the seniors in our community a no-charge Senior Library program. Call us for more details.

Children Programs

Storytime is a great way to introduce your child to the library! Our program includes stories, crafts, and songs for 3 - 5 year olds.

Babytime is our program for children birth - 2 years. Join us with your baby for songs, rhymes and finger play.

Kids Unplugged (Grades 1 to 3) - join us on the weekend and have some fun with crafts, games and all things crazy.

Kids Unplugged (Grades 4 to 6) - the craft and game craziness continues with more challenges.

Summer Reading Program: Kids, 12 and under will enjoy activities designed around a different theme each year to support kids in their enjoyment of summer reading.

All programs require an active Library membership.

Our Services

If you need help researching a topic, please ask our helpful staff. If we can't find the answer in our library, then through a partnership of all libraries in Manitoba and Canada the material can be brought in for you. In most cases there is no fee for this expanded service.

We also offer the following:

- ◆ Free public access computers
- ◆ Free wireless internet access
- ◆ Over 60,000 volumes in every topic imaginable
- ◆ Fantasy, Mystery, Sci-Fi, Romance, Western, Inspirational, Non-Fiction
- ◆ Self help, starting a business, dealing with a crisis
- ◆ More than 120+ magazine subscriptions
- ◆ Over 5,700 DVDs
- ◆ Large Print collection
- ◆ Audio Books
- ◆ Space/Support for writers groups and book clubs. Please ask for details.

On-Line Services

We have many online services offered to patrons. Visit our website www.gfrl.org and follow the links to setup your account with your library card.

Try Libby/eLibraries MB for all your eBook and eAudio needs.

Your choices are endless. Pickup our Virtual Library brochure for more specific info.

Urban Prairie

A partnership with Lake Friendly Manitoba and the East Interlake Conservation District has been created to establish an Urban Prairie oasis.

Local farmers helped provide the composted biomass for the soil used in the Urban Prairie project.

The structure was strategically oriented to capture the regional prairie vista. In the landscape, a system of bio-swales were introduced to direct water to the existing natural drainage.



Whimsy B Café

A wonderful coffee shop located inside the Gaynor Family Regional Library in Selkirk. Serving coffee-, tea-, espresso-based drinks and many more beverage delights.



All of the sandwiches, soups, cakes, desserts and pastries are hand-crafted by the owners and made fresh on site.

How to keep Informed

Pick up a print copy of *The Reader*, our library newsletter or signup online for a digital version.

Check our website, or contact us by phone for a monthly calendar of events, programs and library news.

Search the Net at the Library:

FREE internet access is available on our public access computers and FREE Wi-Fi available on the premises.

Information about the library, upcoming events, new books, a special kid's page, and handy links to commonly used sites are available through our website.

www.gfrl.org

Our Hours

Tuesday - Thursday: 9:30 am - 9:00 pm

Friday: 9:30 am - 7:00 pm

Saturday - Sunday: 11:00 am - 5:00pm

CLOSED MONDAY

Loan Periods

1 Week - DVDs and Magazines

2 Weeks - On items that have reserves

3 Weeks - Books, Audio Books, Large Print

Renewals - Up to 2 times