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OUR LIBRARY IS YOUR LIBRARY

Dear Fellow Library Supporters,

Our public library reopened in June 2021 after fifteen months of closure. As fundraisers and advocates for the library, the Burlingame Library Foundation takes pride in its smart, safe reopening and the myriad services it has provided over the past year. The library staff has delivered over 1,000 virtual programs for children, teens and adults, and 3-D printed hundreds of PPE for essential workers. It has curated more than 3,600 children's book bundles and filled 22,000 requests for curbside pickup.

We know that the library is bigger than a building and more than books. To quote poet Rita Dove, "The library is an arena of possibility, opening both a window into the soul and a door onto the world."

The Burlingame Library Foundation is excited about the future. Our organization is recharged with six new board members and an ambitious long-range plan to continue to serve our community in new and innovative ways.

Please join us in sustaining our library's future. Your gift enriches lives and strengthens our community. Together we can do so much!

With gratitude and our very best wishes,



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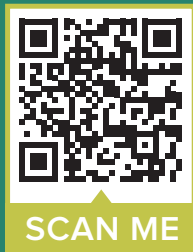


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