

Naples Library Board and Budget

Library Candidates (Vote for Three)



Douglas Cochrane

District Resident: 22 years

Education: Grade School @ St. Marks & High School @ Canisius High in Buffalo, NY, Bachelor in Business in Marketing at University of Notre Dame, 1970, Masters of Special Education, D'Youville College, 1999

Profession: Special Education teacher with WFL Boces at the Red Jacket Education Center from 2000-2021. Currently Retired.

Community Involvement/Activities: None

Family: Born & raised in Buffalo, NY. I have 2 brothers and 2 sisters. Married to Patricia. We have 4 children and 15 grandchildren.

Personal Statement:

My earliest memories of a library is using the Fairfield branch in Buffalo as a student getting materials for school projects. We summered in Port Colborne Ontario and used the local library for our "mandatory" daily hour of summer reading. As a middle school teacher, we had a daily picture book read and discussion and the OWWL system was an invaluable source of materials for my monthly themes. As a Trustee, I would be interested in doing anything I could to facilitate or expand the current library services to the Naples community.



Gerald Bay

District Resident: 17 years

Education: Middlesex Valley Central School, Keuka College - Bachelor's Degree, Special Education, Geneseo State College - Master's Degree, Special Education

Profession: Retired Teacher, Naples Central School

Community Involvement/Activities:

- Community Park Groundskeeper Volunteer
- Hospice House Volunteer

Family:

Wife: Donna

Sons: Kory & Mark Bay

Daughter: Greta Voss

Grandchildren: Mitch, Evan, Adam, Polly, Max, Wyatt, Oliver, Jessica, Lilly & Bennie

Personal Statement:

I am a retired Elementary teacher who believes the library is an important part of our education. It is important that our children learn early that a library card is a ticket to adventure. Time spent in the library can provide a multitude of opportunities that remain with us a lifetime.



Lisa Jensen

District Resident: 10 years

Education: BA in Speech Communication, Ithaca College, Summa Cum Laude, 1990, MA in Theology, Concentration in Youth Ministry, Fuller Theological Seminary, 1995

Profession: Homeschooling Parent, Part-Time Computer Programmer for Cornell University

Community Involvement/Activities:

- Current Library Board member
- Seneca School for Performing Arts Volunteer

Family:

Husband: Jonathan Jensen

Children: Molly, Kate, Leif and Luke

Personal Statement:

I have highly valued libraries as long as I can remember and have made extensive use of them – whether for school, work or personal reasons. I have been a regular patron of the Naples Library for years and believe that it is an invaluable addition to our community. The resources provided by the library meet so many needs. The various materials and programs help the people of the Naples community with academic research, entertainment, volunteer opportunities, children's programming, community building, and the list goes on. I have found the library staff to be knowledgeable, friendly and helpful. We are lucky to have them. I am a current Library Board member and I believe I have made a valuable contribution to the Board. I would like to serve for another term.

| REVENUE SOURCES | AMOUNT |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Local Public Funds | \$222,600 |
| Pioneer Library System | \$1,088 |
| Gifts/Donations | \$1,500 |
| Library Charges | \$1,500 |
| Miscellaneous | \$1,000 |
| Endowment Income | |
| TOTAL | \$227,688 |

| PROJECTED EXPENSES | AMOUNT |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Personnel Costs | \$124,844 |
| Lending Materials | \$29,600 |
| Capital Expenditure | \$0 |
| Operations and Maintenance | \$38,200 |
| Library System Contracts (OWWL) | \$9,795 |
| Technology | \$3,200 |
| Organizational Expense | \$15,353 |
| Program Expense | \$6,696 |
| TOTAL | \$227,688 |