

"We recently enrolled our second child, now four months, in the program. It couldn't have possibly come at a better time! The books coming in at her level are perfect for our three-year-old who is just starting to learn sight words to read to his little sister. It's such a fantastic learning experience for him and bonding experience for them both! Thank you!"



Community Literacy Forums

Informational events for anyone interested in promoting literacy

LITERACY
COALITION
OF
HANCOCK COUNTY



Parent Partners

Volunteers who make in-home visits to assist parents with teaching their children to read.



\$30 puts 12 books into the hands of one child in one year for them to keep

Family Literacy Nights

Events held in the city and county schools, with over 1,700 attending during the first season of eight FLNs in 2016



\$600 sponsors one grade level for the Tell A Tale program

Tell A Tale

Children's writing and illustrating contest with 53 entrants in first year

Mission

To coordinate and support community initiatives that promote lifelong literacy



\$1,100 – covers supplies and related costs for one Family Literacy Night in a local school

Raise the Bar

Workforce development involvement through the Raise the Bar initiative





Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Hancock County!

- 1,500+ children under age five are currently enrolled
- 443 graduates who have reached age five
- 19,000+ books distributed
- DPIL funding: \$170,000 raised/pledged thru 2017
- In-kind services: Hancock County Educational Service Center provides office/meeting space and administrative support, and the United Way of Hancock County provides fiscal management services

Literacy is the foundation to kindergarten readiness, success in school, and preparedness for a rewarding and productive career and life.

The programs and support offered by the Literacy Coalition of Hancock County help to assure this will be a reality in Hancock County.

We are already receiving very positive feedback from parents of the children involved in the Dolly Parton Imagination Library who say that after just a few months of receiving the books, their children are more interested in reading. They feel their child will be better prepared for school.

Learn more at:
hancockliteracy.org

Literacy Coalition of Hancock County
7746 County Road 140
Findlay, Ohio 45840

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- Marathon LPGA Classic
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