



SOUTHERN ADIRONDACK
LIBRARY SYSTEM

2018 Year in Review



Continuing Education/Consulting/Outreach

- Polaris Training
- Community Change Agents
- NY Outreach Conference
- Library Moonwalk
- Budgeting 101
- Talking Book & Braille Library
- Pre-Diabetes Coalition
- Director Orientation
- Strategic Planning
- Trustee Training
- Libraries Mean Business
- How to Create an Escape Room
- Adult Program Swap
- Poverty/Food Insecurity
- Held 96 sessions for 959 attendees



Joint Automation

- Purchased 280 computers
- Configured 112 computers
- Answered 2,138 support calls
- Managed 597 Polaris accounts



Delivery & Interlibrary Loan Services

- 148 weekly delivery stops
- Total ILL activity: 459,437 (down 0.3% from 2017)



Technology

- 183,455 OverDrive Checkouts (up 16% from 2017)
- 206,396 Public PC uses (down 23% from 2017)
- 258,047 WiFi sessions (up 4% from 2017)



SALS Member Stats

- Circulation per capita: 9.32 (down 3% from 2017)
- Physical visits: 1,990,213 (down 4% from 2017)
- Programs: 11,769 (up 13% from 2017)
- Program Attendance: 193,566 (up 4% from 2017)
- Registered Borrowers: 190,040 (up 3% from 2017)