



# THE NEXT CHAPTER

The Campaign for a New Pike County Public Library

Winter 2021

GARNET A. WILSON PUBLIC LIBRARY

## OPERATION: FILL A STOCKING

HELP BRING SMILES TO THE  
CHILDREN OF PIKE COUNTY.

ACCEPTING DONATIONS AT ALL FOUR LIBRARY  
LOCATIONS UNTIL DECEMBER 3RD.

ITEMS FOR DONATIONS:

- NON-PERISHABLE SNACKS
- SMALL TOYS AND TRINKETS SUCH AS PLAY DOUGH, STICKERS, COLORING BOOKS AND CRAYONS, AND SMALL STUFFED ANIMALS.
- GLOVES AND HATS
- CANDY CANES AND CHRISTMAS CANDY

QUESTIONS? CALL ERIN-FAITH AT  
(740) 947-4921

*Garnet A. Wilson Public Library, 207 N. Market St., Waverly, Ohio 45690*

## A CAMPAIGN UPDATE...

The campaign to build a new main library in Waverly began approximately six years ago. Since then, we have gotten donations and pledges and support totaling over \$1.1M from individuals and businesses, eager to help make the dream of a new main library a reality. And to all of those who have supported us monetarily or in encouragement or both, we extend our deepest gratitude! The economic situation over the past two years has made fundraising challenging, but rest assured we are still going strong! We continue to explore and approach funding opportunities and partnerships that can make our new facility a reality! Libraries create...create community comradery and cooperation, opportunities for learning and fun, life enhancing personal development, and a general pride in hometowns by wishing success for neighbors and friends. In addition, libraries help others create dreams, goals, critical thinking skills, and bonds within and outside of the community. We strive to fulfill our mission of *Educate. Inspire. Enjoy.* and we can more effectively serve our purpose to our community in a new facility, specifically designed to be a library. So far, the campaign total for gifts/pledges and Foundation donations has reached **\$1,144,839.82**, an impressive amount! We still have many naming opportunities available. Donations can be made directly to the library, and also to the Pike County Library Foundation, Inc., a 501 (c)(3) organization. If you are interested in making a donation towards The Next Chapter and our new main library facility, please contact Jennifer Wright at 740-947-4921 or [jwright@seolibraries.org](mailto:jwright@seolibraries.org) for more information. Or to make a donation online, visit [www.pikecountylibrary.org/donate](http://www.pikecountylibrary.org/donate).



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