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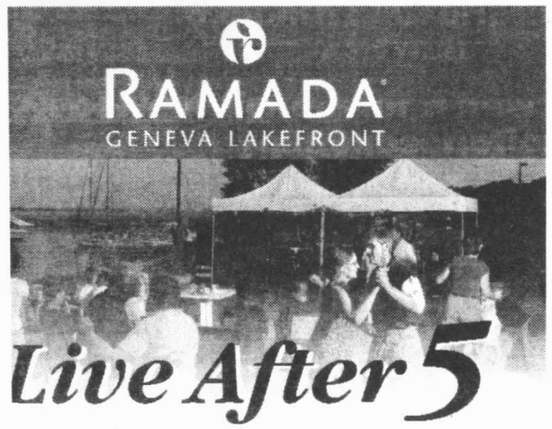

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Geneva Library receives $244K grant

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GENEVA — A two-year computer skills program is being started at the Geneva Public Library after it was awarded a grant through the state Department of Education.

The library will receive $244,000 through a Public Computer Center grant and create three positions — one full-time and two part-time — for the next two years, in addition to buying new computers, developing video conferencing and setting up its website in Spanish.

The library also will offer new training in computer skills for low-income, unemployed and underemployed patrons as part of the state's Broadbandexpress@your library project.

The jobs created by the grant money are a full-time library assistant, a part-time senior computer service assistant and a part-time application training specialist, who will be in charge of the computer skills training.

Installation of the new equipment and the new computer classes will begin this fall.

The jobs already were created by the library board at its last meeting, but director Michael Nyerges said board members wanted to wait for the grant money before filling them.

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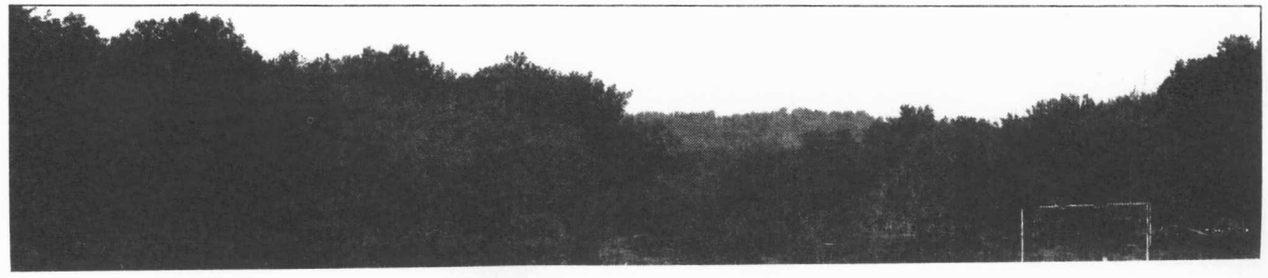
> — DAVID STEINER
> EDUCATION COMMISSIONER

Geneva is one of 30 libraries across the state to receive money through the project, which is partially funded by stimulus money. In all, $9.5 million is being distributed through the program.

"Libraries are vital to our communities and our economy," Education Commissioner David Steiner said in a press release. "The increased broadband capacity, training and online resources funded through this grant will provide more New Yorkers with access to essential online information for work, health care, education and citizenship as well as e-government resources."

The library is accepting applications for the three jobs through Ontario County Human Resources. The application deadline for the library assistant position is Saturday.

For more information, contact the Geneva Public Library at 789-5303.

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