



Irvin L. Young Memorial Library

MISSION STATEMENT

The Irvin L. Young Memorial Library will foster a sense of community and be a center for resources, information and creativity for all people in the Whitewater area.

2016 OBJECTIVES

- **Expand the size of the current facility**
 - Continue investigating funding options for the proposed library building expansion.

TRUSTEE GOALS

The Irvin L. Young Memorial Library Board of Trustees seeks to:

- **Educate, inform, and promote library services to the community**
- **Increase understanding of the role of a trustee**

2016 OBJECTIVES

- **Educate, inform, and promote library services to the community**
 - Review the monthly library event calendar that is sent by email and attend events that match individual interests and/or schedules.
 - Be prepared to talk about new services and events at the library that are learned about at board meetings with community members
- **Increase understanding of the role of a trustee**
 - Review a chapter of Trustee Essentials: A Handbook for Wisconsin Public Library Trustees at each regular meeting
 - When possible, attend trustee-related educational opportunities

STAFF GOALS

- **Increase community awareness and use of library resources**
- **Continue to provide a high-quality library staff**



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- **Increase library programming for all ages**

2016 OBJECTIVES

- **Increase community awareness and use of library resources**
 - Coordinate with the school district to offer library card sign-up at school registration in August
 - Explore other options for remote library card sign-up in the community
 - Continue to work in conjunction with the Whitewater Leads group in promoting literacy events in the community
 - Continue to develop emerging community partnerships with Whitewater Unified School District, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater, and others.
- **Continue to provide a high-quality library staff**
 - Each staff member will participate in at least one continuing education opportunity during the year
- **Increase library programming for all ages**
 - Provide three events in collaboration with the Whitewater Maker Space
 - Provide at least one opportunity to participate in the Hour of Code.