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Strengthening our economy through the free services of the Career Resource Centre


176


Résumé Tutor consultations


3,106

reference assists with job seekers


105

attended 13 career workshops



3,615


CRC computer uses

Supporting innovation by reducing the digital divide & increasing digital literacy


9,971
eResources



116,402
uses of eResources



357
took part in 57 tech programs


494
took part in 15 Makerspace sessions

Creating a better place for St. Albertans to grow through collections, services & programs


347,115
in person visits


58,933
people attended 1,423 programs


1,009,606
loans (print, AV, electronic)

Here for you. Here for all.

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Reducing barriers to access



8,736

people at 286 Outreach Van
pop-up programs



14,908

free memberships



511

volunteer hours serving
homebound & seniors lodges

JENSEN LAKES LIBRARY – A SMALL SPACE WITH A BIG IMPACT



The interior fit-up has begun on Jensen Lakes Library, SAPL's new storefront location in the rapidly growing Jensen Lakes neighbourhood in north St. Albert. We've heard consistently that citizens in north St. Albert are underserved by the Library, and this small leased space will make a big difference to those residents who have difficulty accessing the downtown Library.

The Library will occupy 3,700 square feet of space within a larger building at Jensen Lakes Crossing, and will open to the public in January of 2020.

Jensen Lakes Library is a small space, so services and collections will focus on community priorities, including the most in-demand children's programs, public computers, and high-demand collection favourites. One of the crucial elements of the storefront Library will be its seamless connection to the downtown Library, transporting items back and forth to the north.

This low-cost, leased space is a cost-effective interim solution to the community's ongoing need for expanded Library space, and was chosen for its responsible use of tax dollars. The collections and space arrangements at Jensen Lakes Library have been driven by patron consultation, as all Library collections are.

Public libraries are vital to Alberta communities, providing a neighbourhood hub where everyone is welcome, demonstrating a return on investment, connecting, educating and inspiring citizens to build a strong Alberta.

Your place to BE. Your place to MEET. Your place to GROW.