

Letters to the Library



Describe yourself in a sentence or two, for example your age and occupation (or, if you do not have one, what you like to do). What is your household like?

I am a sophomore, as well as athlete and artist. I live with my family and my grandma.

What is your day to day routine like now? What has changed? What has not changed?

Currently I treat my schedule like I would any normal day. I get up at a certain time, do schoolwork, and then enjoy the rest of the day doing other home activities. It has only changed because I can't go out and about.

What precautions have you taken against the virus? How have you prepared? Were there any difficulties (shortages, high prices etc.)?

We are not going to the grocery stores, instead ordering food and cleaning the groceries. We make sure to keep things clean and always washing our hands.

What have been the biggest challenges for you during this time?

I really miss going to school and being able to see people and do activities with others.

How have you stayed busy?

I've been working on a new music album, making art, lots of weight training, as well as parkour training.

Have there been any positives to this situation?

We've been able to help out so many of our neighbors, friends, and family.

What local Wallingford places/businesses do you miss most?

I miss going to school, Half Moon, and the Eatery.

How have you stayed social while social distancing?

I've done FaceTime and Zoom as well as stopping by some of their houses, and just staying in the car.

What is the first thing you are doing when things go back to normal?

I am going to get together with some close friends.

How did you celebrate the Holidays? Did you see family in person, digitally, or not at all?

We did digital holidays.

How will you be celebrating Wallingford's 350th Jubilee? If you were here for the 325th Jubilee, do you have any memories you would like to share?

With the changes now, I am unsure.

What do you miss most about the Wallingford Public Library? What is the first thing you will be doing when you can come back into the building?

I miss strolling through the library just looking around the most. I will be going to the soundproof booth.