## annual report

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At Frederick County Public Libraries (FCPL), our mission is to facilitate the public's freedom to explore, to invent, and to transform. We believe in connecting people to ideas and to one another by striving to meet the evolving needs of our patrons, while bridging the digital and print divide.

Each of our eight library branches provides public access to WiFi; unique indoor and outdoor spaces for gathering; quiet areas for studying; community and educational enrichment through programming and events; diverse print and digital collections.

During this past year, FCPL has experienced exciting new growth from the unveiling of our new logo and website to providing customers access to popular new online resources such as Rosetta Stone, Lynda.com, and Fold3 through Ancestry.com.

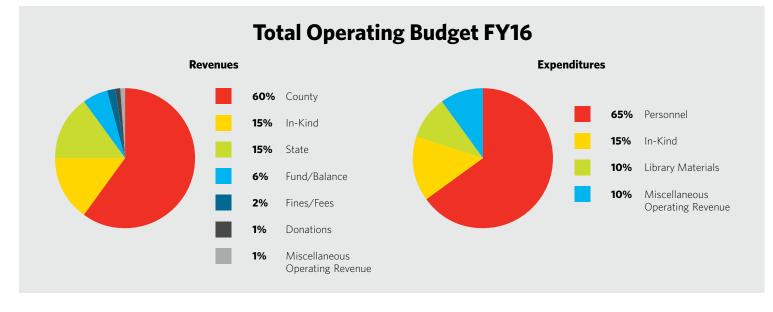
Additionally, our Summer Challenge Program set a record in community participation amongst not only patrons of all ages, but in the number of business and nonprofit partners who supported our initiative and worked to make it a success.

Frederick County is a dynamic and growing community. FCPL helps make Frederick County an attractive place to live, work, and play by providing evolving collections across many formats and high-quality customer service.

The accompanying annual report provides a snapshot of our exciting services and activities over the past year. FCPL continues to thrive, due to your loyal and continued support. On behalf of our FCPL staff and Board of Trustees, thank you for helping FCPL continue to be your trusted gathering place and informational resource.

**George J. Laugelli** Chair, FCPL Board of Trustees **Darrell Batson** Director, FCPL

FCPL.ORG BOOKMARKS WINTER 2017





New Library Cards Issued



**Total Circulation** 



Total = 2,829,482

**Total Registered Patrons** 



Total = 687,134

Total = 9,179

Library Visits | Virtual Branch Visits

🔲 = 25,000 visits

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#### **Total Hours of Computer Usage**

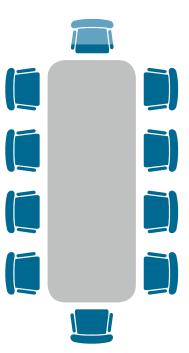


Wifi Usage (users)

奈 = 125,000 users



**Total = 114,832** 



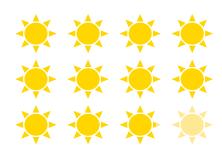
**Total Meeting Room Events = 1,551** 

**Total Attendance = 24,249** 

Library Volunteer Hours



Summer Reading Program Attendance



Total = 10,932

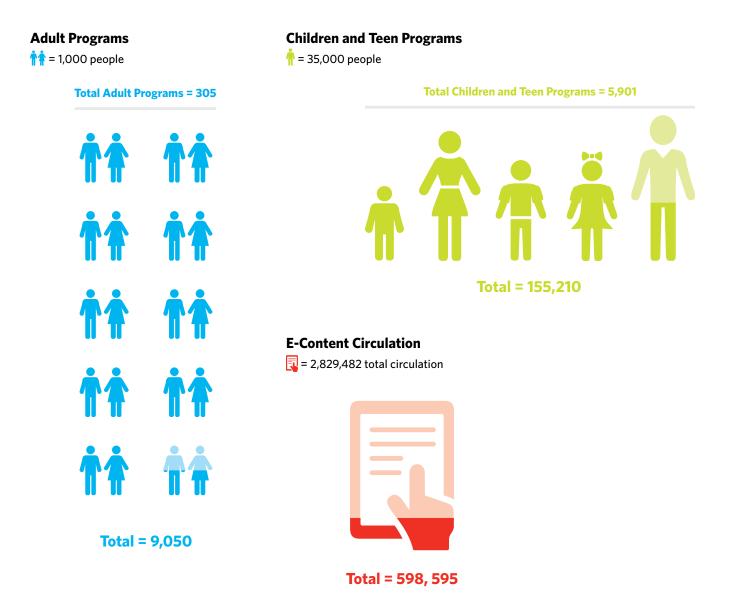
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**Meeting Room Events** 

**a** = 2,500 people



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