



Market Bosworth
COMMUNITY LIBRARY

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Welcome to our Library

Opening News

On Monday, 15th August, the handover from LCC to MBCL was completed and we opened our doors for the first time as a community managed library. After nearly two years of preparation, the trustees and volunteers were ready and we are very pleased that our library has been saved from closure. The continuing support of the local community will be vital to our future. The library is now available for all of us to use and enjoy.



During our first week, the library has been busy. After the four week closure, all books were stamped to be returned on 15th August! Fines for overdue returns are waived until the end of August for this reason.

Volunteers News MBCL is reliant on the team of volunteers signing up for their shifts on the rota. This can be done online, using the Three Rings website. As well as session leaders and library assistants behind the counter, others are working behind the scenes. Our priority at this stage is to run the library, but we hope to expand our range of services and to develop the library as a

community resource as we progress. New volunteers are welcome – just ask for a form in the library or look at our website.

Trustees News There is still work to be done to complete the separation of services from the school, TMBS, and to make the new path. The separate electricity supply and new electric radiators have been installed.

Our new signage, featured here, incorporates winning designs from the logo competition by pupils at St Peters C of E Primary academy.

Library Members News The complete range of library services, including book loans, photocopier services and access to IT is fully operational. The LCC Library Service will continue to support MBCL and members will continue to use their LCC library cards and pin numbers. Books can be renewed online through the LCC Libraries site and books can be placed on hold as before. Opening hours of the library will be unchanged. New members of any age are welcome.

Friends of MBCL News We have a newsletter circulation list. If you wish your name to be added to (or removed from) this list, please contact us via the Contacts page on our website. We will keep you up to date with developments and events if you become a friend of the library.

Please Donate Books and DVDs

We now have a section selling donated books, CDs and DVDs for a small charge. Your donations will support MBCL and help to secure our future financially.