

What's in the collection?



16 million

Items available through SearchOhio



16,483 new items were added to the library's collection in 2018

The Mission of the Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library is to provide excellence in library service to all who seek access to information and recreational, educational, and cultural materials of any format. It also aims to promote the well-being of the community through programs and cooperative efforts with other community agencies, public and private.

The Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library will help create a community where ideas, culture, and knowledge thrive by providing materials, equipment and services to all people.



How do the Friends of the Library and the Library Foundation help advance the library's mission?



In 2018 **The Friends of the Stow-Munroe Falls Public Library** provided over **\$23,883** of additional funding for Children's, Teen, and Adult Programs. Most of the money was raised through the sale of donated books and puzzles.



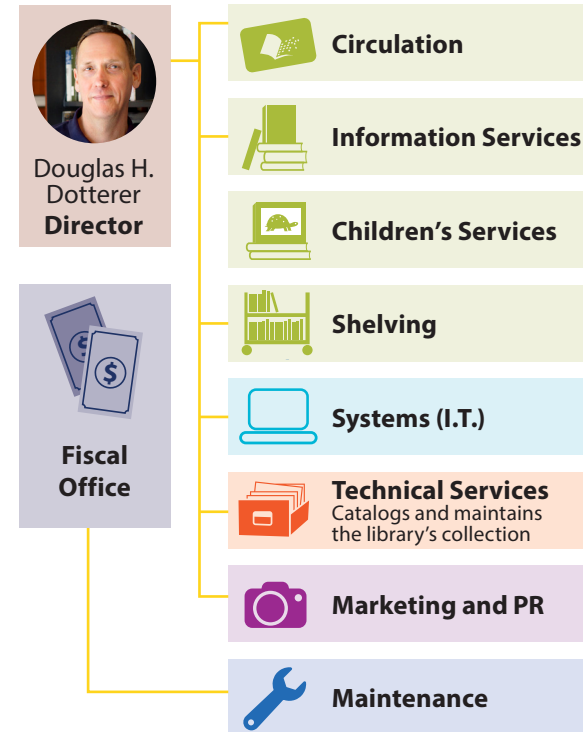
The Stow-Munroe Falls Library Foundation has raised more than **\$164,000** over the last twelve years through their Dessert Extravaganza fundraiser. These funds have been used for significant projects that enhance the mission of the library.

Who does it take to run the library?

Meet the Board of Trustees

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Meet the Departments



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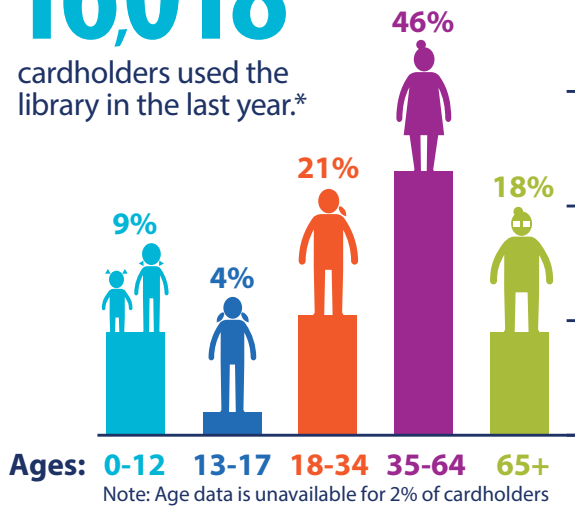


People in 2 out of 5 households in Stow and Munroe Falls have used the library in the last year.*

Who uses the library?

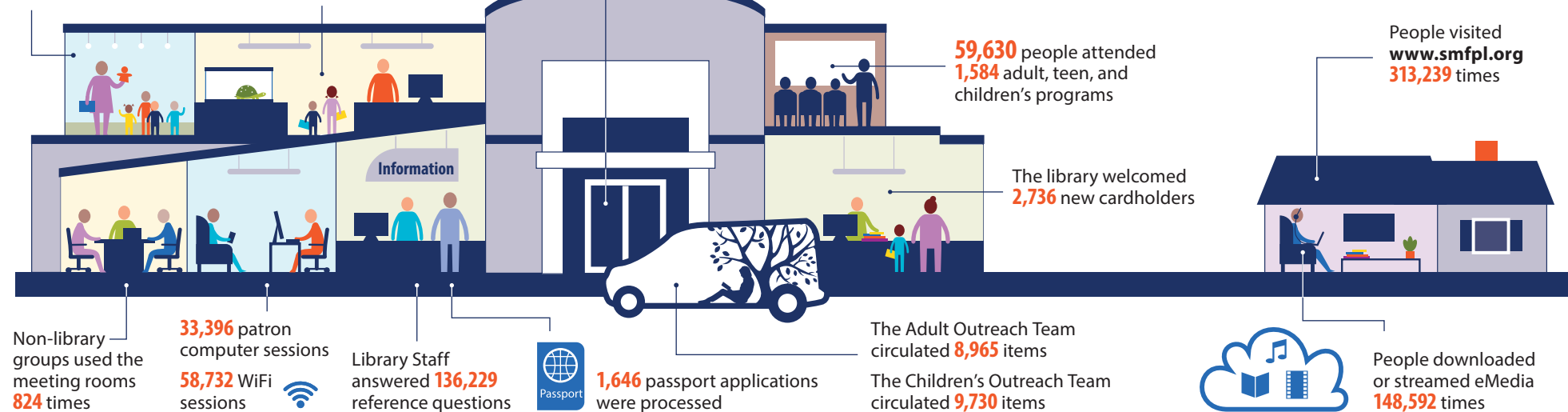
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cardholders used the library in the last year.*



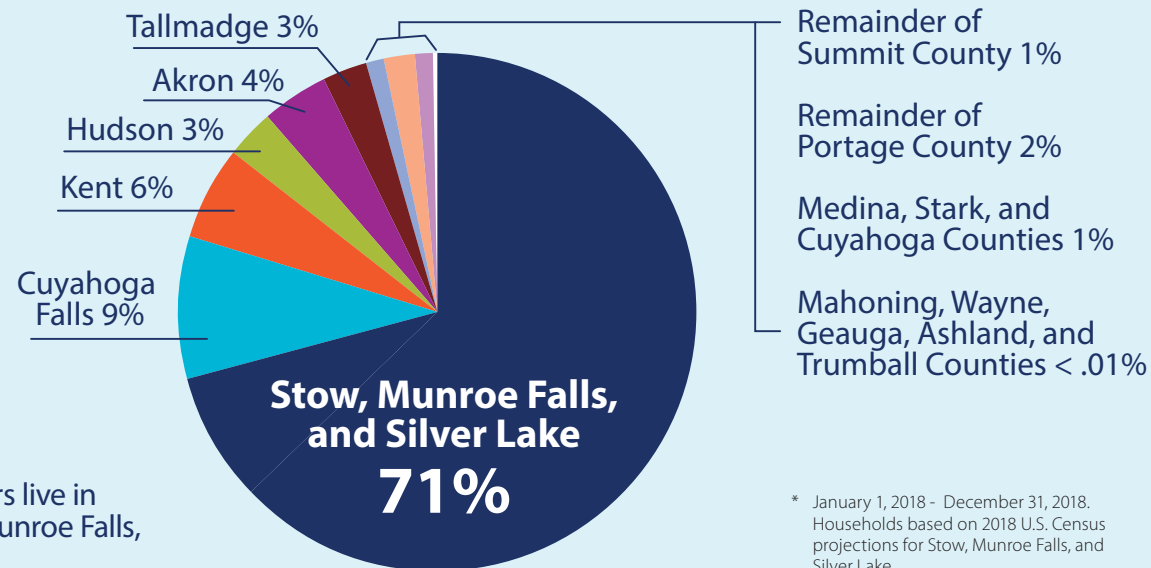
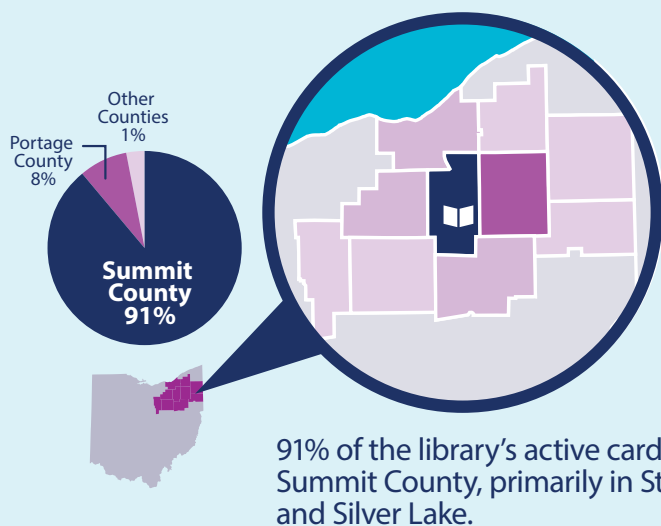
How do people use the library?*

9,134 people attended Story Times
2,399 children participated in the 2018 Summer Reading Program



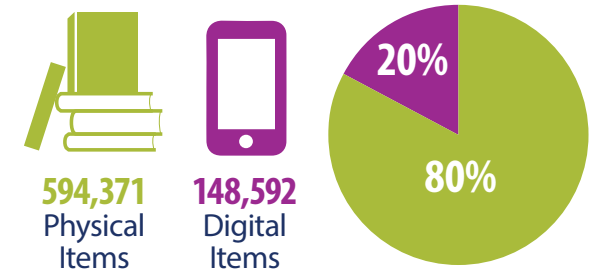
The library had **250,462** visitors in 2018
700 people walked through the doors every day

Where do active cardholders live?*



742,963 items were borrowed in 2018, which is an average of **46 items** for each active cardholder.

What was checked out?*



* January 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018. Households based on 2018 U.S. Census projections for Stow, Munroe Falls, and Silver Lake.