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\$25 covers the cost for one
child to receive books for
one year. Share the love of
reading by sponsoring a
child (or several!) today!

7,679 total books

832 children
currently
enrolled

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COZY UP FOR FALL READING!

As the leaves change, and the temperatures drop, it's the perfect time to cozy up with your child's favorite blanket and read a book! Children who registered for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library last July when Shire Kids first launched our program should have twelve books to choose from; how exciting!

All enrolled children received their September book about a week or two ago. Did your child receive The Ring Bearer? Sleep Train? Edie is Ever So Helpful? These are some of my favorite books in the program. Shire Kids next book order was delayed while we bolstered funding, however, your child should receive his or her next new book in early November. Be on the lookout for Llama Llama, Corduroy, or Bears Sleeping!

Shire Kids is excited to announce a new addition to our all-volunteer Board of Directors, Rehana Grip. Rehana joins Shire Kids as Director of Development, with extensive experience in fundraising and grant-writing. After working for several years in marketing, communications and graphic design, Rehana spearheaded community programs in Southern Vermont and served on several boards in critical roles. Most recently she has completed her tenure at The Dorset Players where she led major fundraisers, and currently serves at The Dorset Village Library.

What additional resources would you like to see offered by Shire Kids when distancing requirements lift? Free community book swaps? Story time? Book clubs? Mentoring? Send us your thoughts! And follow us!



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