



Hingham Public Library

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Dear Library Friend,

This Thanksgiving letter brings you heartiest holiday wishes from the Hingham Public Library Trustees, Director Linda Harper, and the Library staff. Once more we're overwhelmed by your past generosity, as well as the community's enthusiasm for our programs. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts, and stand always ready to serve you in every way a library can.

Living in turbulent times, we're pleased to offer an oasis of caring, learning, and strength of purpose against the challenges of the contemporary world. When pondering what defines Hingham, we think of natural beauty, the harbor, the fine schools -- and the enrichment for everyone to be found at our outstanding library. How blessed we are to have this resource! You may simply come in and stay awhile, relax in our reading room, explore the historical collection, do research, or make use of computers. Many people find the library atmosphere conducive to serious study in preparation for important exams, projects, or pursuit of lifelong learning. For any need, an able and enthusiastic staff member is always near at hand.

We're aware of the Town's appreciation for the Library's work, and we ask once again for your financial help. To continue the educational programs, availability of electronic and audio-visual materials for loan, the cultural delights of our art galleries, music concerts and video offerings, we need your donations. As in past years, we offer a token of our deep appreciation: we'll place the names of those who contribute more than \$150 (by December 31, 2017) in a drawing for a \$200 gift certificate to a Hingham restaurant of your choice. The drawing will take place at a Trustees meeting on January 17, 2018.

With profound gratitude for all your past encouragement and support, the Library family sends you warmest wishes for a 2018 New Year full of good health, prosperity, and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

Edna English
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