

Chesapeake Bay Trust Little Free Library

The Chesapeake Bay Trust Little Free Library (LFL) is located on Severn Avenue. The Chesapeake Bay Trust had been thinking about installing a LFL for a while but were in search of a new office space. Once they had a property, they decided to install a LFL for the benefit of the community. It was installed in early September 2020.

Terry Otis, an Eastport Resident and who works for Chesapeake Light Craft, designed and built the Trust's LFL. It is significantly larger than the normal little free library. It has a nautical theme and looks like the front of a rowboat. It opens with two long doors. There is one chair on each side of the LFL so that people who visit can sit, relax, and read books that they chose. They will be adding native plants and ground covering in the area in the future.

The books are standard LFL but with a "Trust twist". They have normal everyday books as well as environment and gardening books. You can donate any type of book to the Trust's LFL.

The Chesapeake Bay Trust staff truly love and appreciate the Eastport community and hope their LFL will bring joy to those who visit it.



About the Trust: The Chesapeake Bay Trust is nonprofit, grant-making organization dedicated to improving the natural resources of Maryland and the Chesapeake Bay region through environmental education, community engagement, and local watershed restoration. The Trust is not an advocacy organization; we support people and organizations to take a hand-on boot-on-the-ground approach to improved Bay health. The trust works in Maryland and bordering Chesapeake Bay watershed states to assemble resources and manage programs that can support restoration, distribute funds in a fair, transparent, rigorous manner to an average of 400 grantees each year, including schools, local governments, community groups, faith-based groups, watersheds organizations, and other nonprofit entities.