

CRANBURY NEEDS A NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY

“WHY ?”

- Space limitations are becoming critical
 - ⇒ Programming for children and adults is severely limited
 - ⇒ Groups who need meeting rooms are turned away
 - ⇒ New material acquisitions are limited by lack of space
- Combined school/public library is not meeting needs of the school or the town
 - ⇒ Public access to children’s collection is limited during school hours
 - ⇒ Adequate seating / work areas for adults and children are scarce
- For over 20 years, concerned residents have spoken out about the need for a freestanding library
- Since its founding in 1906, the library has always been in a shared facility

The time has come for the Cranbury Public Library to have its own home.

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Expanding Minds,
Creating Community***



**Help us give Cranbury the
library our community deserves.**

The Campaign for a New Cranbury Public Library

How to Make the Dream a Reality

- ⇒ The town is providing the land and the parking
- ⇒ Monies are needed to pay for the building
- ⇒ The Library Board and Foundation Board have launched a \$3.2 million capital campaign
- ⇒ It's called:

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And it's VERY exciting!!



Benefits to Cranbury

- * A 21st century library with 11, 550 sq. ft. (twice the current size)
- * More space means.... more books, media, materials, classes, programs and meeting rooms
- * Modern, free-standing library will be a community living room
- * New library will help keep Main Street vital by bringing people to shops, restaurants, and businesses
- * A high-quality library is a proven enhancement to property values

HOW TO HELP

Write a check to
Cranbury Public Library Foundation

Or go to
www.CranburyLibraryFoundation.org
to see other ways to give.

Call **Marilynn Mullen** at **609-655-0555** for more information and to learn how you can participate.

Become a part of this important legacy. Make Cranbury an even more wonderful place to live.

Building Spaces:

- ◆ Main library plus children's area and community meeting space
- ◆ Open light-filled interior, overlooking preserved farmland
- ◆ In harmony with the historic nature of the town
- ◆ Energy efficient and sustainable



Expanding Minds:

- ◆ More books and materials
- ◆ Comfortable seating
- ◆ Quiet study rooms

Creating Community:

- ◆ Community living room with ample seating, fireplace, and sunlit alcoves
- ◆ Community meeting spaces, some available after hours
- ◆ Gallery displays of local artists
- ◆ Cranbury History Archive