

— Quincy Branch Library —

October 2020

Branch Manager's Message

We are 110. That's right! Our library was built in 1910. All the Friends of the Library groups were to meet this month at our branch for the annual gathering, but we will plan that celebration for another time. Enjoy reading about the library beginnings on page 3 of this newsletter. Andrew Carnegie offered to build a library in Quincy, but we are so glad the local board built the building we still have today.

Following the COVID shutdown, the library has been open to the public since June 29, and curbside service is still available also. Call ahead if you have

something specific you'd like to pick up, or we can help find something with you over the phone. Protective measures are being taken and a rigid cleaning schedule takes place at all our branches.

September was Library Card Sign Up Month. Everyone should know what an important card it is to have in their wallet. Aside from physical materials, your library card number can get you so many online resources. Patrons greatly enjoy Hoopla, Overdrive, Consumer Reports, and RB Digital, which provides over 3,000 magazines, and much more...

Be sure to check out the library website: www.branchdistrictlibrary.org or the Branch District Library Facebook page for your enjoyment.

When I was young, we couldn't afford much. But, my library card was my key to the world.
—John Goodman



Lisa L. Wood,
Branch Manager

The Jane Baldwin Children's Room featured a castle during the Summer Reading Program

Summer Reading BINGO winners!
Adult Winners: Laura L.—gas card
Karen R.—Filled book bag
Teens: Daniel L.—TV
13 and under: Melody L.—Kindle
Carter F.—Amazon Card
Addison L.—Earbuds
Reagan F.—Magnetic Unicorn Toy
Audrie P.—Coloring Castle Playhouse
Ian M.—Walking Dragon Toy
Zane J.—Storytime Dragon
Thank you to the Branch District Library System for providing great prizes for all ages





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NEW HOURS!

Quincy Library Hours

Mon 12-6 Thu 9-1

Tue 9-5 Fri 9-5

Wed 9-5 Sat 9-12

Sun-Closed

The **Branch District Library System** has six library branches to serve your needs:

Algansee,
Bronson,
Coldwater,
Quincy,
Sherwood and
Union Twp.



In Appreciation for Donations

In Memory of...

Freddie 'Fred' Jay Avra

Ina Burlew

Lisa Campbell

Sherman 'Bud' Carpenter

Jackie DeLine

Dorothy Dobson

Kathryn Hutchins

Gary Karney

Ray Kranz

Jon Loveberry

Bob McHolme

Marty Rawson

Lorene Youngs

From:

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Austin, Bobbie and Cleo Jay Wood
Jeff & Lisa Wood

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Dan & Judy Dobson

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Mary A. Ford
Connie Karney



Donations:

Carlene Calhoun

Donation to Friends of the Library:

Connie Harmon

“Paradise will
be a kind of
library”

Jorge

Paul

Sartre

The Quincy Branch Library memorial program

has been in place for a number of years which offers individuals the opportunity to give toward book purchases *In Memory of* someone special or *In Honor of* someone special or a special occasion.

Checks to the **Quincy Library Foundation** can be mailed to 11 N. Main Street, Quincy, MI 49082 with information containing the individual's name and who the gift is from. Please provide a name and address of a family member and the library will send a notification card to the family indicating that a gift has been given in their loved one's name.

New books are purchased for the library collection according to need, but we gladly welcome subject matters or titles also that reflect the person in whose name the gift is being given. Book plaques are added inside the book front cover before being displayed on library shelves.

Gifts can also be designated to our Project Fund, which is used for library building needs. Previous projects have supported new lighting, a book drop and shelving.

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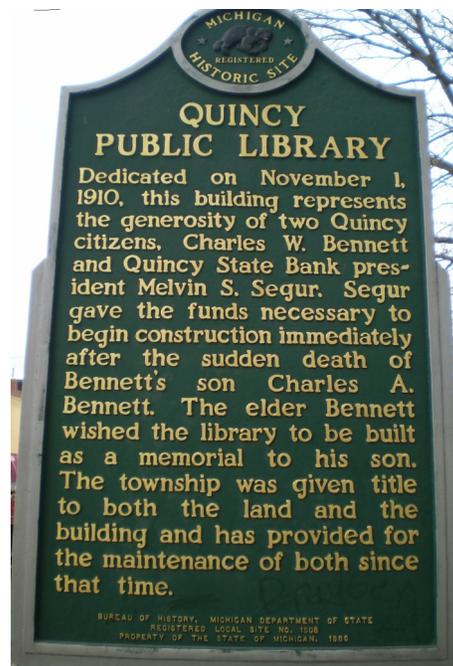
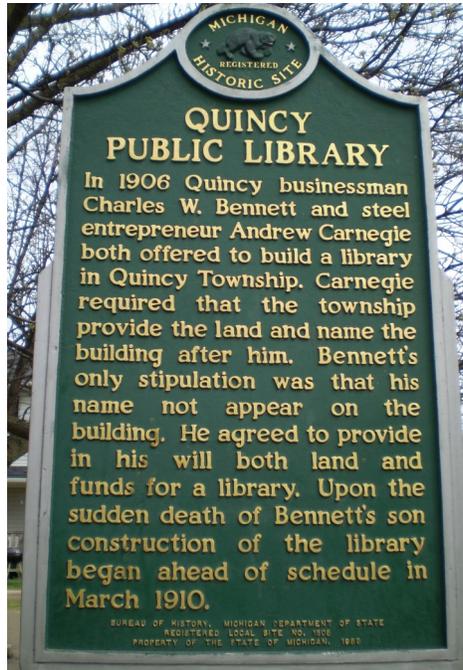
A Look Back...

Ladies Library Association of Quincy

In 1898, Miss Frey, a teacher in the public schools, suggested the idea which resulted in the organization of the Ladies' Library Association. In January 1898, the ladies of the village held a social at which each one contributed one volume for the nucleus of the library, then members, who numbered about seventy-five for a time, contributed an annual due of fifty cents. A small amount is also derived from the five-cent fee charged each outsider who took a book.

There is no question of the success of the association's efforts. In almost every case the numerous Carnegie and other public libraries of the country started from the nucleus established by a local association similar to that in Quincy. Room for the books was first furnished by Mr. W.J.H. Lockerby, they were next kept for a time in rented quarters, until the State Bank donated a room in the rear of their building.

And then...



Here is a listing of all of the librarians who have served us faithfully through the years. Do you remember?

Mrs. Maude Barnes	1912-1920
Mrs. Belle Dove	1920-1934
Mrs. Elva Lytle	1934-1936
Mrs. Kate Clark	1936-1939
Mrs. Clara Johnson	1939-1941
Mrs. Lucille Greening	1941-1943
Mrs. Gladys Van Wert	1943-1945
Mrs. Blanche Omo	1945-1946
Mrs. Ella Walsh	1946-1953
Mrs. Theresa Armstrong	1953-1959
Mrs. Cora Talant	1959-1968
Mrs. Beryl Zuercher	1968-Pro-tem
Mrs. Dorothy Catey	1968-Pro-tem
Mrs. Shirley Tappenden	1968-1974
Mrs. Dorothy Marshall	1974-1982
Mrs. Shirley Tappenden	1982-1990
Mrs. Linda Johnson	1990-1997
Mrs. Kathy Veysey	1997-2000
Mrs. Sue May	2000-2001
Mrs. Lisa Wood	2001-present

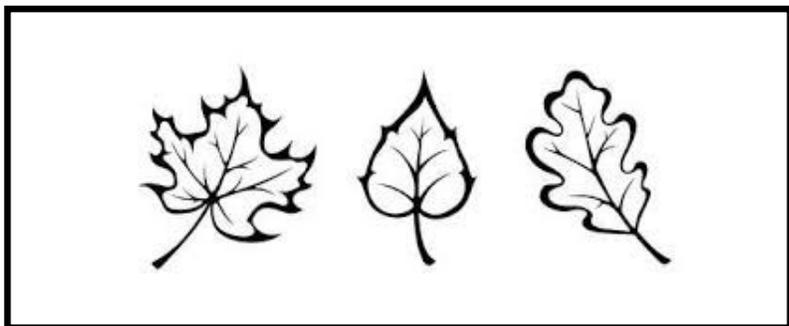


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Trees Word Search



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|-----------|------------|----------|
| Alder | Cottonwood | Pine |
| Apple | Cypress | Poplar |
| Ash | Dogwood | Redwood |
| Aspen | Elm | Sequoia |
| Birch | Fir | Spruce |
| Buckthorn | Hawthorn | Sweetgum |
| Cedar | Hazel | Sycamore |
| Cherry | Larch | Walnut |
| Chestnut | Maple | Willow |
| Chinkapin | Oak | Yew |



End of the year word search



Remember — November 1st!



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|------------|-----------------|-----------|---------------|
| snow cones | water guns | trip | beach ball |
| fireworks | waterpark | camping | sunscreen |
| sunburn | air conditioner | party | hot |
| clear sky | swimsuit | sand | water |
| watermelon | fun | sandals | beach |
| sun | napping | no school | relax |
| movies | outdoors | hot dogs | swimming pool |
| vacations | summer | | |

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Quincy Branch Library Staff:

Branch Manager—Lisa L. Wood
Clerk—Renee Hardy



ANNUAL FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Friends of the Library invite you to renew or begin your membership at any time, though membership typically begins January of each year. Please complete the information below, enclose a check payable to: *Friends of the Quincy Library*. Mail to the library or to: Teddy Sinclair, 490 Clarendon Rd., Quincy, MI 49082. The Friends of the Library are responsible for the continuance of the newsletter and assisting with many of the library's programs.

Name _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Membership: \$5.00

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