CREATE A LIVING LEGACY

EVERGREEN LIBRARY NAMING OPPORTUNITIES

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CREATE A LIVING LEGACY BY CONTRIBUTING TO EVERGREEN LIBRARY

Make a gift that makes a difference. Support positive community outcomes in literacy, education, workforce development, economic development, digital literacy and lifelong learning.

“Our vision for the Evergreen Library Redesign Project is for an updated library that is welcoming to all, where the patron experience is one of absolute delight, and where residents feel respected and understood by the Library. We also want to align the redesign with our mission and vision of a 21st century library, while upgrading and modernizing resources, spaces, technology, mechanical, plumbing, and electrical systems in the building.”

—Donna Walker, Executive Director
# Evergreen Library at a Glance

- **Service Area Population**: 27,979
- **Library Visits**: 110,261
- **Items Borrowed**: 236,736
- **Library Programs**: 589
  - Early Literacy Story Times: 269
  - Other Programs: 320
- **Program Attendees**: 9,306
  - Story Time Participants: 4,613
  - Other Programs Participants: 4,693
- **Summer Challenge Participants**: 1,800
- **Study Room Use**: 2,371
- **Meeting Room Use**: 727

Based on 2022 Statistics.
A LIBRARY WORTHY OF EVERGREEN

Evergreen Library is nestled in an abundance of conifers and old-growth trees. Today, the town of Evergreen boasts an eclectic community and a rich cultural existence that includes local theater, arts, music, and fine dining. The town’s pristine jewel – Evergreen Lake – offers boating, paddleboarding, picnicking in the summer, ice skating in the winter and fishing year-round. The Lariat Loop Scenic Byway, Colorado’s only urban byway, is filled with cultural, natural and historic landmarks and beautiful mountain homes.

It is in this spirit of harmony between nature and place that we are redesigning Evergreen Library to enhance the space with views of nature, a focus on natural light, open sightlines and natural materials.

WARM. COZY. WELCOMING. COMFORTABLE. NATURAL.

Some things to look for in your newly remodeled Evergreen Library:

- Improved Entrance
- New Family Place™
- Flexible Meeting Spaces
- Accessibility
- Enclosed Study Rooms
- New Furniture
MAKE A GIFT THAT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

These large gifts create a better library for all. The newly reimagined area for kids and their families offers a safe and welcoming environment to connect, discover and create. These spaces are designed to promote early learning and are staffed with library professionals, all of whom work to help give our children their best launch for life.

**Children’s Area $10,000**
A 2,500-square-foot children’s area is where kids and families can develop early literacy skills in a fun and friendly environment. This space has been rethought to include flexible, moveable furniture, a fun interactive environment and better accessibility for our youngest patrons.

**Family Place™ $5,000**
Based on a model of comprehensive family-centered services, the Family Place Library is a community destination for early childhood information, parent education, early literacy, socialization and family support. The Evergreen Family Place™ Library is a center for the whole family to build lifelong reading habits and develop early literacy, a place where parental involvement and supportive communities play a critical role in getting kids ready for success.

**Story Time Area $5,000**
A Story Time space where children ages 0-5 can learn the skills they need to be ready to read when they enter kindergarten. This space has been moved near the Children’s Area and includes a nursing nook. We also help parents and caregivers learn how to reinforce important early learning skills at home, all in an atmosphere of imagination.
Teen Area $10,000
A designated 300-square-foot teen area gives teens access to age-appropriate resources and collaborative technology. Separated from the main library with a sound-dampening, flexible barrier, teens can be teens in a safe and welcoming environment.

Art Gallery Walls $3,000 each
Community, Teen and Children’s Art Walls
Each of our distinct art gallery walls is curated with art that is appropriate for each audience. The Teen Art Wall encourages budding artists at an important time in their creative exploration. The Children’s Art Wall engages and inspires our next generation of creative thinkers and problem solvers. And our Community Art Wall recognizes and celebrates the talent of our region.

NAMING YOUR GIFT
A gift to Jefferson County Public Library is a gift of access for all. Whether you want to give anonymously or give with recognition, we can help you create a legacy that impacts all generations in our community.

Named projects for up to $10,000 will be recognized for five years. Gifts $10,000 and above are acknowledged for ten years. At the end of the recognition period you will receive the first right of refusal. Recognition extends beyond signage into reports, websites, and social media.
In community input sessions, residents told us they want the Library to be more than just a collection of physical and digital resources. They’re looking for an inviting space where community members can connect and engage. This redesign provides dedicated spaces where area residents can come together. We’ve expanded the community meeting room and created flexibility to use the entire space for large meetings or divide the space to accommodate smaller groups. We’ll have an art wall where local artists can display their works. We’ve also increased the number of study rooms to three.

**Meeting Room $5,000**

With nearly 1,000-square-feet, this flexible community meeting room area can be closed off to create two smaller meeting rooms as needed. Upgraded technology will accommodate virtual meetings and swaths of natural light make this a great place to meet, collaborate and enjoy.

**Technology Access Center $7,000**

A designated area with access to public computers, laptops, software, as well as technology and tools to support business processes such as printing, copying, scanning and faxing. Our Library always includes free WiFi internet access. The modern Library connects us to the digital tools our community needs to compete.
**Study Room(s) $3,000 - $5,000**
We now have two smaller private study areas with collaborative technology for up to four people. Our larger study room can accommodate up to six people for larger group settings.

**Quiet Reading Area $10,000**
A truly unique space for the Evergreen Library. This designated quiet area for reading, study and reflection boasts a cozy fireplace and comfortable furniture to encourage residents to curl up with a good book.

**The Hearth $10,000**
The hearth is cherished as a quiet space for reflection and reading. As the focal point of the quiet area, the fireplace creates an ambiance of tranquility desired by the Evergreen community.

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**WISH LIST OPPORTUNITIES**

While the reimagined Evergreen Library will be amazing, our budget didn’t allow for everything on our wish list. Evergreen residents love the outdoors! The new design brings natural light and natural material into the library, but we need your help to bring the library outside of the walls. Consider a donation to create beautiful outdoor spaces.

**Outdoor Adventure Space $500,000**
An outdoor, exploratory environment where children and families can engage in unstructured play.

**Reading Deck $100,000**
Reading areas on outdoor decks give residents a chance to read, chat or enjoy the fresh air and sunshine. The casual space encourages gathering in a safe and welcoming environment.
EVERGREEN LIBRARY
FLOOR PLAN

1. Children's Area
2. Children's Art Wall
3. Family Place™
4. Story Time Area
5. Quiet Reading Area
6. The Hearth
7. Teen Area
8. Teen Art Wall
9. Community Art Wall
10. Meeting Room
11. Large Study Room
12. Small Study Room(s)
13. Technology Access Center
14. Outdoor Adventure Space
15. Outdoor Reading Deck

WISH LIST OPPORTUNITIES
Though modest in dollar amount, these smaller gifts help us make the library more useful and reach more people. Your gift makes a difference in the quality of our library services.

**GIFTS OF $1,000 - $3,000**

**Audio Visual Support for Children’s Area** $3,000
A display monitor and system to support Story Times and promoting other children’s programs and activities.

**Collaborative Technology for Study Room(s)** $2,000
Display monitors and systems to support shared learning.

**Public Access Computer(s)** $1,000
Public access computers for patron use in the adult and teen areas.

**Children’s Computer(s)** $1,000
Early Literacy work stations in the Children’s area to promote online access to engaging educational content for our youngest patrons.

**Service Kiosk(s)** $1,000
Self-service kiosks that enable efficient checkout of Library materials.

**Bike Rack(s)** $1,000
Secure bike racks outside the entrance to the Library.

**Bench(es)** $1,000
Convenient outdoor resting places near the Library’s entrance.

**NAMING**
Name recognition opportunities are offered based on the donation amount and terms of the gift. All named donors receive the first right of refusal to renew their gift at the end of the term. Recognition comes in the form of signage, websites, social media, and official JCPL and JCPL Library Foundation annual reports.
MAKE A GIFT TODAY

Additional investments from generous donors help Jefferson County Public Library offer even more. You make the Library better for all.

Individual donations are always welcome. Every little bit counts. Donations ranging from $100 to $999 will be recognized on the Evergreen Library’s donor sign and in the Library’s and Library Foundation’s annual reports.

Interested in a conversation about your gift? These things are often best over a cup of coffee. So, let’s talk!

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HOW TO GIVE

Donations are available online.

Select Evergreen Library from the drop-down menu under “Where do you want your donation directed?”

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