



Spring 2026

Dear Friend,

Fifteen years ago, our community opened the doors to a beautiful new library and a whole new story. Babies, kids, teens, and adults gather in the library's bright, airy spaces to share stories and songs, craft, learn new things, and try novel technologies. Friendships are cultivated, readers are encouraged, and information advances people's lives.

Please consider a tax-deductible gift to The Friends of Mendon Public Library's "Unearth A Story Annual Appeal." Your generosity will help us create new and wonderful stories. We ask that you also consider becoming a member of our new Endowment Initiative with the Rochester Area Community Foundation (additional note enclosed).

You were essential to the library building project, and your help contributes every single day to furthering the library's mission. The Friends remain committed to providing free, inclusive programming for all and offering enhancements to make the library even more attractive and engaging. Our deepest wish is that the library remain a vibrant, sustainable community resource for generations to come.

We hope you'll join us during a week of anniversary festivities at the library beginning June 22—details forthcoming!

Thank you for allowing us to share our story and for considering how you can contribute to the new stories unearthed at Mendon Public Library.

Sincerely,

Mary Church (President)

Linda-Ann Goodrum (Vice President)

Charlene Fisk (Treasurer)

The Friends of Mendon Public Library

Yes, I want to support The Friends and stories of the future with a gift for the 2026 Annual Appeal.

Name: _____ Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ Gift Amount: _____

Kindly direct my gift toward: ☐ Programming ☐ Enhancements ☐ Support of Long-Term Goals

Give online at **mendonlibrary.org** or return this form with a check payable to **The Friends of Mendon Public Library** in the enclosed envelope to:

Friends of the Mendon Public Library
P.O. Box 425
Honeoye Falls, NY 14472



*"We need to unearth the old stories that live in a place and begin to create new ones,
for we are storymakers, not just storytellers." — Robin Wall Kimmerer*