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REPORT OF THE CEO

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# AGENDA

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Typical Day

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January Programs

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Staff Recognition

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Leadership Enrichment and Development  
(LEAD) Workgroup

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The Heart of Every Neighborhood

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Upcoming Events

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Strategic Plan & Statistical Report Update



Physical  
Circulation

• 13,862

Visitors

• 6,585

Programs

• 26

PC Usage

• 1,087



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TYPICAL DAY

# January IndyPL Programs

Branch	Program	Attendance
Haughville	Preschool visits to Christamore House & Hawthorne Center (7)	107 guests
East Thirty-Eighth Street	Vita Tax Appointments	400 appointments
Central	Books and Rooks Chess Club	25 per session
Various	Chair aerobics, traditional yoga, tai chi	631
PDA	Better Together: Celebrating U.S.	658
Various	Bilingual Storytime	192





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Patron services - **Haylee Vickers**

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Peer Support - **Lizzy Hackl**

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Page Excellence - **Kara Harkness**

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Community involvement - **Dameika Newell**

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Other duties assigned - **Casper Elliott**

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Volunteers/Partnerships – **Alpha Kappa Alpha**

**STAR AWARD WINNERS**



## **Building Capacity, Confidence, and Collaboration**

The LEAD Work Group is a cross-departmental team composed of managers from departments represented on the Executive Leadership Team (ELT).

### **Working group purpose**

The LEAD Work Group simulates ELT collaboration to support leadership development, fosters readiness for senior roles, and strengthens retention.

### **Development Platform**

Managers gain experience in strategic decision-making and cross-functional collaboration.

# LEADERSHIP ENRICHMENT AND DEVELOPMENT (LEAD) WORKGROUP





# The Heart Of Every Neighborhood



**Glendale Branch**  
February 9  
5 - 6:30 p.m.

The Heart of Every Neighborhood event's main goal is to raise awareness of IndyPL, highlight the important role our branches serve in their communities, and encourage people to share their stories. It also offers a chance to emphasize four key messages:

Free access for everyone; literacy; exceptional experiences; and the importance of signing up for, using, or renewing your library card.

Thank you to the Glendale staff, the Butler Arts and Events Center, and the Digital Indy Archives and Encyclopedia of Indianapolis team.

Next scheduled event on April 13 at the **East Thirty Eighth Street Branch** from 5-6:30 pm.



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Intro to Foundation Directory: Finding Grant Funders – Wednesday, February 25, 2:00 pm-4:00 pm

Fearless Asking: How to Build an Individual Giving Program – Saturday, February 28, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Lunar New Year – Saturday, March 7, 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm

UPCOMING EVENTS



# Q & A

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