A summary of significant achievements, new services, and special programs and events.

AWARDS
- Trustee Marian Krupicka selected Darien 2016 Citizen of the Year
- Author Anne Groch won National India Excellence Award in Children’s Non-Fiction category for her second book, An African Painted Dog Without A Patch

ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH TECHNOLOGY
- Playaway Launchpads, pre-loaded learning tablets for children, funded by the IPPL Foundation
- Digital music equipment, including a keyboard, guitar, and software, funded by the IPPL Foundation
- Assistive vision equipment funded by the Darien Lions Club

FOSTERING LIFE-LONG LEARNING
- lynda.com, featuring thousands of online tutorials, added to database collection
- 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten program launched to encourage early literacy

ENHANCING THE COMMUNITY
- Better Together Summer Reading Challenge celebrated community strengths and created partnerships

AWARDS
- To the community for donating $12,136
- To the Friends of IPPL for donating $7,012.50
- To the IPPL Foundation for donating $3,440
- To the Darien Woman’s Club for donating $1,333
- To the Darien Lions Club for donating $500
- To the 265 volunteers who donated 5,470 hours

Thank you!

Facts and Figures*

WE OWN:
- 144,521 books
- 161,172 ebooks
- 24,823 DVDs and Blu-rays
- 13,362 streaming movies
- 11,400 music CDs
- 583,104 streaming music albums
- 71,546 audiobooks
- 45,096 downloadable audiobooks
- 495 playaways
- 545 console games

SUBSCRIPTIONS:
- 419 magazine/newspapers
- 97 almanac/dictionaries
- 61 online resource databases

We are also a member of SWAN online catalog, which provides access to more than eight million titles.

SERVING OUR COMMUNITY:
- 758,241 items checked out
- 434,221 people visited IPPL
- 925,737 visits to web info
- 104,702 questions answered
- 67,300 uses of ILL computers
- 877 programs and classes offered
- 25,677 people attended programs and classes
- 22,042 community members with library cards
- 1,736 items delivered to homebound cardholders

OPERATING EXPENDITURES $3,611,860
- Personnel $2,596,348
- Materials $488,675
- Building $265,500
- General Operations $152,462
- Technology $108,875

REVENUE $3,611,860
- Property Taxes $2,394,610
- Grants, gifts, interest, fines, fees, misc. $217,250

*unaudited figures

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