"A library of wisdom, then, is more precious than all wealth, and all things that are desirable cannot be compared to it."

#### Richard de Bury

## **Our Mission & Services**

It is the purpose of the Barberton Public Library to promote the development of the community through provision of efficient and effective services, provide access to resources, and offer a positive learning environment.

In support of this mission, the Barberton Public Library provides the community access to:



Over 10 million items in the library's collection through CLEVNET



Dynamic programming for children, teens, and adults



Early literacy services

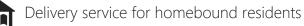


Computer instruction and internet access

Reading clubs for all ages



Local history and genealogy resources





Community Health Library, focusing on consumer health information



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#### Community Health Library Summa Barberton Hospital

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**Donations & Bequests** 

Barberton Public D LIBRARY Serving the community since 1903 The Library is a hub of knowledge, culture, and communication, and we strive to make it a source of lifelong learning and community pride. Your charitable financial contribution can help us to realize this goal. Gifts of any size are most welcome, and help to assure a vibrant future for the library in the Barberton community. Your generosity can help:



Support literacy and lifelong learning



Build library collections



Fund special projects and programs



Promote art and culture

We are happy to work with you to determine the best way to manage your gift. Please contact Director Ann Hutchison at 330-745-1194, ext. 1430 or director@barbertonlibrary.org.

#### Tax Exemption

The Barberton Public Library is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio. As such, donations to the library are considered charitable contributions and are tax deductible. All donors will receive an acknowledgement of their gift that may be used for tax purposes. Please consult your financial advisor for additional information.

#### Memorials

A memorial donation may be made to observe any special occasion, such as the birth of a child or to honor the life of a special person. Unless otherwise requested, a memorial plate will be placed on an item or collection of items to commemorate the recipient.

## Bequests

A will or trust may designate a particular gift to the library. Such contributions can take the form of cash, stock, bonds, real estate, or other types of assets. It is also possible to give a percentage or excess of your estate, after all the other terms of the trust or will have been satisfied.

# Donor Wall

Monetary donations in excess of \$250 entitle donors to a space on the library's donor wall, fashioned to look like a book shelf. The name of the donor or person to be honored will be engraved on a book spine in accordance with the amount of money donated.





Please complete this form and return with your donation and checks payable to:

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