

RECOGNITION OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE AVON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Outstanding generosity will be recognized in several areas of the library. Plaques that recognize your company, foundation, individual or a donation in memory of a loved one will showcase your generosity for generations to come.

General Library Services

Our expansion priorities include adding comfortable seating, small group study and individual study areas, computers, shelving display for books and other materials, improving the circulation and reference facilities and adding new technologies for efficient operations such as electronic announcement board and self-check out.

Library garden	\$100,000	Reserved
Elevator	\$100,000	
Atrium	\$75,000	Reserved
Communication Café	\$75,000	
Board/Conference Room	\$50,000	Reserved
Lobby	\$50,000	
Circulation Desk	\$50,000	Reserved
Computer lab	\$50,000	
Adult Fiction Area	\$50,000	
Adult Non-fiction Area	\$50,000	
Small Group Conference Room	\$20,000	
Reference Zones (3)	\$10,000 (each)	
Business, Finance & Law		Reserved
Education, Career & General		
Consumer, Medical & Health		Reserved
Large print area & window seat		\$10,000 Reserved
Reading Nook (2)	\$10,000	Reserved (2)
Quiet Study Room	\$10,000	Reserved
Reference Desk	\$10,000	Reserved
Window Reading Area	\$10,000	Reserved
Window Study Area	\$10,000	Reserved
Multimedia Center	\$10,000	Reserved

Community Pavilion (1st Floor)

The Alsop Community Room will be larger than it is presently, and will include seating for 150, 12 tables for variety of uses, multi-media system including projector and projection screen, and a movable, soundproof wall, making it possible to divide the room in half for smaller groups.

Community Pavilion	\$200,000	
Entrance Gallery	\$25,000	Reserved
Kitchen	\$10,000	
Multimedia System	\$10,000	Reserved
Stage & Performance Space	\$10,000	Reserved

History Room

The expanded Marian Hunter History Room will be moved to the first floor, making it more accessible to the community. It contains historic documents and materials that are irreplaceable and through those, tell the rich history of Avon. The room will have a climate controlled mechanical system to maintain proper temperature and humidity levels to preserve all types of materials.

Archival storage room	\$15,000	
History Room showcase	\$10,000	Reserved
Technology	\$10,000	

The Children's Room (2nd Floor)

The Children's Room will be composed of several distinct areas that will continue to offer a full range of children's services for children 6 months through age 11. This area will more than double the amount of space of the present children's room, providing more space for children's materials and additional space where children can play, learn and study. It will provide settings that captivate children's senses and use their verbal, auditory and motor skills to establish the pathways that lead to success in reading.

Recognition opportunity for entire space (Pending)		\$150,000
Story time rooms & craft area	\$50,000	
Pre-school picture book & play area	\$50,000	
Avon Village (entrance to story time area)	\$20,000	
Avon Market play structure	\$20,000	
Group study room	\$20,000	
Puppet theater	\$15,000	(Pending)
Parent/child corner	\$10,000	Reserved
Reading nook	\$10,000	Reserved
Second floor reading nook	\$10,000	Reserved
Under the Eaves reading nook	\$10,000	Reserved
Exploration Cove	\$10,000	Reserved
Window seating area-near fiction	\$10,000	

Young Adult Area (2nd Floor)

Provision of an expanded space for Young Adults, children ages 11-18, is a key priority of the library's expansion program. By providing a unique area for this age group, the library will be able to help them develop a habit of life long learning and provide a place for healthy and positive development.

Recognition opportunity for entire space		\$150,000
Reserved		

Multimedia features	\$25,000	
Computer area	\$20,000	
Group Study Room	\$10,000	Reserved
Quiet Study Rooms (2 small)	\$10,000	Reserved

NOTE

The Avon Library Campaign Committee is an ad-hoc committee of the Avon Library Board of Directors. The Avon Free Public Library is a 501(c) 3, non-profit organization. Gifts to the Avon Library Expansion Fund are tax-deductible.

The values placed on the recognition gifts represent a notional, commemorative value for each item, not the exact market value. Recognition may be given to an individual, group, family, foundation or corporation. Ultimate authority to accept or decline any proposed recognition gift rests with the Avon Library Board of Directors.

Contributions of \$10,000 or more for recognition gifts that are accepted will be acknowledged, if the donor wishes, with a plaque on or near the item. We are also planning to have a donor wall in the library, which will recognize contributors of \$2,500 and above.