

## KEOKUK PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION

<http://www.keokuk.lib.ia.us/support-our-library>

The Keokuk Public Library Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that was formed in 1987, to encourage private giving to the Keokuk Public Library.

Here are some of the things that the Foundation did for us in 2010/2011!

- Paid for one-year subscriptions to three new online databases from EBSCO: *Auto Repair Reference Center*, *Small Engine Repair Reference Center*, and *Home Improvement Reference Center*.
- Paid for 7 staff members to attend part of the Iowa Library Association conference, and for one staff member to attend the Kids First Conference.
- Paid fees for free library programs on subjects like Mark Twain, Railroads, and Edgar Allan Poe; paid for Babaloo for the Summer Reading Program; purchased popcorn for free movie nights; and prize incentives for our first Winter Reading Program.



Dave Ehlert as Mark Twain, 2011

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## Keokuk Public Library

### Annual Report

7/1/2010 - 6/30/2011



*Serving the City of Keokuk, Iowa  
since 1894*

### **Keokuk Public Library**

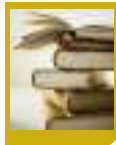
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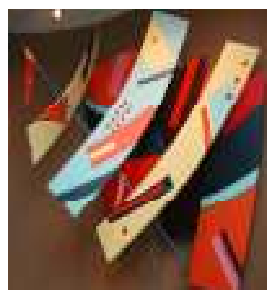
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### LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Linda Sue Mullen	President	2nd term ends 7/1/2013
Martha Marsot	Vice-President	1st term ends 7/1/2012
Barb Smidt	Treasurer	2nd term ends 7/1/2017
Ed Bazow	Trustee	1st term ends 7/1/2017
Clinton Boddicker	Trustee	1st term ends 7/1/2012
Jeanne Caropreso	Trustee	2nd term ends 7/1/2012
Buddy Howard	Trustee	Fulfilling term ends 2013
Sue Olson	Trustee	1st term ends 7/1/2013
Mike Woodring	Trustee	2nd term ends 7/1/2017



### LIBRARY STAFF

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## NEW In 2011: Reference Centers!

### NEW COLLECTIONS AND SERVICES



Thanks to the Keokuk Public Library Foundation and many generous donors, we have three new fully-searchable databases to offer the public!

- ◆ Auto Repair Reference Center
- ◆ Small Engine Repair Reference Center
- ◆ Home Improvement Reference Center

**“Do it Yourself” with EBSCO databases:**

<http://search.epnet.com>  
 UserID: keokukr  
 Password: remote

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like...

- ◆ an eBook Reader, or
- ◆ an MP3 player

...so I can download eBooks & audiobooks from WILBOR and the Keokuk Public Library!

P.S.—I could also use a laptop with the library’s wireless... :)



**WILBOR**  
 downloadable  
 eBooks  
 will work with  
**Amazon’s Kindle**  
 at the end of 2011!



## LIBRARY COLLECTIONS

### Books:

Picture books, Juvenile books, Young Adult books, and TumbleBooks (online eBooks for children).  
Fiction, Non-Fiction, Large Print books, and Audiobooks  
WILBOR Downloadable Audiobooks & eBooks

Genealogy & Local History

Cake Pan Collection

Microfilm (with Keokuk newspapers dating back to 1849)

Music CDs

On-line Reference Databases:

*Ancestry, Auto Repair, EBSCOhost, HeritageQuest, Home Improvement, Small Engine Repair, Tell Me More, & World Trade Press.*

Periodicals

Videos (VHS & DVD)

## LIBRARY SERVICES AVAILABLE

- Photocopy, print, fax, scan, and lamination
- Inter-Library Loan (ILL)
- Community meeting space
- Displays and exhibits
- ICN distance education
- Exam proctoring
- Internet access, including wi-fi
- Programs for all ages, and free computer classes, etc.
- Reference (directions, homework help, genealogy help, on-line database access, etc.)



Santa visits the library, 2010



## WINTER HOURS (SEPT—MAY)

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM  
Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
Saturday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

## SUMMER HOURS (JUNE—AUGUST)

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM  
Friday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
Saturday 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

## BOARD COMMITTEES

Administration & Intellectual Freedom	Clinton Boddicker, Chair Buddy Howard Ed Bazow Martha Marsot
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### STATISTICS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011

**Library Visits** 94,169

**Hours Open Weekly** 58

**Days Open** 297



**Items Borrowed** 90,398  
*(3,458 more than last year!)*



**Books Downloaded** 3,595  
*(2,678 more than last year!)*



**Items Added to the Collection** 4,887  
*(737 more than last year!)*

#### Inter-Library Loans:

Items Borrowed from Other Libraries 559

Items Provided to Other Libraries 147

**Reference Questions Answered** 19,214

**Public Meetings** 554



#### Library Card Registration

New Members Registered 764

Total # of Cardholders 11,835

*(674 more than last year!)*



**Website Traffic** 22,716

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Duffy Hudson as Edgar Allan Poe

### STATISTICS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011



#### Library Programs/Tours

# Child Programs 109

# Young Adult Programs 43

# Adult Programs 27



#### Program Attendance

2,836

#### Summer Reading Program Participants

242

#### Free Computer Classes

24

Class Attendance 72

#### Computer Users (does not include wireless)

17,036

#### Database Searches

**6,977**

Ancestry.com 4,273

EBSCOhost 718

HeritageQuest 1,532

NewsBank 337

Tell Me More (languages) 30

World Trade Press (travel) 87

#### Spent on Building & Grounds Maintenance

From City of Keokuk funds

From Lee County funds

From KPL Foundation



Summer Reading Program 2011: The Magic of Rick Eugene!