

Inspiring Stories

Quarter 4: October - December 2024

Reflecting on Library Month and 60 Years of NVDPL!

October was a month to remember as we celebrated Canadian Library Month! All month long, libraries and library partners across Canada are raising awareness of the valuable role libraries play in Canadians' lives. This year's theme was "Libraries for Life", and we highlighted all the ways that our services and programs can enhance one's life, for life.

In conjunction with Canadian Library Month, we also chose to commemorate 60 incredible years of North Vancouver District Public Library serving our amazing community, as we celebrate our 60th birthday from April to April. Throughout October, we highlighted all the opportunities your NVDPL card offers to explore, enjoy, and create.

Staff celebrated this milestone by putting up displays, and patrons were invited to share their favourite NVDPL memories. Heartfelt stories reminded us how much the library means to our community.

One of our patrons shared, "I love all of the resources, activities, wonderful spaces—both individual and shared—the fabulous librarian staff, and the creativity and knowledge that the library promotes. This is for everyone, young and old. Thank you so very much!"

Another patron reflected, "The library is my safe space! Not only does it have the best catalogue, but also being there, in the physical building, brings me so much peace! The staff is always friendly, the resources are always on point, and I love the experience."

Although Library Month has ended, we look forward to more opportunities to celebrate our amazing community, the services we provide, and our 60th anniversary year!

