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Dear Friends of the Sinclairville Free Library,

This September, we proudly celebrated 25 years in our beautiful library building—a milestone that drew nearly 700 visitors through our doors during the Sinclairville History Fair. From face painting and Audubon Live Animal Encounter to honoring our history with a Certificate of Merit from the New York State Assembly, the day was a joyful reminder of what we can accomplish together.

But our work is far from over. The Sinclairville Free Library is more than books—it's a vibrant hub of learning, creativity, outreach, and local heritage. This year, we continued to:

- Grow our outreach with regular visits to The Homestead in Gerry and school partnerships with Cassadaga Valley Central School (CVCS), including library card signups and student field trips.
- Expand access to learning and creativity, offering programs like Learn to Fly Fish, Life Story Writing, poetry workshops, Family Nights, and new story hours.
- Preserve our local heritage through the digitization of historical documents, lovingly maintained by volunteers.
- Support staff and volunteers, with development meetings, training, and new team members who help bring our mission to life every day.
- Raise crucial funds through events like our chicken BBQ, raffles, painted rock sales, and the annual Book and Bake Sale.

Each initiative supports our strategic goals. Now, we turn to you, our loyal supporters and friends, to help us keep this momentum going. Your tax-deductible donation will ensure we can:

- Expand programs for children, teens, adults, and seniors
- Continue meaningful outreach across our community and through our local history digitization project
- Sustain a welcoming space for all who walk through our doors



Please consider making a donation today to support the next chapter of the Sinclairville Free Library. The school tax initiative provides for approximately 70% of the library budget. Your gift makes a difference in closing the gap. Let's continue building a stronger, more connected community through the power of our library.

Thank you for your support!

The Sinclairville Free Library Board of Directors.



Stop by the library to drop off your donation, visit us online, or mail in your contribution. Thank you for your generosity and support!

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