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NDL wants you to use our Library of Things

Northville, MI: Exciting things are available at the Northville District Library (NDL) -- a departure from the traditional books, CDs, and movies that most people have come to associate with libraries. Meet our newest collection: our Library of Things. NDL has offered T-Mobile hotspots for years, as well as webcams, and more recently tabletop telescopes. In the last year STEM kits for children were added. This summer we added fishing poles for adults and children. This month sees the addition of even more items to this special collection and they are: Birding Kits, Disc Golf sets, Personal CD Players, Portable CD players, a Sony Blu-Ray Player, and a Travel Chess Set.

Have you ever been curious about bird-watching and what it entails? Well, now you can borrow a backpack that holds binoculars and how-to books on birding. Have you ever wanted to play disc golf but didn't want to invest in the equipment? Now you can borrow a set of discs to take with you to a local course and play!

We also have personal CD players that you can borrow from the Library and plug into an outlet wherever you are. Play your favorite CDs (if you still have them) while on vacation or doing household chores. Likewise, we also have Portable CD Players, which some of us fondly remember as discmans, back in the day! This is beneficial for listening to your favorite CDs without the interruptions of commercials or the need to be connected to WiFi. This player requires batteries and headphones, which are not included in the kit.

And lastly, we have a Travel Chess Set that you can check out and take wherever you like to play opponents in this classic game of strategy. By the way, the Library also offers several books on chess, illustrating hundreds of tactics to checkmate the King of your adversary.

This won't be the end of items added to our Library of Things, we will have more coming soon in the future! Keep an eye on our website and social media for future announcements regarding additions to our ever-expanding special collection.

For more information, visit Northville District Library on Facebook here: https://nvillelib.org/NDLFacebook, visit our website at: www.northvillelibrary.org, email us: nortref@northvillelibrary.org, or call us at: 248-349-3020.



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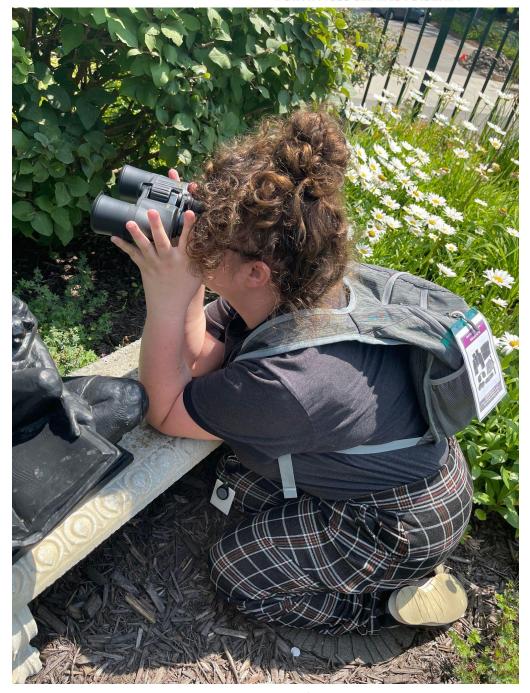






Northville District Library "Library of Things" Collection Logo.





Circulation Clerk, Samantha Shannon, using one of the Birding Kits.





Emily Dobbs, NDL Adult Services Librarian with new items recently added to our Library of Things: 2 Birding Kits (backpack, binoculars, and two books each), Disc Golf Set with book and equipment, Personal CD Player that must be plugged into an outlet, Portable battery-operated CD Player, Sony Blu-Ray player, and a Travel Chess Set.