

Red Jacket Community Library

chartered to serve the Manchester—Shortsville Central School District

1998—2008
Celebrating 10
years of serving the
Manchester—
Shortsville Area

ANNUAL REPORT 2008

Red Jacket Community Library's Mission Statement

The Red Jacket Community Library shall provide access to information of interest to all, in an atmosphere that encourages reading and learning. The Library will provide citizens with a space for community meetings and social activities, compatible with library programs and schedules.

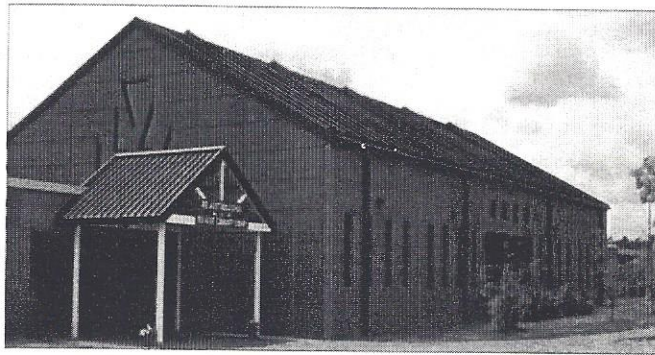
Director's Letter

I am pleased to share the highlights of 2007 in this report.

Red Jacket Community Library continues to work towards being a hub of local activity, learning and entertainment.

Parent support groups, the Citizens Hose Company Auxiliary, the Shortsville-Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce, RJ Junior Hoops and RJ Junior Baseball, and local Girl Scout troop leaders were but a few of the more than 30 organizations that used the library facilities to share information, hold classes or provide services.

Grants from a variety of sources



and donations from individuals, families and area businesses made it possible to offer a full spectrum of programs to toddlers through senior citizens and everyone in between. Card making workshops, travelogues, book discussions, music concerts, and film festivals represent the wide range

of offerings that entertained and informed.

The Friends of the Red Jacket Community Library, a group of library supporters, provided funds for the baby changing station in the restroom, a digital camera and underwriting for the Poetry Contest, the Summer Reading Program and the many film series offered free of charge during the year.

Thank you to all who did so much to make 2007 a great year for Red Jacket Community Library.

-Andrea Tillinghast-Thompson

2008 Summer Concert Series at the Manchester Bandstand

In 2008, for the first time ever, your Red Jacket Community Library is coordinating a series of free public summer concerts on Wednesday evenings in July at the Village of Manchester's bandstand. (Rain location: Village of Manchester Fire Hall). Red Jacket Community Library and the Village of Manchester are supported in part with public funds from the New York State Council on the Arts Decentralization Program, which is administered locally by Phelps Historical Society & Phelps Arts Center.

Schedule:

July 2—Paulsen, Baker and Garvey (folk)

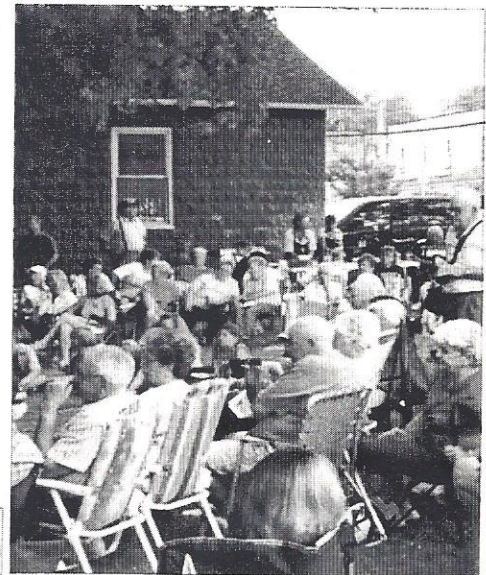
July 9—Don Newcomb & Rawhide (traditional country)

July 16—The Music Makers (big band)

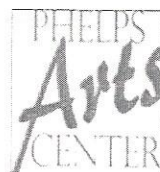
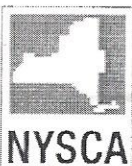
July 23—Grupo Calle Uno (Latin salsa & merengue)

July 30—The Dady Brothers (Irish)

All performances start at 7PM and finish by 9 PM.



A typical Summer Concert night at the Village of Manchester bandstand.



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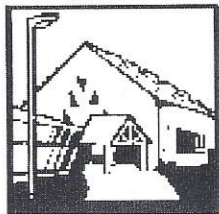
Just imagine . . . a place where you can find all the new movies and books, a place where you can use the internet, a place where you can take part in all sorts of programs, a place to just hang out in town. . .



It's not a dream . . . it's your Library!



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Sources of Operating Funds—2007*

*figures based on funds received and spent in 2007 as reported in the New York State Annual Report for Public and Association Libraries.

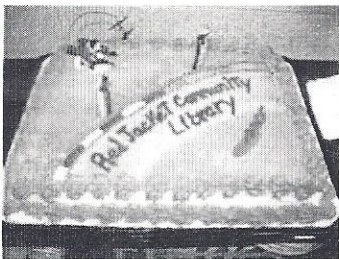
Manchester—Shortsville CSD	\$115,500
Local Library Services Aid	\$1,875
Local System Services Aid	\$155
Fines	\$2,486
Gifts & Memorials	\$3,744
Pioneer Library System Grants	\$4,486
Interest	\$4,459
Other	<u>\$8,036</u>
Total	\$140,741

Expenditures—2007*

Personnel	\$65,937
Employee Benefits	\$17,165
Library Materials	\$14,854
Building Operation/Insurance	\$3,410
Supplies/Postage/Office	\$5,523
Telecommunications/Automation	\$5,864
Programs	\$3,607
Advertising	\$2,511
Legal/Accounting	\$1,250
Misc.	<u>\$20,620</u>
Total	\$140,741

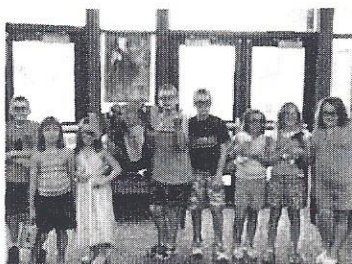
SOMETHING NEW

Have you noticed the Library's webpage lately? Did you even know the Library has a webpage? Well, we do. You can access it at www.redjacket.pls-net.org. There you will find basic information on the library and what we have to offer. There's a link



to our catalog which shows what movies, books, and audiobooks we own. There's even Google calendar with full details about our upcoming events and programs. The webpage is an easy place to check out information on what's new at the Library, upcoming programs, books and

activities. You can find out which title was chosen for our monthly *Red Jacket Community Read* book discussion, what movie will be shown during our monthly *Tuesday Movie Thing (Teens Only)*, see what movie will be shown at our weekly *Great After School Movie*, find out what the theme is for the next *Preschool Story Time*, etc. Take a look next time you're online. See what we're up to!



Rochester band, *Grupo Calle Uno*, performed for a crowd of approximately 100 in the Library on January 9, 2007. See them at the Village of Manchester bandstand on Wednesday, July 23rd at 7PM.

2007 Red Jacket

Community Library

Sponsored Programs

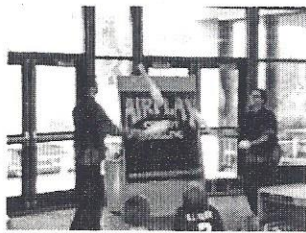
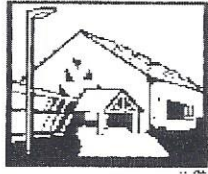
We had 96 Children's programs with 605 in attendance. There were 24 teen programs with 295 attendants. We held 69 Adult programs with 1,156 attendants.

2007 Library Services

Library Visits	29,972
Registered library users	4,025
Total materials checked-out	38,178
Reference Questions answered	3,920
Items borrowed from other libraries	545
Items loaned to other libraries	78

Library Collection Totals as of 12/31/07

9,251 Books
532 Audiobooks
1,118 Videos/DVDs
17 Magazine/Newspaper subscriptions



2007 MEMORIAL GIFTS

In Memory of Mary K. Boardman
Nancy Johnsen

In Memory of Edward Earl Warfield
Nancy Warfield Johnsen

In Memory of Cathy Cody
D. Jean Lang
Joan Handfield

In Memory of Paula Werth
Tina, Kristen, Jackie & Alyssa McWilliams

In Memory of Carl E. Johnsen, Jr.

- Margaret Vienna
- Richard Boardman
- Jimmy Rosmeiser
- Mark & Joyce Bradley
- Robert & Michelle Raeman
- George Group Consulting, L.P.
- David & Marie Moyer
- Rita & Larry Gurewicz
- Phil & Pat D'Arduini
- Pat & George Ayres
- Mary Schocken
- Lois Artlip
- Wilma Shaner
- Eileen & Jeffrey Wegman
- Norman Mordue
- Rosemary Tiffany
- Diane Mordue
- Donald Mordue
- Village of Manchester
- Nancy Boardman Randall
- The Ya Yas
- Dorothy Liberati
- William & Angela D'Arduini

School Year Hours

(September—June)

Monday

3—9 PM

Tuesday

3—9 PM

Wednesday

3—9 PM

Thursday

3—9 PM

Friday

3—7 PM

Saturday

10 AM—5 PM

Sunday

Closed

Board of Trustees:

Officers:

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Vice President

Arlene Reeves—

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Constance Zona—

Secretary

Trustees:

Nicole Coyne

Marilyn Hudson

Ranette Schaertl

Sally Schaertl

Myrna Southard

Mark Van Bortel

Library Director:

Andrea Tillinghast

Library Clerks:

Bernice "Bonnie" Curtis

Kathleen Honchen

Christina Ingalls

Patsy Olszewski



2008 Summer Reading Program:

"Catch the Reading Bug"

