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CHRISTMAS

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL OUR BOARD MEMBERS, PATRONS, AND FRIENDS
FROM THE STAFF OF THE LOWELL PUBLIC LIBRARY



ANNOUNCING

The Lowell Public Library Literacy Program, under the direction of Project Coordinator Nell Fabish announces the official opening of the Adult Literacy Headquarters on Wednesday, December 13.

The library's literacy program was started in 1987 to teach reading and writing to the growing numbers of functionally illiterate adults in our area.

Providing private study areas in the library became increasingly difficult as more and more students registered for the program. Additional space was clearly needed.

Through the cooperation of the Cedar Creek township trustee, Lois Dahl, the township advisory board and Craig Turpin, Director of the Adult Learning Center GED Program, a separate area of the Learning Center is being established for the library's literacy program.

Assistant Coordinator, Terri Jeffries, will be located at the new headquarters on Wednesdays and Fridays from 1 to 5 PM. She will provide tutors and private learning areas to adults wishing to improve their basic reading and writing skills and also to give out basic information on the literacy program. The program, which is a free service of the library will continue to be available at the library when the center is closed.

In the future, additional tutoring sites will be established in the Shelby and Schneider communities.

Funding for the literacy project is made possible through a grant by the Library Service and Construction Act, Title VII in the amount of \$24,872.00 with in house matching funds of \$7,889.00

The Lowell Public Library cordially invites the community to visit the Adult Literacy Headquarters at 150 N. Fremont for the official opening on Wednesday, December 13 from 9 AM to 5 PM. Refreshments will be served.

For more information on the library's literacy program, call 696-7707 or 696-7704.

