

12th Inspiration Celebration 2021 Results

At Lillie M. Evans Library District on Wednesday, September 29, 2021 5-7pm

Attendance from LME Library Staff: Beth, Anita, Kate, Autumn, Ruthie, Harold, Lorrie, and Josie. Attendance from LME Library Board: Gayle, Diane, Zach, Deb and Randy. Ellen and Teresa were absent.

What would make our library collection better?	Category	Budget impact-est.
Keep some magazines for patrons to read in the library	Collection	\$600
Add some browsable online magazines for popular viewing <i>and</i> a searchable magazine database	Collection	\$3,000

What would make our services better?	Category	Budget impact-est.
Make it easier to find recommended items in the new section - bookmarks from staff?	Service	minimal
Advertise our hours on magnets to give out – with pockets for checkout slips if possible	Service	\$200
Collaborate with Village/PCA to produce a brochure with map village (street names clearly marked) to hand out to patrons and residents	Service	minimal
Do-it-yourself gift wrapping station for the holidays	Service	minimal

What would make our facility better?	Category	Budget impact-est.
Spot lights pointing at display case in adult section	Facilities	\$2,000
Add outdoor lighted sign with scrolling info	Facility	\$40,000
Provide a large map of the library at the front so that people can see the layout of the building.	Facility	minimal
Replace art display boards with something that is more attractive and easier to store	Facility	\$10,000

What areas should we fix?	Category	Budget impact-est.
Sewage smells from bathrooms—change opening and closing routines to add flushing toilets and get auto sprayers for the bath areas	Facility	\$200
Purchase a dehumidifier for the basement to help with dampness	Facility	\$400

What are things that need to be changed?	Category	Budget impact-est.
Post monthly events calendar out at local businesses again	Service	minimal
Consider how new magazines are displayed—do we need red binders still?	Services	minimal
Adjust how books are returned for class visits—cart or basket?	Services	minimal