

QUARRYVILLE LIBRARY CENTER

Serving all of Southern Lancaster County and beyond!

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Dear Friend,

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"Whatever the cost of our libraries, the price is cheap compared to that of an ignorant nation."

> – Walter Cronkite

You have done amazing things this past year! Here are just a few examples of what your generosity has provided:

- Free access to books, movies, local museums, and fun & educational programs for all ages.
- A caring community center: A young library patron was overheard saying, "I've been to a lot of libraries and this one is the best!"
- **Support for parents:** A mother told the library staff that reading some picture books about visiting the dentist with her young children made them all laugh and helped their dentist appointment go smoothly.
- Internet and printing access: A library patron was doing some paperwork for her job when her internet gave out. She used a library computer to finish her work and called your library "a lifesaver"!

You accomplish all this and more when you make a generous gift to support your library. Support from state and local governments only make up 30% of library funding: you are the one who keeps the library doors open! But the building is now 21 years old and needs some major repairs, including a new roof, electrical and HVAC updates, and more. Please consider donating today to not only fund book purchases and programs, but also to help cover the costs of these repairs. Donations can be made by returning the enclosed envelope or donating online, either through the library's website or during the November 18 ExtraGive.

Thank you!

Susan Eshleman, Director, Chris Waite, Board President, and the Library Board of Trustees

## P.S. By helping your library, you are helping your community!