

## PLANS FOR THE YEAR AHEAD

In their first board meeting of 2026, the SDG Library Board reviewed and approved four (4) plans that sets out the goals and initiatives planned for this year:

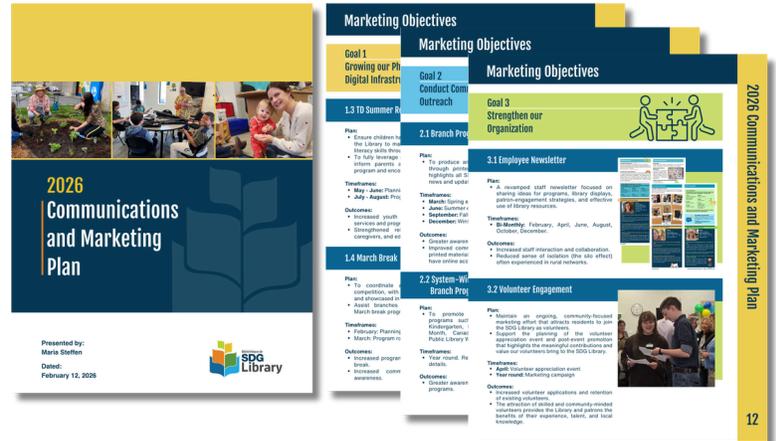
- The 2026 Operational plan
- The Communications and Marketing plan
- The MakerLab plan
- The Technology plan

All plans can be viewed within the February board package:  
<https://www.sdglibrary.ca/library-board-meetings/>

The Operational Plan translates the Board's strategic directions into actionable initiatives that guide staff work while supporting accountability, service equity, and organizational sustainability. The 2026 Plan is organized around three strategic goals and outlines 11 priority activities focused on accessibility, community alignment, and consistent service delivery across branches.



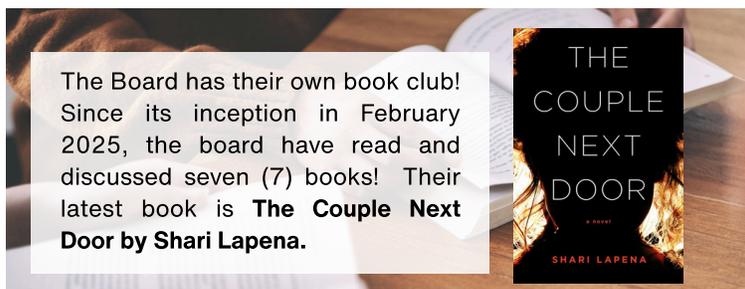
This Technology Plan outlines objectives to ensure the effective and efficient use of current and emerging technologies, aligning with the SDG Library's Strategic Plan. The plan includes initiatives to promote existing digital services and resources so that patrons can easily discover and benefit from the full range of services the SDG Library provides.



This Communications and Marketing Plan outlines the strategic initiatives that will drive SDG Library's growth and deepen community engagement in 2026. Building on the strong foundations established in previous years, the focus now shifts to refining and measuring efforts across the full range of resources and services provided.



The MakerLab stands as a cornerstone of the SDG Library's commitment to innovation, offering the community a dedicated space to experiment, design, and bring ideas to life. This plan outlines the initiatives developed to ensure that the MakerLab continues to contribute to the Library's strategic goals for growth, community engagement, and organisational strength.



The Board has their own book club! Since its inception in February 2025, the board have read and discussed seven (7) books! Their latest book is **The Couple Next Door** by Shari Lapena.